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While the County has tried to obtain the most current information available, the contents of this Recycling Guide are subject to change and you should call first.

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Welcome,

Thanks to our residents and businesses, DuPage County continues to exceed state goals for recycling. With vast amounts of waste being generated, residents and businesses are doing their part to divert tons of material from the waste stream through recycling.

This resource guide lists a variety of options and programs available to help residents manage hazardous and other types of solid waste in an environmentally safe manner.

Most sincerely,
Robert J. Schillerstrom
Chairman, DuPage County Board

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Stoves and refrigerators are bulky and some contain CFC gases, capacitors, and other components that are hazardous to the environment. Therefore, proper disposal is critical. **Contact your waste hauler to see how large appliance pickup is handled.** When left at the curb, the door should be removed. In addition, large appliances are accepted at the businesses listed below.

**Residents located within a municipality should check with their waste hauler for disposal. These items can be picked up at the curb in most municipalities.**

**The Crusher**  
651 W. Washington St.  
West Chicago, IL  
(630) 231-6888  
Drop off large appliances such as stoves, water heaters, washers, dryers. No refrigerators or freezers accepted.

**1-800-Got-Junk**  
Call for details of pickup service.  
www.1800gotjunk.com

**Junk King**  
1-866-458-6554  
Call for details of pickup service.

**Environmental Field Service**  
1-800-480-4337  
Call for details of pickup service.  
www.efsnational.com

**ABT Electronics**  
1-800-480-4337  
1200 N. Milwaukee Ave.  
Glenview, IL 60025  
(847) 967 - 8830

**Advanced Recycling Services, LLC.**  
325 Village Drive  
Carol Stream, IL. 60188  
(630) 653-7252  
Alum. Brass, Copper, Stainless Steel, Iron, Tin, Zinc, Precious Metals, Silver Film Scrap, Gold & Platinum.  
www.advrecycle.com

**Addison Recycling**  
607 W. Winthrop Avenue  
Addison, IL. 60101  
(630) 543-9868  
Alum., Brass, Copper & non-ferrous metals

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www.advrecycle.com

**G & M Metal, Inc.**  
313 Beinoris Drive  
Wood Dale, IL. 60191  
(630) 616-1126  
Alum., Brass, Copper, Copper Wire, Stainless Steel, Iron, Zinc, Brass, and other Precious metals.  
www.gmmetal.net

**Fox Valley Iron & Metal Corp**  
637 N. Broadway  
Aurora IL, 60504  
(630) 897-5907  
Alum., Brass, Copper, Stainless Steel, & Iron)  
Mon - Fri 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.  
Saturday 8 a.m. - 12 Noon

**The Recycling Depot**  
905-9 N. Ridge  
Lombard, IL 60148  
(630) 629-8760  
Alum. Brass, Copper, Stainless Steel, & Lead Carbide.  
Mon– Fri 9:30—4:30  
Sat. - 8:30 - 1:30

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**Aluminum**

**Addison Recycling**  
607 W. Winthrop Avenue  
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Asbestos

Illinois Department of Public Health
(217) 782 - 3517

Illinois EPA Office of Small Business Helpline
(888) EPA - 1996

Small Business Environmental Assistance Helpline
(800) 252 - 3998

Also visit: http://www.epa.state.il.us/small-business/asbestos-in-home/ for more information

Automobiles - Donation

American Lung Association of Greater Chicago
(800) 583 - 4425
www.giveacar.org

Cancer Fund Of America
(800) 321 - 3023
www.charityfunding.com

Salvation Army Car Donation Program
(888) 999 - 2769
www.thesalvationarmycardonationprogram.org

Visit DuPage County website www.dupageco.org for more information on upcoming recycling events and other earth friendly opportunities including information on going green, environmental education, and DuPage environmental policies.
Automotive Products

Automotive products may only be dropped off during business hours. If service stations continue to find fluids, tires, and batteries left outside their buildings, they will not continue to offer these recycling services. Residents can also check with other automotive repair/maintenance locations in their area.

