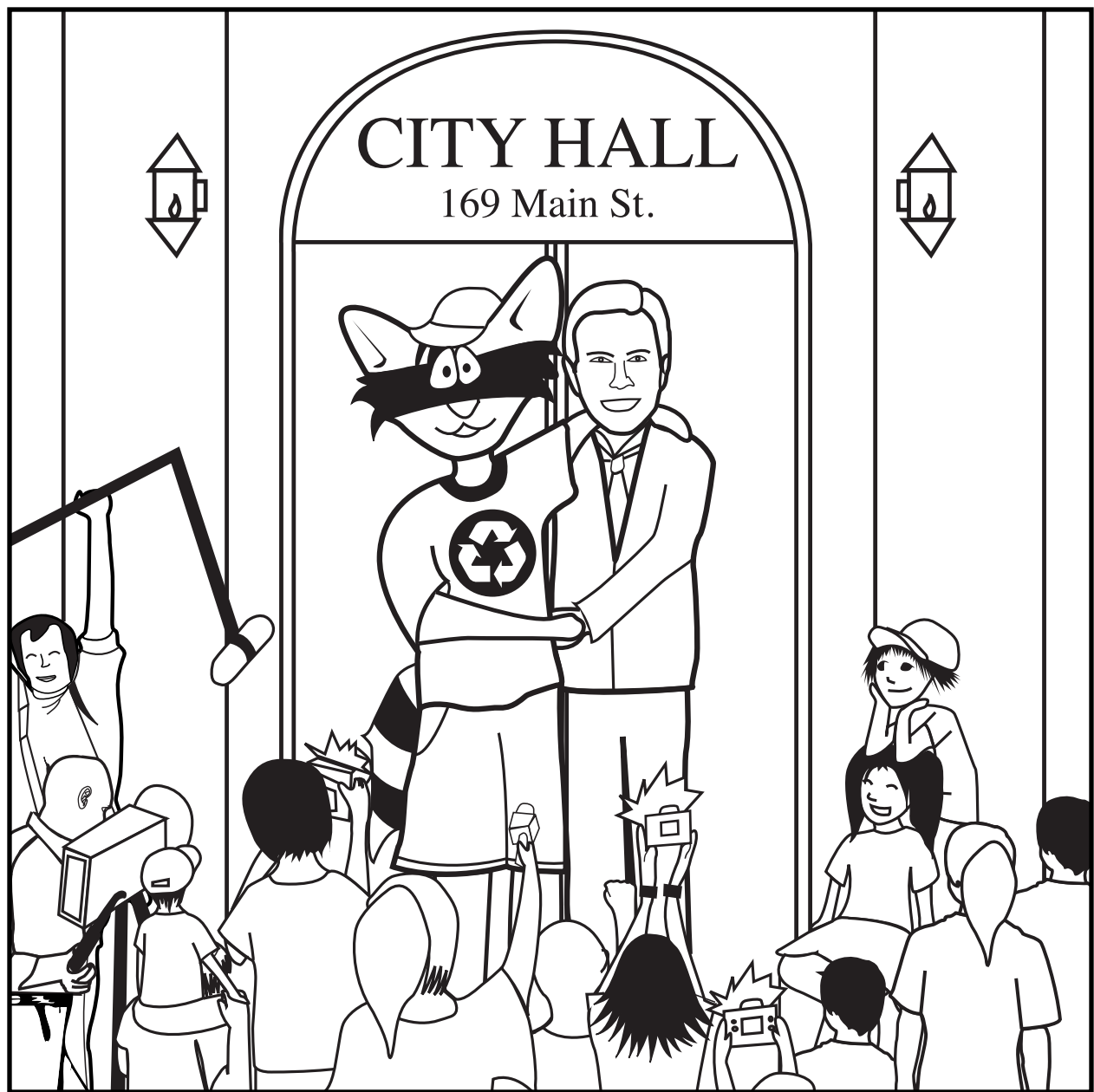


Woonsocket

Recycle Today, Save Tomorrow



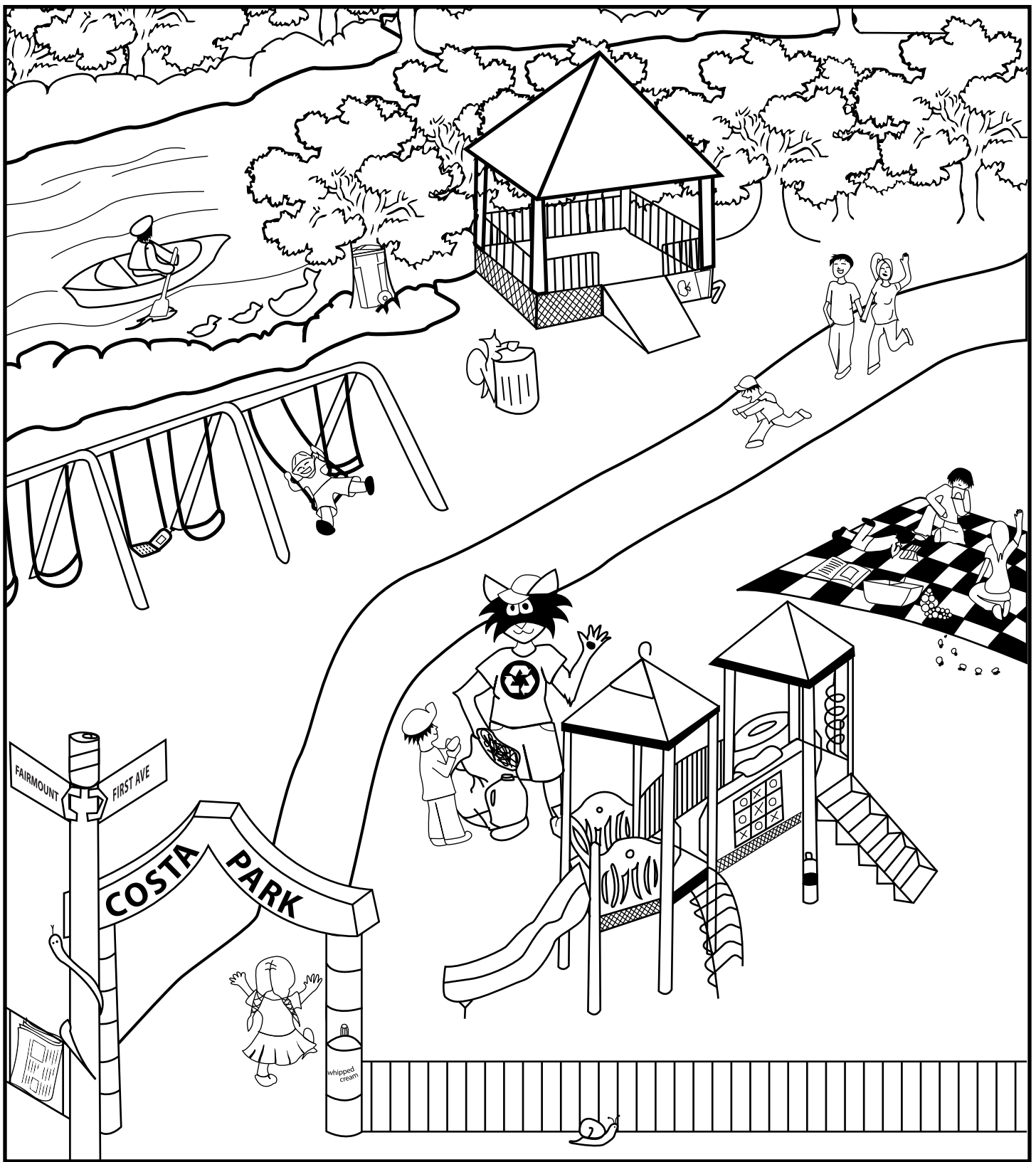


Ready for Duty

After rummaging through some trash cans in the back yards of the homes in Woonsocket, Rodney Raccoon has decided to help lead the way in Woonsocket's recycling efforts. After meeting in the Mayor's Office, Rodney Raccoon has been duly sworn in by the Mayor of the great City of Woonsocket as the Recycling Mascot for the Solid Waste Division. Volunteering his time, he will help educate the residents of Woonsocket in the benefits of recycling and reducing waste.

Are you ready to work with Rodney Raccoon and give a hand in recycling?

If so, let's get recycling.....



HIDDEN PICTURES

Find these objects hidden in the big picture of Costa Park



recycle
cart



milk
jug



juice
box



clothes
hanger



water
bottle



cell
phone



news
paper



whipped
cream bottle



soda
can



open
book

What Goes In The Carts?

