

## ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT SAMPLE RECYCLING ARTICLE FOR NEWSLETTERS OR BULLETIN BOARDS

### **RECYCLING CREATES NEW PRODUCTS**

Ever wonder what becomes of the materials we recycle?

- Recycled paper becomes new office paper, tissue, cardboard or packaging.
- Recycled plastic bottles are used to make clothing, packaging, carpeting, car parts and park benches.
- Recycled glass bottles and jars return as new glass bottles and jars, decorative tiles, jewelry and art work.
- Recycled steel and aluminum cans come back as appliances, building materials, furniture and parts for airplanes, trains and automobiles.

If you want more information on recycling, visit the City of San Diego Environmental Services Department at [www.sdrecyclingworks.com](http://www.sdrecyclingworks.com)

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