Environmental Services Garage
A.J. LaRocca Wastewater Facility
249 S. Villa Avenue
Addison, IL 60101
(630) 279-2140
Accepts used motor oil from residents at no charge. Mon. – Fri. 8 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Farnsworth Auto Service
1175 N. Farnsworth
Aurora, IL 60504
(630) 898-5510
Accepts auto, marine & motorcycle Batteries, Accepts gasoline, motor oil, And transmission fluid. Accepts waste Tires starting at $3.00 per tire depending on size.

Firestone of Wheaton
301 W. Butterfield Rd.
Wheaton, IL 60187
(630) 682-5050
Accepts all batteries, motor oil, transmission fluid, antifreeze and tires for $2.50/tire during normal business hours

Fullserv Oil Change
1500 Ogden Ave
Downers Grove, IL 60515
(630) 964-6457
Accepts motor oil, transmission fluid, differential fluid and heating oil. No anti-freeze or gasoline accepted. No leaking or uncapped bottles. 7:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. Mon.- Fri

Oil Express
6722 Route 83
Darien, IL 60559
(630) 986-9178
Accepts motor oil and transmission fluid during business hours only. Customer must take back original container. Mon - Fri 8am - 6pm Sat 8am - 5pm

Regional Household Hazardous Waste Facility Fire Station #4
1979 Brook dale Rd
Naperville, IL 60540
(630) 420-4190
Accepts motor oil, antifreeze, gasoline, transmission fluid. Sat & Sun. 9 a.m. – 2 p.m. Excluding holidays

Westside Recycling Corporation
3316 W. North Ave.
Stone Park, IL
(630) 343-8885
Batteries, Water Pumps, Alternators, Starters, Power Steering Units, Catalytic Converters, Air Conditioning Compressors Mon-Fri 7a.m. - 5:30 p.m. Sat. 7 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.

Check with your local auto repair garage to find out if they accept automotive fluids and waste tires and let us know at recycle@dupageco.org.
Check out Rechargeable Battery Recycling Corporation’s website at [www.RBRC.com](http://www.RBRC.com) for the closest location. RBRC lists recycling opportunities at select Radio Shack, Ace Hardware, Target, Office Depot, Sears, Home Depot, Lowe’s, Best Buy, Circuit City, Cingular Wireless, US Cellular, Verizon, Sam’s Club, Office Max and other retail locations.

**Batteries Unlimited**  
Addison, IL 60101  
(630) 543-5554  
Accepts rechargeable batteries of all type acid, car & truck batteries, forklift batteries, cell phone/cordless drill batteries, laptop batteries Mon. – Fri.  
8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

**Interstate Batteries**  
926 N. Oak lawn Ave.  
Elmhurst, IL 60126  
(630) 833-3696  
Accepts batteries including lead acid rechargeable, small Ni-Cad, cell phone, & Lithium Ion.  
Mon—Fri 8 a.m.—4 p.m.  
For large batteries or more than 10 call first to arrange a time for drop off. **No steel case batteries.**

**Everlights**  
9901 S. Torrence Ave.  
Chicago, IL  
(773) 734-9873  
[www.everlights.com](http://www.everlights.com)  
Accepts all batteries for a fee.

**Regional Household Hazardous Waste Facility**  
Fire Station #4  
Naperville, IL 60540  
1979 Brookdale Rd  
(630) 420-4190  
Accepts assorted household batteries.  
Sat & Sun. 9 a.m. – 2 p.m. Excluding holidays

**Blackstone**  
6100 S. Blackstone Ave  
Chicago, IL 60608  
(773) 241 - 5458 Owen  
(312) 213 - 0778 Dan

**Working Bikes**  
2434 S. Western Ave  
Chicago, IL 60608  
(312) 421 - 5048  
[www.workingbikes.org](http://www.workingbikes.org)

**Books**

For information on reuse and recycling of textbooks and other books, visit the SCRAP Book Rescue Program website at [www.bookrescue.org](http://www.bookrescue.org) or call (630) 545-9710. You can also recycle paperback books with household recycling. Check with resale shops listed in this Guide or near you if they are accepting books.


