



REFUSE, RETHINK, REDUCE, REUSE, RECYCLE

Focus on Cans

- All cans with deposits recycled at the Transfer Station provide funds to Eastham Elementary students and Recreational Programs in town. Volunteers collect, sort, and refund the cans regularly. Awesome!
- Recycling aluminum uses only around 5% of the energy and emissions needed to make it from the raw material bauxite.
- The metal can be recycled time and time again without loss of properties, so getting the aluminum recycling habit is one of the best things we can do for the environment.
- Aluminum is a resource that forms about 8% of the earth's crust.
- Aluminum is the most cost-effective material to recycle, because of the huge energy savings - up to 95%.
- All the scraps left over from the aluminum production process can be melted down and used again and again.
- Around 75% of all the aluminum ever made is still in circulation.