GREEN Carts

Examples of items to be placed in GREEN cart:

Metal Cans & Foil aluminum & tin cans, foil pie plates, foil, empty steel aerosol cans, empty latex paint cans, tuna, soup, vegetable, pet food cans

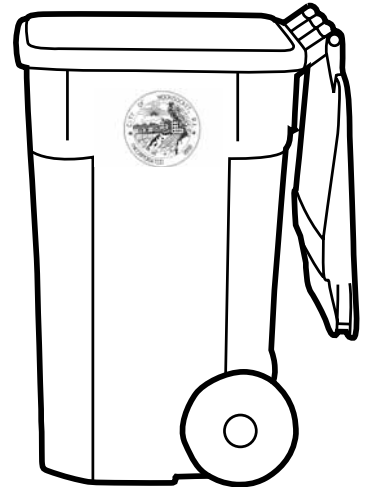
Glass Containers: mayonnaise jars, applesauce jars, baby food, glass soda, bottles, assorted glass containers

Plastic bottles and jugs: mayonnaise, peanut butter, jelly, butter, ice cream, margarine, plastic take out containers, iced coffee cups, yogurt containers plastic egg cartons, soda & juice bottles, salad dressing bottles, shampoo bottles milk jugs, detergent bottles, fabric softener and bleach bottles

Cartons: milk & juice cartons, cream and creamer containers, soup, broth, soy milk

Paper & Cardboard: newspaper, phone books, envelopes, office paper, spiral notebooks, flattened corrugated boxes, wrapping and tissue paper, gift bags, paperback books, food boxes, junk mail, paper bags, magazines, paper towel tubes, egg cartons

Thin cardboard: shoe boxes, cereal, pasta, gift, cake mix, toothpaste boxes, toilet paper rolls, paper egg cartons



Color me GREEN

BROWN Carts

Examples of items to be placed in BROWN cart:

***Scrap metal:** pots, pans, hangers, wires appliances chains, cables nuts, bolts

Refrigerated and frozen food boxes: butter, pizza, soda, TV dinner

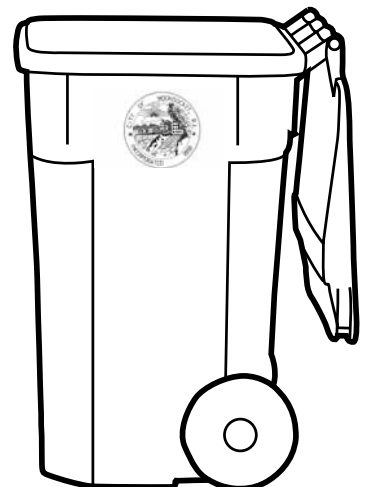
***Plastic containers larger than 2 gallon and non-container plastic:** toys, furniture

Hybrid packaging (metal/paper/plastic mix): oatmeal and chip canisters, Kcups

Sharps: injectable needles

***Household Hazardous Waste:** propane tanks, oil-based paint, rechargeable batteries (bring to a local Eco-Depot event)

***Misc.:** greasy pizza boxes, clothing or textiles, chip bags and candy wrappers, hot beverage cups, styrofoam, light bulbs, mirrors, broken glass



