



# Materials Accepted at the Resource Recovery Center



Material	Examples	Special instructions
Appliances & Freon Items	Washers, dryers, water heaters, refrigerators, freezers, air conditioners, dehumidifiers, stoves, dishwashers	Drop off at no cost Request <b>curbside pick up</b> for \$25 per item
Antifreeze & Motor Oil	Used oil filters (transmission and diesel) Tighten caps and lids Do not mix oil with gasoline or antifreeze	No leaking/exposed items accepted No 5 gallon containers accepted
Batteries	<b>Accepted batteries list</b>	Alkaline batteries made after 1994 do not contain mercury and are safe to be disposed of with the regular trash Keep Lithium Ion batteries separate.
Books As of 3/13/20, the Book Shed is closed until further notice.	Books in good condition can be dropped off at the Book Shed located at the Resource Recovery Center. Take books home at no cost!	The Book Shed is managed by volunteers. <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Become a volunteer!</li></ul>
Cardboard	Cardboard can be recycled in the compactor on site Boxes do not need to be flattened	Empty pizza boxes ok No plastic bags No foam packaging



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Clothing, Bedding & Other Textiles	All types of textiles, including shoes, belts, and stuffed animals  All items must be clean and dry	No wet or mildewy textiles  No items contaminated with oil, paint, or hazardous materials
Containers from the Kitchen & Bathroom	Glass containers (clear, green and brown)  All plastic bottles with caps  Plastic food tubs  Metal cans and foil  Containers from the bathroom such as shampoo and conditioner bottles	Empty containers only  No food waste  No plastic bags  No cartons  No aseptic containers
E-Waste	Printers, fax machines, computers, laptops, tablets, chargers, computer peripherals, DVD players, cable/satellite boxes, video game consoles	TVs and computer monitors must be accompanied by <b>proof of payment</b>
Florescent Blubs	All types of fluorescent and compact bulbs  LED bulbs accepted.  Do not tape together  Do not crush	Mercury Recovery Program
<b>Household Hazardous Waste</b>	<b>Accepted Materials</b>	<b>SPECIAL EVENT COLLECTION ONLY</b>  Leave materials in their original containers  Transport in a box or bin  Keep materials away from children, pets, and other passengers



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Lawn Mowers	Remove gas and oil Accepted as scrap metal	Drop off at no cost Request <b>curbside pick up</b> for \$25 per item
Mercury Containing Devices	Thermometers, thermostats, switches, elemental mercury, and flowmeters	Do not throw away with trash Mercury is a hazardous material
Paint	Accepted May-October, M-F for the <b>Paint Exchange</b> Good, reusable latex paint and paint products.	Small amounts of paint can be dried out and disposed of with trash Oil based paints/primers/stains: <b>HHW Collection</b>
Paper	Clean, white office paper Mixed paper: junk mail, newspaper, computer paper, paperboard (cereal, cracker, shoe boxes, etc.–remove liners), folders, notebooks, phone books, etc.	Plastic windows, staples, and paper clips are acceptable No paper plates, cups, tissue paper, wax paper, or plastic bags No soiled paper
Rigid Plastics	Children's hard plastic toys, slides, and other outdoor play equipment Plastic shelving, coolers laundry baskets, buckets, barrels, bin, storage totes Rigid plastic outdoor furniture, flower pots PET and PVC blister packs	No plastic film (grocery bags, shrink wrap) - bring these items back to grocery store No flexible water hoses No oil or chemical containers No PVC pipe or vinyl sliding



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Printer Cartridges	Laser and inkjet cartridges	Can also be brought to office supply stores
Propane Tanks	Must be emptied Will also accept EMPTY helium tanks and expired fire extinguishers	1lb and 20lb tanks accepted
Scrap Metal	Metal desks, file cabinets, wire hangers, bikes, other metal pieces	
Styrofoam	Clean, dry white block Styrofoam Please break up large pieces Do not leave on ground White spongy foam (#6) also accepted	No cups, meat trays, clam-shell containers No packing peanuts or bubble wrap No pipe insulation
Sharps	Needles and lancets used at home by people and pets to treat medical conditions	Views the <b>Responsible Sharps Disposal</b> brochure to learn how to manage and dispose of sharps safely