Problems in the Trash & Recycling Area!!!!

We seem to be having more problems at the Recycle Area. **Members and some outside contractors** have been dumping furniture, chairs, washers, dryers, refrigerators, hot water heaters, TV sets, carpeting, paint, household electronics, cardboard, concrete, asphalt and other hazardous waste, etc.. Not only all this, but overflowing the bins above the sides which then makes it impossible to be dumped and debris falls to the ground which then has to be picked up by a volunteer.

These **trash bins** are strictly for **beautification use ONLY, from Thursday AM through Sunday noon**. AWHA members are welcome to use these trash bins, if needed, from noon Sunday through Wednesday night for preferably **<u>YARD WASTE ONLY</u>**. **ABSOLUTELY NO DIRT, ROCKS, PAINT, CONCRETE or ASPHALT.**

The trash is picked up on Mondays and Thursdays at each individual home in our park. **They will also pick up furniture, large items, and white goods (washers, dryers, refrigerators and water heaters) at your property.** There is no charge for all residents that are current and are in good standing.

RECYCLING

It is not absolutely necessary that we thoroughly sort the recycle items, however if the items need to be further sorted by the company, **there will be a charge which will reduce our profit**.

It will be helpful if the containers are sorted as follows:

Presently there are 7 paper and cardboard recycling bins, which may be reduced since the paper and cardboard can now be placed in the same container. As a reminder, **PAPER and CARDBOARD ONLY, and PLEASE FLATTEN ALL CARDBOARD BOXES, NO PLASTIC BAGS** (except those with shredded paper).

There are 4 recycling bins that are for <u>CLEAN</u> Glass Bottles, Tin cans, Laundry Detergent Bottles, Plastic containers, Milk & Juice containers, and other PLASTIC containers like Yogurt, Cottage Cheese, Butter, and etc. <u>NO</u> Plastic bags, Wax coated Cardboard milk or juice containers, Building Materials of any kind, aluminum cans, foil or Pie tins.

There is a container set up for **Aluminum Cans, foil trays and Aluminum pie tins only**. United Fibers collects the items and profit is sent directly to **SUNSHINE ACRES** as a donation from Apache Wells.

THERE ARE SEVERAL SMALLER TRASH BARRELS FOR YOU TO RECYCLE YOUR EMPTY GROCERY BAGS AS THEY WILL BE USED BY THE DOGGIE PARK, TO HELP KEEP THAT AREA CLEAN.

<u>As a reminder</u>, if you hire someone to do some remodeling or yard work for you, they are responsible for disposing of the waste products at the dump, <u>not</u> in the Beautification area.