RECYCLING CONTAINERS

Outagamie County Solid Waste, the entity who manages the City's recycling pick up, has asked the City of New London to look into assisting residents in purchasing recycling carts. The County's recycling contractor is moving towards automated recycling pick up which can only be done if every resident has a standardized cart.

These carts would have covers and are large enough that the wind would not blow them around. This would minimize the amount of recyclable items that would be laying or blowing around the city and this would help to improve the appearance of city streets on pick up days. The carts have wheels that make it easier to take the recycling to the curb.

Local communities that have 96 gallon carts are Greenville, Appleton, Kaukauna and the Town of Ellington. Communities that have the smaller 64 gallon carts are Little Chute, Combined Locks and Kimberly. The City is looking into whether residents need a 64 gallon container, pictured on the left, or the larger 96 gallon container, 2 containers pictured on the right. The other photograph is of a 96 gallon container with 2 weeks' worth of recycling for a family of three.

Please check out the Outagamie County recycling website at www.recyclemoreoutagamie.org.