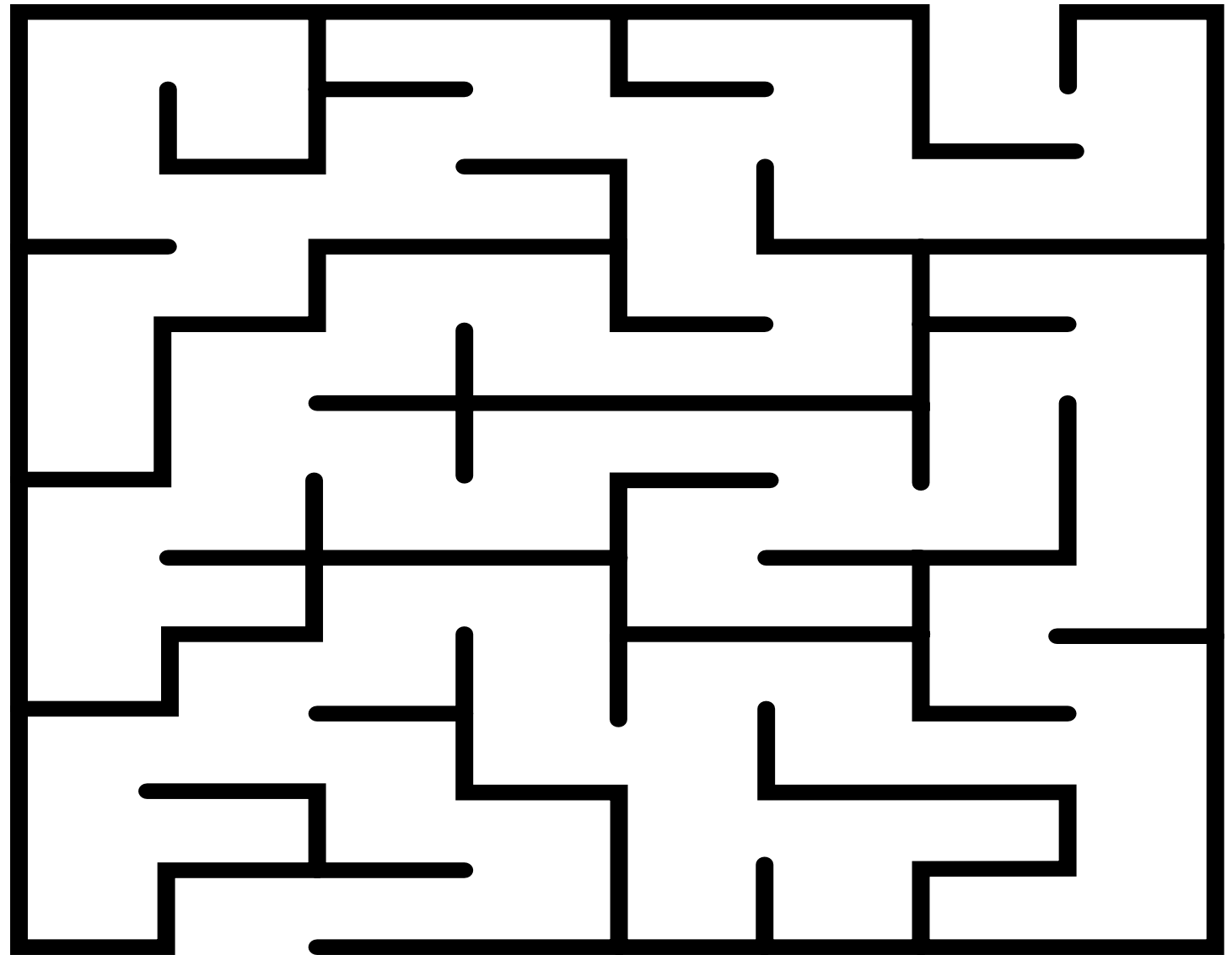
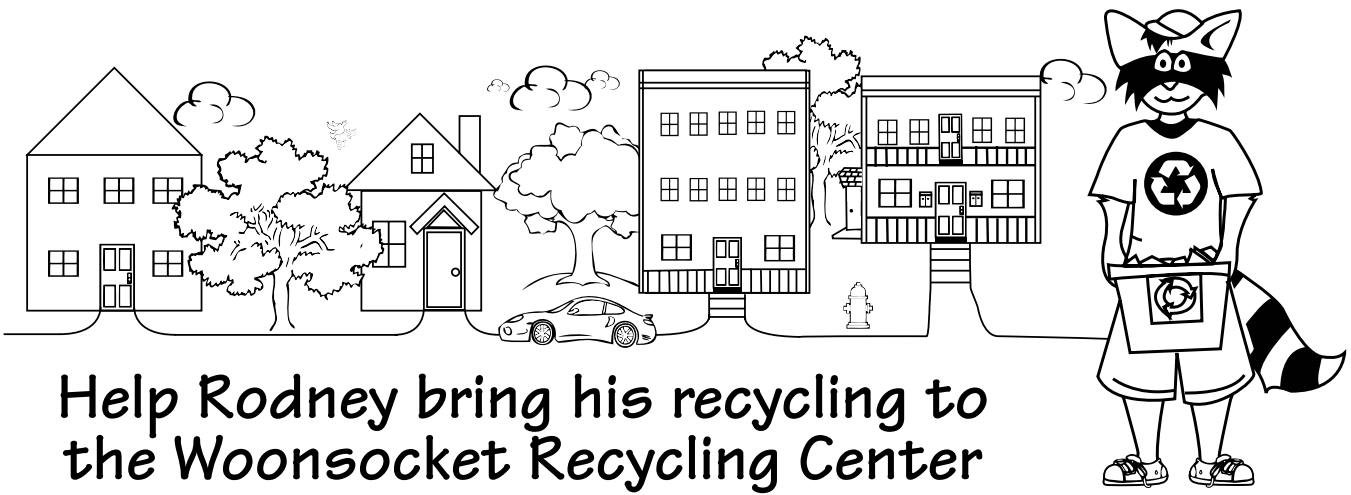
Color me BROWN