**Bubble Wrap/Packing Peanuts/Cardboard**

**The UPS Store #5996**  
2206 N Main St.  
Wheaton, IL 60187  
(630) 784 - 0308  
Mon - Friday 8 a.m. - 7 p.m.  
Saturday: 9 a.m. - 2 p.m.

**The UPS Store #0398**  
551 Roosevelt Rd  
Glen Ellyn, IL 60137  
(630) 858 - 7571  
Mon - Fri 8 a.m. - 7 p.m.  
Saturday: 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.

**The UPS Store #1704**  
1879 N. Neltnor Blvd.  
NE Corner IL59 & IL64  
West Chicago, IL 60185  
(630) 876-0200  
Mon - Fri 8:30 a.m. - 7 p.m.  
Sat. 9 a.m.—5 p.m.

### Carpet Recycling

**PCI Flortech, INC**  
910 West National Avenue  
Addison, IL  
(630) 458-0760

Drop-off hours are from 8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday. Check-in at the front desk for directions. The carpet must be dry and free from all other construction materials. Cost is $1.00 per square yard payable by Visa, MasterCard, cash or personal check at time of drop off.

### Cartridges/Ribbons (Inkjet Cartridges)

**DuPage County Human Services**  
421 N. County Farm Rd. Wheaton IL, 60187  
(630) 407 - 6500

Drop them off at the security desk of the 421 Administration building or on the 2nd floor in the cafeteria.

**Affordable Inkjets**  
(630) 521-9671  
affordableinkjets@aol.com

Pick-up available at schools, churches, and companies who donate to a school of their choice. No sorting is involved. $1.00 for each virgin cartridge is given to the school.

**Best Buy/Office Depot/Staples**  
Recycling kiosks at all stores, just inside the door, for cell phones, rechargeable batteries and ink-jet /cartridges.

**Hewlett Packard**  
HP inkjet or laser jet cartridges, rechargeable batteries [www.hp.com/recycle](http://www.hp.com/recycle).

**Cartridge World**  
(630) 893-6300
Recycles ink & toner cartridges and accepts electronic items (printers, copiers, computers, etc.) Call for details.
**Cellular Phones**

**Human Services**  
421 N. County Farm Rd  
Wheaton, IL 60185  
(630) 407-6500  
You can drop them off at the security desk in the 421 building or also on the 2nd floor in the cafeteria.

**S.C.A.R.C.E**  
799 Roosevelt Rd., Bldg #2, Suite #108;  
Glen Ellyn, IL 60137  
(630) 545-9710.  
Call for drop off hours.  

**Family Shelter Service Admin. Office**  
605 E. Roosevelt Rd  
Wheaton, IL 60188  
(630) 221- 8290

**Central Store**  
1512 Naper. Blvd Suite 172  
Naperville, IL 60563  
(630) 955 - 9599

**It’s Our Earth**  
127 N. Main St.  
Wheaton, IL 60187  
(630) 668-3800

Many cellular phone providers will accept phones at their retail locations. Cellular phones are also collected for charitable organizations. Check out the earth911.org website for information on these organizations and how to donate your cellular phone.

**Compact Fluorescent Bulbs**

The Home Depot store is offering a free in-store drop off for compact fluorescent light bulbs. Bring in any bulb place them in a plastic bag and deposit them both in the bright orange collection units in any Home Depot store in the United States. Please contact your local store for questions.  
http://www6.homedepot.com/ecooptions/index.html?

Select Ace Hardware Stores also accept compact fluorescent light bulbs. You can contact your local store if you have any questions.

