RECYCLING REMINDERS

PLEASE RECYCLE RESPONSIBLY

Do not leave electronics or rechargeable batteries here, take them to a collection event or the store where they were purchased. State law now requires stores to have take-back programs, so check with the vendor.

Do not throw smoke alarms or compact fluorescents (CFLs) in the trash – they contain hazardous material. CFLs can be returned to Home Depot or Ikea. Smoke alarms and CFLs can also be taken downstairs to Suli.

Collection for hazardous waste (including CFLs, rechargeable batteries, thermostats, paint, etc.) is most Saturdays, 605 W. 30th Street (212-219-8090). Find useful info and links at www.54W16.com or http://NYC.gov/recycle.

THIS IS A FIRE EXIT

Please do not leave trash in this area, take large items to the basement.

WHAT TO RECYCLE

PAPER:

NOT SOFT PAPER such tissues, baby-wipes, napkins, paper towels;
NOT paper cups or plates, wax or plastic covered paper such as take-out containers or candy wrappers, photo paper, or hardcover books or those with spiral bindings.

ONLY: newspapers, magazines, catalogs, clean business paper, clean paper bags, envelopes, wrapping paper, soft cover books, egg cartons and clean cardboard.

PLASTICS:

NOT # 3, 4, 5, 6 or 7 plastics (like yogurt containers), plastic toys, plastic caps and lids. **NOT:** plastic bags *(but grocery stores must accept them)*.

ONLY CLEAN bottles and jugs or other containers marked **#1 or #2**.
Look at the circle of arrows on the bottom.

GLASS:

ONLY CLEAN BOTTLES, JUGS & JARS; **NOT** ceramics, glassware or mirrors.

METALS:

CLEAN cans and aluminum trays or foil; household metal (like hangers, pots, tools, curtain rods, and appliances that are over 50% metal).