**Many of these items can be brought to the recycle center at 943 River Street for proper recycling.*

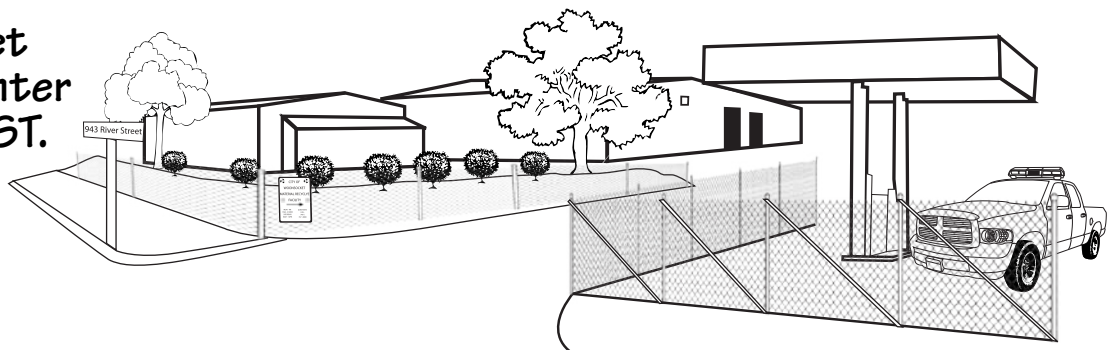


Color in the objects, then circle the object with GREEN if it belongs in the GREEN cart, or circle the object with BROWN if it belongs in the BROWN cart. Then, draw a line from the object to the cart it belongs in on the opposite page.

Answer Green cart: soda bottle, shampoo bottle, juice box, soup can, soda can, milk carton, juice bottle, laundry detergent bottle, egg carton, shoe box, yogurt cup, ice cream container, iced coffee, paper bag, cereal box, book, newspaper. BROWN cart: plastic bottle caps, hanger, broken glass, juice pouch, light bulb



Woonsocket
Recycling Center
943 RIVER ST.



Match the letters to the numbers
and write the secret message!

18 5 3 25 3 12 5

20 15 4 1 25

19 1 22 5

20 15 13 15 18 18 15 23



A = 1	E = 5	I = 9	M = 13	Q = 17	U = 21	Y = 25
B = 2	F = 6	J = 10	N = 14	R = 18	V = 22	Z = 26
C = 3	G = 7	K = 11	O = 15	S = 19	W = 23	
D = 4	H = 8	L = 12	P = 16	T = 20	X = 24	

