SUGGESTED SAMPLE LANGUAGE [to be attached to the lease of the apartment]

City of, Recycling Notice The City of has a mandatory residential recycling program that requires all residents to separate designated materials from the waste produced in their homes for recycling by a private trash hauler or for curb-side recycling collection by the City contractor Waste Management.
Residential building owners/landlords with curbside collection Are responsible for notifying residents about trash and recycling requirements and that the tenant(s) must use the City of provided trash cart(s) and recycling cart(s) only.
Residents are required to keep the following designated materials separate from regular garbage and discard them in the City of provided 96-gallon recycle cart. (For more info on what to recycle go to webpage)
WHAT TO RECYCLE: Paper & Cardboard + Metal, Glass, Plastics & Cartons (emptied, rinsed and dry)
Newspapers, magazines, catalogs, white and colored paper (staples OK), mail and envelopes (window envelopes OK), paper bags, wrapping paper, soft-cover books (paperbacks, comics, etc.; no spiral bindings).
Cardboard egg cartons and trays, smooth cardboard (food and shoes boxes, tubes, file folders, cardboard from product packaging), corrugated cardboard boxes.
Metal Food & Beverage Cans, tin, aluminum, steel food and beverage cans
Glass bottles & jars (and no other glass items).
Plastic Bottles & Containers, jars, jugs and tubs
Milk cartons & juice boxes (or any such cartons and aseptic packaging for drinks: ice tea, soy milk, soup, etc.).
WHAT NOT TO RECYCLE:
No food waste No plastic bags No plastic wrap or film No foam cups or containers No Needles
CURBSIDE COLLECTION TRASH AND RECYCLING PROCEDURES
Trash must be <u>bagged</u> and then placed in the 64-gallon Trash Cart. LID MUST CLOSE. You can purchase special overflow bags for trash that does not fit in the Trash Cart. Go to <u>webpage</u> for information on overflow bags. Trash is picked up weekly.
Recyclables go in the 96-gallon Recycling cart. LID MUST CLOSE. Recycling is collected every other week on the same day as the trash collection. The lid color of your recycling cart designates your collection week – green lids will be collected on the Green Weeks and blue lids will be collected on the Blue Weeks. Please see the collection schedule at

Occupant: Keep one copy for your records