- **Ace Hardware**  
  806 W. Army Trail Rd.  
  Carol Stream, IL 60188  
  (630) 213-3400

- **Len’s Ace**  
  30 W. Lake  
  Addison, IL 60101  
  (630) 543-8882

- **Mel’s Ace**  
  1028 York Rd.  
  Elmhurst, IL 60126  
  (630) 279-1117

- **Bales Lumber & Supply**  
  20 E. Quincy  
  Westmont, IL 60559  
  (630) 968-6100

- **Ace Hardware**  
  145 E. 1st St.  
  Elmhurst, IL 60126  
  (630) 833-7970

- **Murphy’s Ace**  
  319 S Rt.59  
  West Chicago, IL 60185  
  (630) 213-2700
Habitat for Humanity
Call (847) 249 - 3160 (distribution center) for list of items needed. Accepts building materials, construction tools, pallet jacks, cabinets, siding, tile, paintbrushes.

Habitat ReStore
800 N. State St.  
Elgin, IL 60120  
(847) 742-9905
Wed – Fri 9am - 6pm Sat 9am - 4pm
Donations of new and gently used home improvement materials accepted including furniture, appliances and kitchen cabinets removed in remodeling. Donated items are offered for sale at Restore with proceeds benefiting Habitat for Humanity in the area. See web site for listing of items accepted, hours and location. **Call before dropping off.**

Salvation Army
Call (888) 5– PICKUP (574 - 2587) Accepts tools and supplies. Does **not** accept wood.

Murco Recycling
For further information, please contact Jodi Murphy at (708) 352-4111 or visit [www.murco.net](http://www.murco.net)

Sobie Demolition
[http://www.sobiedemolition.com](http://www.sobiedemolition.com)

Demolition Sales
[www.demolitionsales.com](http://www.demolitionsales.com)

Crush-Crete, Inc.
600 S. Lombard Rd.  
Addison, IL 60101  
(630) 627-1713
Accepts: Asphalt and concrete for a fee  
Mon - Fri 7am - 4pm for a fee

K. Hoving Recycling & Disposal
2351 Powis Rd  
West Chicago, IL 60185  
(630) 377-7000
Accepts: Asphalt, brick, concrete, wood, wood pallets, shingles, plastic, ferrous & non ferrous metals and cardboard from construction or a fee.

Neil’s Hauling
820 Meadowview Crossing, #2  
West Chicago, IL 60185  
(630) 665-8686
Accepts: Asphalt, brick, concrete, wood, wood pallets, shingles, plastic, ferrous & non ferrous metals and cardboard from construction for a fee.

West Side Recycling Corp.
3316 W. North Ave.  
Stone Park, IL  
(708) 343-8885
Hours: Mon. – Fri. 7 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.  
Sat. 7 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.
Accepts: Aluminum siding, extruded aluminum, copper, brass, insulated wire.  
[www.westsidercycling.com](http://www.westsidercycling.com)
Crayon Recycling

S.C.A.R.C.E
799 Roosevelt Rd., Bldg #2, Suite 108
Glen Ellyn, IL
(630) 545-9710
www.s-c-a-r-c-e.org

LAF Lines, LTD
721 Village Rd
Pelican Lake, WI 54463
(800) 561 - 0922
www.crazycrayons.com

Electronics

ABT Electronics
1200 N. Milwaukee Ave
Glenview, IL 60025
(847) 967 - 8830
Accepts: TVs, computers, fax machines, VCRs, DVD players, refrigerators, & air conditioners. For more info on drop-off charge, go to www.abt.com
Thurs - Sat: 2 pm - 7 pm

Com2 Computer
1196 S. Main St.  195 Kehoe Blvd
Lombard, IL 60148  Carol Stream, IL
(630) 544 - 1708 (630)544-1708
Accepts: All kinds of electronics, we do not charge for non - for profits or schools.
Mon - Fri: 9am - 6pm, Sat 11am - 2pm
www.com2computer.com

