



Akron

POP TAB RECYCLING FACTS

- Our Pop Tab recycling program was started in 10/2009.
- We earn an average of \$2000-\$4000 per year.
- The pop tabs are recycled locally at Metalico Annaco located on the east side of Akron.
- One pound is approximately 1280 pop tabs.
- One small house collection box holds 800 pop tabs.
- We accept pop tabs in any kind of container or bag.
- We save up and recycle 500-750 pounds of tabs for each pick up.
- The market price for the aluminum is typically 45-60 cents per pound. That earns us \$200-\$400 each pick up.

All funds generated from this program go towards a house improvement that will directly benefit our residents. We have used these funds to make the following large purchases for use by our families: a house computer for our living room, Bose Wave Radio for our dining room, a house digital camera, hot dog machine for meal prep and two Christmas trees purchased from the Akron Children's Hospital Tree Festival. For more information about this program please contact the house at 330-253-5400.

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