Baling Twine Recycling NOW Available In The Billings Area (No Mesh Please)

The Twine Collection & Recycling Site (TCRS) is open and accepting unwanted clean twine.

Like all plastics that are recycled, the twine needs to be dry and at least 90% clean.

The TCRS is located 2½ miles north of Laurel on Buffalo Trail Road (¾ mile north of Laurel Airport Road and the Yellowstone National Cemetery). It is across the highway from the Laurel Container Site.

Small deliveries of twine can be left in the shed or in the outside bin. Access is through a pedestrian gate to the left of the locked vehicle gate.

For large loads requiring vehicle access or assistance, call in advance and we will meet you. Leave a message at 406-200-7873 and we will return the call.

Deliveries can be made year-round, weather dependent.

For further information including a map, visit yvaudubon.org or email yvas.twine.recycling@gmail.com. You can also call and leave a message at: 406-200-7873. Additional Info:

We are not accepting net or mesh wrap since not all is recyclable. It is one of the most difficult plastics to clean and recycle due to the hay fibers, soil, and rocks that become embedded in the plastic.

No money is made from this project. A full semi-load of dry, 90% clean polypropylene twine will bring a refund payment adequate to cover the cost of loading and shipping to a recycling facility in Minnesota.

Most users of baling twine in Montana do not have access to an environmentally safe method for disposing of unwanted loose twine.

Recycling is the only environmentally safe and legal way to depose of twine and other plastics.

Baling twine is made of polypropylene, a #5 PP plastic. It recycled into products such as large outdoor tubs and flower pots as well as food containers such as yogurt, cottage cheese and butter.