HOBI International, Inc.
1202 Nagel Blvd.
Batavia, IL 60510
(630) 761-0500
Accepts: Computers, electronics, telephones & cell phones. Fees charged for certain items - call for details.
Mon - Fri: 8 am - 4 pm
www.hobi.com

Micomp
2700 Carl Blvd.
Elk Grove Village, IL 60007
(847) 860-4607
Accepts: Computers, printers, servers, network equipment at no charge for residential recycling (do not accept CRT monitors). Drop offs accepted Mon – Fri: 9 am - 4:30 pm For commercial recycling, call for details.

MRK Group Ltd.
801 N. State St., Unit C
Elgin, IL 60120
(847) 468-1700 ext. 2213
www.mrkgroup.com
Accepts: Monitors, printers, computers and laptops ,CDs, diskettes, data cartridges, cassette tapes, video tapes $5-$15. Last Friday of every month, users may drop off older computer equipment at no charge. There is a 10 item limit. Form from website must be completed prior to attending the event.

Air Cycle
(800) 909-9709
www.aircycle.com
Accepts: Electronic waste and electronic scrap including computers and office equipment. Conducts transporting and recycling of equipment (commercial recycling only, not available to residents).

Belmont Technology
1401 Mark St.
Elk Grove Village, IL 60007
(847) 750-9354
Accepts: Ink cartridges & ribbons $.15/lb, computers electronics and printers $10.00/each, computer monitors $15/each, CD’s, diskettes, cassette tapes, video tapes etc. $.15/lb Contact Mike Gianneschi before dropping off any recycling at 847-750-9354 or email at mike@belmont-trading.com

Cartridge World
358 W Army Trail Rd
Bloomingdale, IL 60108
(630) 893-6300
Recycles ink and toner cartridges, free of charge.
Peoples Resource Center
201 Naperville Rd.
Wheaton, IL 60187
(630) 682 - 5402
Accepts: Working Windows-compatible computers at least Pentium 4 or equivalent; working monitors no bigger than 17”. All information is wiped from the hard drive before re-using any donated computers. For more information contact John Victor ext. 247 or visit www.peoplesrc.org (donate tab, in-kind donations).

SIMS Recycling Solutions, Inc.
1600 Harvester
West Chicago, IL 60185
(630) 231-6060
www.simsrs-na.com
Accepts: computers, monitors, televisions, printers, cell phones, cables, keyboards, mice, fax machines, MP3 players, PDAs, video game consoles, VCRs, DVD players, zip drives, and scanners. No items with liquids, contained gases or refrigerants. For commercial recycling, call for details (no residential recycling).

Supply Chain Services
250 W North Ave.
Lombard, IL 60148
(630) 629-9344
www.supply-chainservices.com
Drop off: Mon.- Fri. 8:30 am - 5 p.m (closed 12-1), except Wed 8:30 am - 3:30 pm (closed 12-1)
Accepts: Computer systems, monitors, office equipment, telecommunication equipment, audio systems, small home appliances, TVs, electronic media, cartridges and ribbons. For commercial recycling, call for fees and details (no residential recycling drop off).

For local partnerships with municipalities, check the County’s website under ‘Waste & Recycling’. These local partnerships are offered free of charge to residents for personal equipment (no commercial recycling).

Unitec Recycling Corporation
390 Wegner Drive, Unit A
West Chicago, IL 60185
Ph. (630) 562-5220
www.unitecrecyclingcorp.com
Accepts: Computer systems, monitors printers, laptops, peripherals, electronic office equipment, telecommunication equipment, phones, cell phones, fax machines, copiers, and audio/video equipment (do not accept TVs) For commercial recycling, service charge for monitors by size, $5, $8, & $10. Residential recycling at no charge, drop-off Mon - Sat 9 am - 5 pm
For large quantities or sizes, call Jeff Pointec at (630) 562-5220.

