

Recycle

It's good for America – It's good for you!

8 Good Reasons to Recycle:

- 1. If Americans recycled 30% of their wastes the U.S. would save the energy equivalent of 11.9 billion gallons of gasoline per year.**
- 2. If Americans recycled just one-tenth of their newspapers, we would save 25 million trees a year.**
- 3. Recycling in the U.S. is a \$236 billion a year industry that employs 1.1 million American workers.**
- 4. Recycling one aluminum can saves enough energy to power a television for three hours.**
- 5. Recycling one ton of plastic bottles saves the energy equivalent of 168 gallons of gasoline.**
- 6. Recycling 1 ton of aluminum saves the energy equivalent of 2,350 gallons of gasoline.**
- 7. Recycling one glass bottle saves enough energy to light a 100-watt light bulb for four hours.**
- 8. The recycling industry creates jobs 5 to 1 over traditional waste management and landfills.**