



Nez Perce Tribe Recycling Program Newsletter—May 2019

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- Respect and take care of the earth.

Nez Perce Tribe Water Resources Division - Solid Waste and Recycling Program

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What Can You Recycle With Us?

#1 & #2 Plastic bottles - **empty & rinsed***

Aluminum cans - **empty & rinsed***

Office paper, envelopes, catalogs & magazines

Shredded paper - in clear plastic bags

Newspaper

Used printer/ink cartridges (no toner)

Used candles

Cardboard - flattened

Tin cans - **empty & rinsed***

Car batteries

***If it is not rinsed, it is considered contaminated and goes straight to the landfill—the exact opposite of what we are all trying to do!**

“Talkin’ Trash”

Lapwai Community Recycling Update

April 2019 numbers:

50 lbs. of plastics #1 & #2

(29 lbs. in Mar. 2019)

11 lbs. of Aluminum cans

(12 lbs. in Mar. 2019)

8 lbs. of Tin cans

(6 lbs. in Mar. 2019)

The numbers for community recycling are going up!

← Our *In the Spotlight* column highlights people doing good things for our earth and our people. In celebration of Earth Day this year, about 30 Enterprise employees and a handful of other volunteers adopted a portion of the US Highway 12/95 from milepost 306 to 308. The highway cleanup will continue twice a year! Way to go Tribal Enterprise! *Qe'ciyéw'yew'*



Nez Perce Tribe Enterprise joins Adopt a Highway !!

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