Goodwill Industries
Accepting equipment at select locations. Contact your local store or visit www.goodwillpromo.org.

Dell Computers
www.dell.com/recycle

Hewlett Packard
www.hp.com/recycle

Office Depot
www.officedepot.com

Staples
www.staples.com

Hewlett Packard
www.hp.com/recycle

OfficeMax
www.officemax.com

www.dupageco.org
## Eyeglasses

**Lens crafters Stores:**

- [www.lenscrafters.com](http://www.lenscrafters.com)
  - Stratford Square
    - 102 Stratford
    - Bloomingdale, IL 60108
    - (630) 893 - 7608
  - Butterfield Plaza
    - 1402 Butterfield Rd.
    - Downers Grove, IL 60515
    - (630) 629 - 2025

**Pearle Vision Centers**

- [www.pearlevision.com](http://www.pearlevision.com)
  - High Pointe Centre
    - 581 Roosevelt Rd.
    - Lombard, IL 60148
    - (630) 916 - 8282
  - Naperville
    - 680 S Rt. 59
    - Naperville, IL 60540
    - (630) 357 - 7710

## Flags

**American Flags Express Inc**

- 12577 West Custer Avenue
  - Butler, WI 53007
- Contact your local American Legion, in your area to dispose of a flag.

**Cantigny Park**

- 1S151 Winfield Rd.
  - Wheaton, IL
- Drop off at the Visitor’s Center or with Security Office during park hours.

**It’s Our Earth**

- 127 N. Main St.
  - Wheaton, IL 60187
- Phone: (630) 668-3800
- Fax: (630) 282-7191
- [http://itsourearth.com/](http://itsourearth.com/)

## Fluorescent Lamp Recycling

**Air Cycle Corporation**

- (800) 909-9709 Recycling Nationwide
- [www.aircycle.com](http://www.aircycle.com) or [www.lamprecycle.com](http://www.lamprecycle.com)

**Everlights**

- 8500 W. 191st St. Ste. 1
  - Mokena, IL
  - (815) 469-0631
  - [www.everlights.com](http://www.everlights.com)

**Fluorecycle, Inc.**

- [www.fluorecycle.com](http://www.fluorecycle.com)

**HazChem Environmental Corp.**

- 1115 West National Drive
  - Addison, IL 60101
  - (630) 458-1910

**Mercury Waste Solutions Inc.**

- [www.mwsi.com](http://www.mwsi.com)
- 21211 Durand Ave.
  - Union Grove, WI
- (800) 741-3343 pickup
- (800) 664-1434 pre-paid postage boxes

**Fluorecycle, Inc.**

- [www.fluorecycle.com](http://www.fluorecycle.com)

- 27780 W. Concrete Dr., Unit A
  - Ingleside, IL
- (815) 363-4411 phone
- (815) 363-4422 fax
### Furniture Donations

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**Salvation Army**

www.salvationarmy.org

Call (888) 5 - PICKUP (574 - 2587) for pick up.

Contact local stores in your area or visit [www.goodwill.com](http://www.goodwill.com), [www.svdpusa.org](http://www.svdpusa.org), & [www.sharingconnections.org](http://www.sharingconnections.org).

### Heating Oil Tank Removal

**Cicero Oil Company**

6259 S. Kenneth Ave.

Niles, IL

(847) 486-0064

www.cicero-oil.com

### Helium Tanks

**Balloon Time**

(877) 324-4091

www.balloontime.com

Visit the website above for instructions on disposal of helium tanks.

### Household Hazardous Waste

**Regional Household Hazardous Waste Facility**

1979 Brookdale Road, Fire Station #4, Naperville, IL

[www.naperville.il.us](http://www.naperville.il.us)

Saturdays and Sundays except holidays 9 a.m. – 2 p.m.