Recycle Facility Word Search

AIR CONDITIONER

COMPUTER

PROPANE TANKS

BOOKS

METALS

RIGID PLASTICS

CARDBOARD

MICROWAVE

STYROFOAM

CELL PHONE

MONITOR

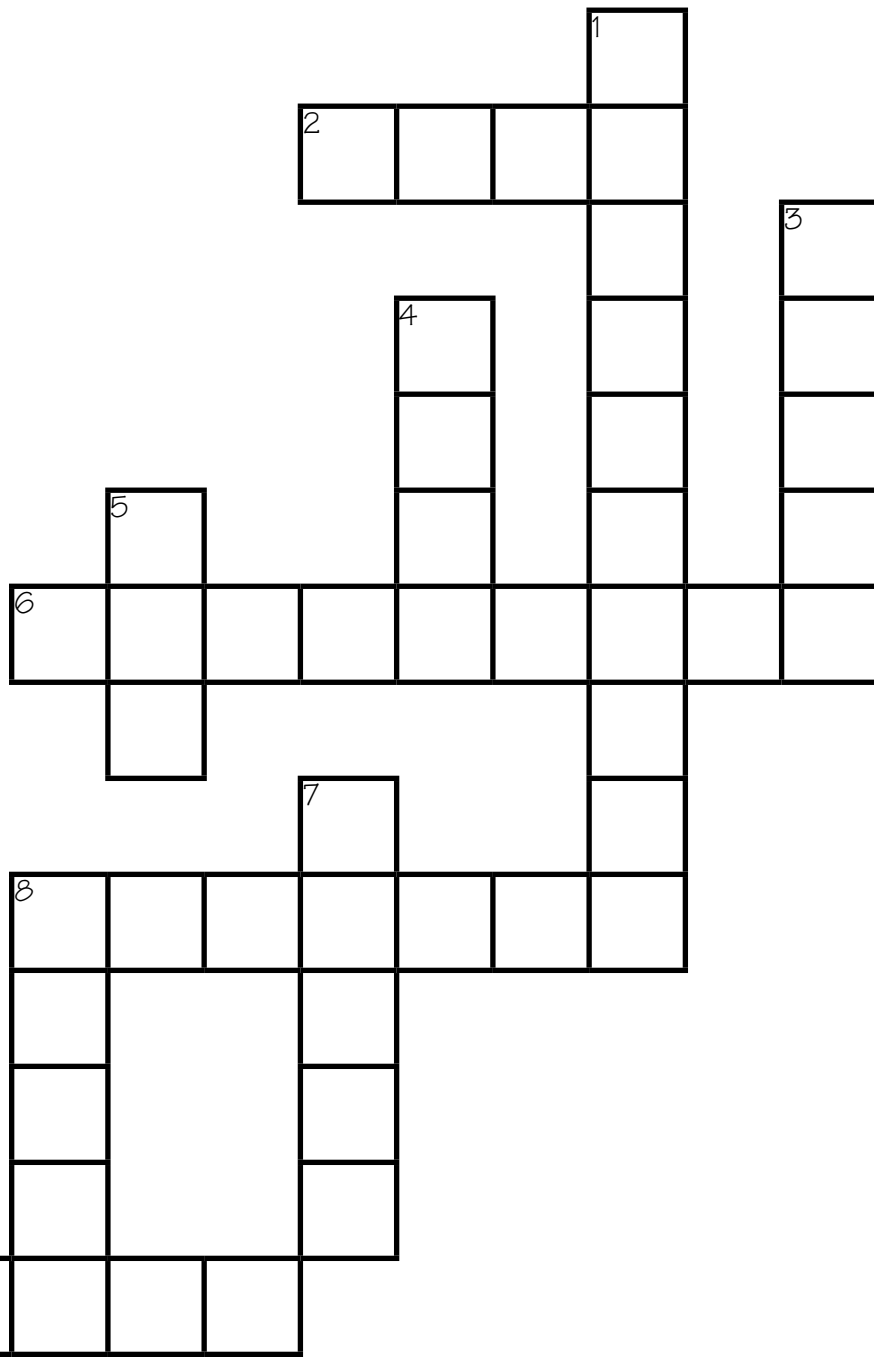
TELEVISION

CLOTHES

PRINTER

VHS TAPE

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 H R R E F D W E S A O L P K J O T R
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 A T Y C E L L P H O N E N H G V F R
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 B C D T E L E V I S I O N I P S F E
 D V B O M L S A W C A R D B O A R D



Crossword Puzzle

Across

2. Recycle Today... _____ Tomorrow.
6. _____ belongs in the recycle cart.
8. Give a hoot, don't _____
9. _____ belongs in the garbage can and not on the ground.

Down

1. A peanut butter jar is _____.
3. Help save the _____.
4. Bring your recycle cart to the _____ each week.
5. Max _____.
7. Keep Woonsocket streets _____.
8. A _____ box cannot be recycled.

