

## What Belongs in the COMPOST Bin/Cart?

### ALL FOOD SCRAPS

- Bread, Pasta & Other Grains
- Dairy Products
- Fruits & Vegetables
- Meat, Bones & Shells
- Pits, Peels & Rinds
- Paper Tea Bags & Tea Leaves
- Coffee Grounds & Paper Filters

### FOOD SOILED PAPER & OTHER

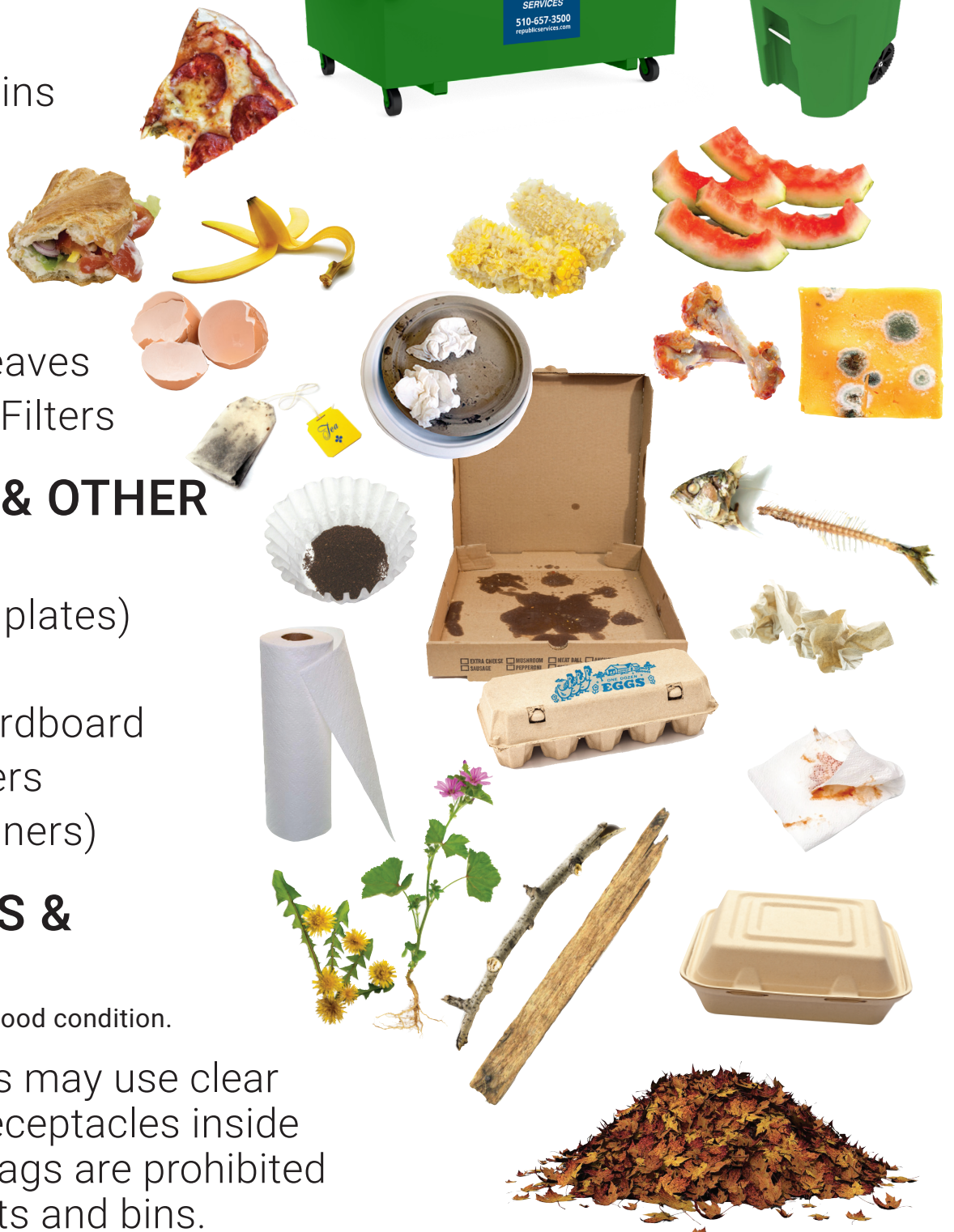
- Paper plates  
(no plastic-coated paper plates)
- Paper Napkins & Towels
- Pizza Boxes & Waxed Cardboard
- Paper foodware containers  
(no plastic-coated containers)

### ALL YARD TRIMMINGS & UNTREATED WOOD\*

\*Reuse, donate, or sell wood pallets if in good condition.

- ✓ Commercial businesses may use clear bags to line compost receptacles inside their facilities. Plastic bags are prohibited in outside compost carts and bins.

**Union City Municipal Code Chapter 7.24 requires materials to be sorted into the proper containers. Container lids must close completely. Do not overload containers.**



**NO** Non-Compostable  
Plastics



**NO** Personal  
Hygiene Products



**NO** Treated  
Wood



**NO** Recyclable  
Containers



**NO** Hazardous Waste  
StopWaste.org/HHW



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