Businesses, institutions, governments, non-profits and other non-household entities may **NOT** drop off waste at this facility. Household hazardous waste includes only materials purchased for cleaning or maintaining a home.

**Accepts**: Oil-based paint, stain, varnish, solvents, automotive fluids, aerosol cans, household cleaners, mercury, poisons, pesticides, insecticides, flammables, household batteries, sealed fluorescent light bulbs and tubes, hobby chemicals, expired and unused prescription medications.

**Not Accepted**: Latex paint, smoke detectors, fire extinguishers, electronics, propane tanks, compressed gas cylinders and ammunition. Any waste from a business, school, government or non-profit.

The facility is located approximately 1 mile south of I-88 toll way off of IL RT 59. Turn east onto Brookdale Rd. from IL RT 59.
Latex Paint

The Illinois Environmental Protection Agency has determined that latex paint is not toxic and therefore, latex paint is no longer accepted at household hazardous waste collection events or the regional household hazardous waste disposal facility. The DuPage County Latex Paint Program has ended and is no longer taking place.

Things you can do with extra latex paint:

- Keep painting! Continue painting the wall until the paint is used up.
- Paint something! A piece of cardboard can be painted until the paint is gone.
- Store it for later. You can wrap the opening with plastic wrap and replace and secure the lid. Store the paint upside down. This provides a tighter seal. Prevent from freezing.
- Dry it! You can use an absorbent like kitty litter, sawdust, shredded paper or anything else that will absorb moisture. Once dried, the can be disposed with regular garbage service. Leave the lid off so the driver can see that the can is dry. Waste haulers will not accept liquid paint. It can leak in the truck, onto the street or driveway or at the waste transfer station.

Commercial additives to dry the paint are available in most hardware stores. Check in the paint department.

Medications/Medicines

Stericycle
1-800-355-8773
Stericycle operates a mail back program. Information can be obtained by calling or by visiting their website at www.stericycle.com/sharps.

Waste Management and Sharps Compliance Inc.
1-877-WASTEMD
Waste Management and Sharps Compliance Inc. are working together to assist in the proper disposal of needles. Call or visit the website at http://www.wastemd.com/ for information.

Hearing Aids (Donations):
HEAR NOW
6700 Washington Avenue South
Eden Prairie, MN 55344

Unused/Expired Medicines
Check out the County’s website for drop off sites throughout the County www.dupageco.org.
IEPA Hotline
(888) 372-1996

Illinois Department of Public Health
Questions related to mercury spills, management or removal.
(217) 782 - 5830

For business hazardous waste or spill cleanup:

Clean Harbors
(800) OIL-TANK

R3 Environmental Management
(800) 969-9052

Heritage Environmental
(630) 739-1151

SITE Environmental Services, Inc.
(815) 464-6560

SET Environmental Inc.
(800) 634-6856

Veolia Environmental
(618) 218-1756

HazChem
(630) 458-1910

North Branch
(630) 529-0240

ENMARC & Associates
(888) 436-6272

Performance Site Environmental
(630) 820-6443

Disc Replay
348 W. Army Trail Rd
Bloomingdale, IL 60108
(630) 671 - 0454

Green Disk
(800) 305 - DISK
www.greendisk.com

It’s Our Earth
127 N. Main St.
Wheaton, IL 60187
(630) 668-3800
Accepts floppy disks

Recycle for Breast Cancer
(800) 315-9580
www.recycleforbreastcancer.com

Second Systems
1040 W Thorndale
Itasca, IL 60143
(630) 250 - 7555
www.secondsystems.com
Buys & Sells new and used furniture.

S.C.A.R.C.E
799 Roosevelt Rd., Bldg #2,
Suite #108;
Glen Ellyn, IL 60137
(630) 545-9710.
Accepts items suitable for non-profits and schools. CALL FIRST.
Paper Shredding

Cintas
2600 S. 25th Ave
Broadview, IL 60155
(708) 345 - 8392
www.cintas.com
Onsite mobile shredding and material drop off.

