

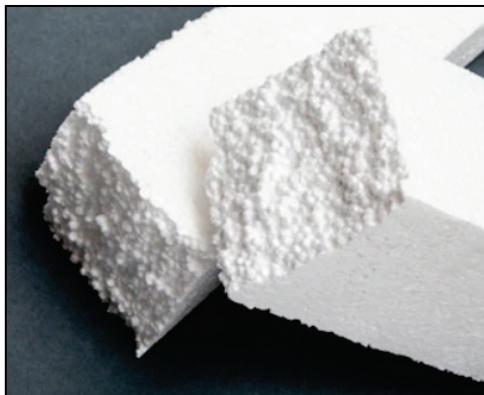
## Styrofoam Recycling Reminder

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A few years ago the City of Waverly's Recycling Center started accepting Styrofoam. This has helped to keep a tremendous amount of Styrofoam out of the landfill, but a couple of reminders are needed:

- Only beaded Styrofoam is accepted at the Recycling Center, which is commonly used to line the inside of boxes for padding. ***It cannot be placed in your curbside recycling container.***
- Food containers, egg cartons, etc. are a different type of Styrofoam that cannot be recycled and must be placed in your garbage.
- Styrofoam peanuts are recycled by reusing. Bagged Styrofoam peanuts are accepted at the Recycling Center only.

The Styrofoam that Waverly collects is taken to the City of Cedar Falls where it is melted down. It is then used by companies to make plastic products such as outdoor furniture, coat hangers, window frames, etc.



Styrofoam that can be recycled is made with tiny beads as shown in this photo.  
Please take to the Recycling Center.



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