*Thank you for helping to save
our environment. And remember, if you
see me near your garbage cans, I'm just
checking to make sure you are recycling!*



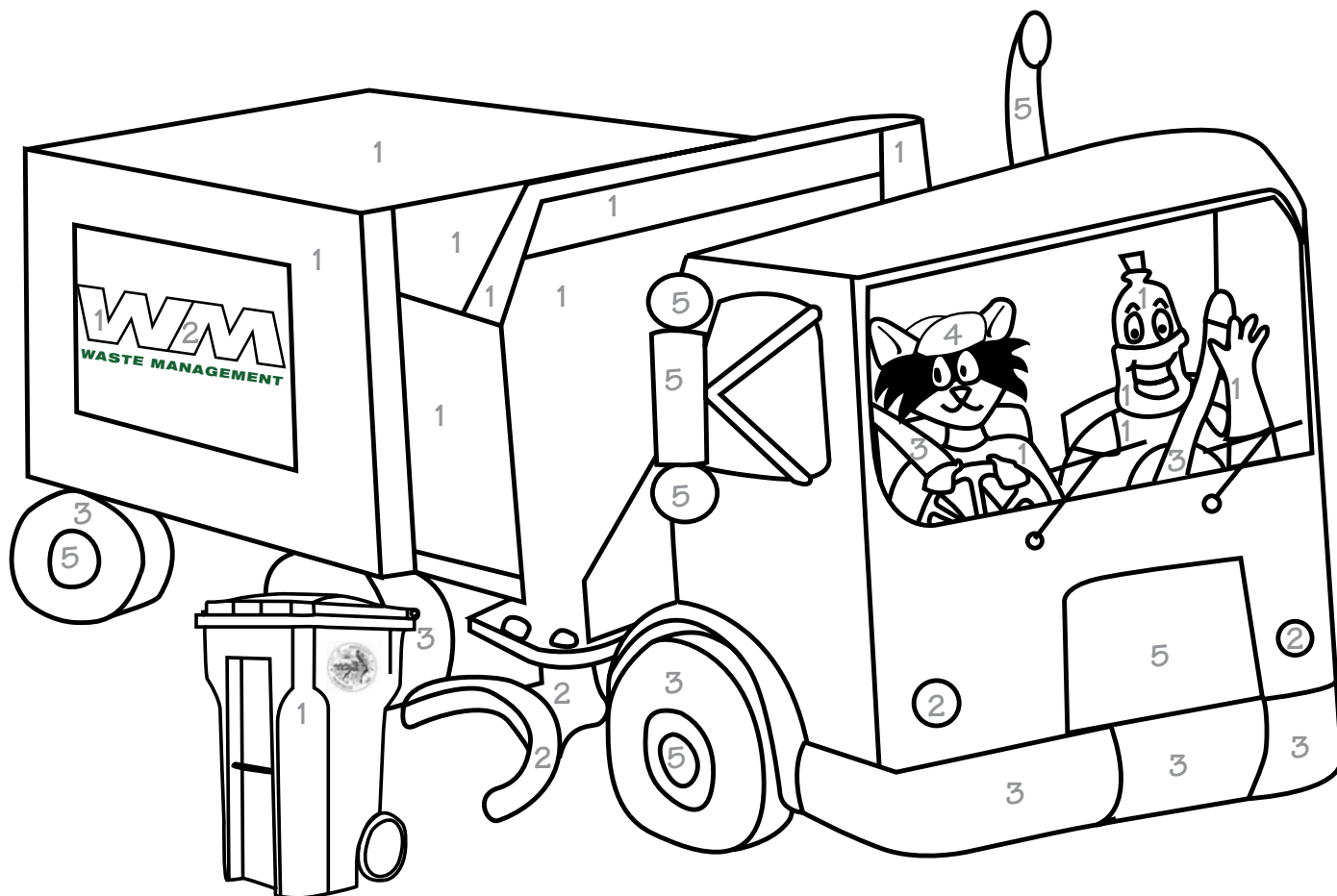
I, _____,

will do my part to take good
care of our environment.

I will try to help by
recycling at home
and school. I will do
my best to teach others
that recycling is easy.

Rodney Raccoon





Color by Numbers!

1=green

2= yellow

3=black

4=red

5=gray

Letter to the Parent or Guardian:

The City of Woonsocket, Solid Waste Division is tasked with reducing refuse and increasing recycling, therefore, saving you, as a tax payer, money.

Education is essential to any recycling program. We encourage you to talk to your child about the values of recycling. Explain to your child what recycling means to you and your family. With your child, look at what you throw away each day in the garbage can and see if any of those items are recyclable. It will surprise you when you pay attention to what you dispose of as to how much in that trash can is recyclable.

Together we can make our city and our planet a better place to live, play and enjoy.

If you have any questions please feel free to contact our office at (401) 767-8880.

Remember recycling today *will* save tomorrow!