Docu Shred
125 Prairie Suite 2
Westmont, IL 60559
(630) 986-5411
Mon - Fri: 8am - 5pm

Citadel Information Management
827 Blackhawk Dr.
Westmont, IL 60559
(630) 323-1540
Onsite mobile shredding and material drop-off. Also recycles plastic materials.

Accurate Document Destruction
2500 Landmeier Rd.
Elk Grove, IL
(800) 407-4733
www.shred.net

Plastic Bags

Jewel Foods, Dominick's, Wal-Mart, Whole Foods

Check for local store for participation.

Plastic bags **ARE NOT** accepted in curbside recycling programs.

Propane Tanks and Fire Extinguishers

Propane cylinders and tanks are hazardous because they are pressurized with a flammable gas and must be managed with special care. Small propane cylinders (used with camping stoves, etc.) **must be empty and depressurized** in order to be disposed of in the regular trash.

Amerigas Propane
4158 Division
Hillside, IL 60162
(708) 544-1131
Accepts propane cylinders between 4 and 100 lbs.
Mon - Fri: 6am to 4:30pm

The Crusher
651 W. Washington St.
West Chicago, IL
(630) 231-6888
Drop off empty propane cylinders, propane tanks.

Check with your local tank exchange program to see if they will accept used propane cylinders.
Recycling Drop - Off Centers

Addison Recycling Station
711 N. Addison Rd.
North Wastewater Treatment Plant
(630) 279-2140
Mon. – Fri. 8 a.m. – 3 p.m. and Sat. 8 a.m. – 11 a.m. (Oct.—March)
Mon. - Fri. 8 a.m. - 7 p.m. and Sat. 8 a.m. - 11 a.m. (April—Sept. )

Accepts: Newspaper, corrugated cardboard, paperboard (chipboard), high grade paper, mixed paper (junk mail), magazines and catalogs, telephone books, wet strength carrier stock, frozen food packaging, aseptic packaging (juice boxes), gable top containers (milk & juice cartons), glass bottles and jars, aluminum cans, foil and baking pans, steel and bi-metal cans, formed steel containers, empty aerosol cans, empty paint cans (no paint residue), #1 PETE plastic bottles, #1 PETE custom containers, #2 HDPE plastic bottles, #2 HDPE custom containers.

Waste Management Recycle America of DuPage
550 N. Center Ave.; Carol Stream
(630) 752-1610
Open 24 hours/day

Accepts: Newspaper, corrugated cardboard, paperboard (chipboard), high grade paper, mixed paper (junk mail), magazines and catalogs, telephone books, wet strength carrier stock, frozen food packaging, glass bottles and jars, aluminum cans, foil and baking pans, steel and bi-metal cans, formed steel containers, empty aerosol cans, empty paint cans (no paint residue), #1 PETE plastic bottles, #1 PETE custom containers, #2 HDPE plastic bottles, #2 HDPE custom containers, #3 & #4 plastic bottles, #5 & #7 plastic containers, 6- pack and 12-pack rings and plastic grocery bags. Some resale shops may provide pickup as well as drop-off services so be sure to call first. Donations should be in usable/working condition unless otherwise noted. Check your local yellow pages for other resale shops in your area.

Resale & Reuse

Divine Treasures
7 S Prospect
Clarendon Hills, IL 60514
(630) 325-1183
Hours: (630) 325 - 1183
Accepts: Small furniture & collectibles.

Elmhurst Memorial Hospital Guild Resale Shop
(Pink Elephant)
121 W. First St.
Elmhurst, IL 60126
(630) 834-7379
Hours: Mon. – Sat. 10 a.m. – 4 p.m.
Accepts: Books (no textbooks), clothing, house wares, furniture, toys, jewelry.

Hope Chest – Wayside Cross
36 N. Lincoln Ave.
Aurora, IL 60504
(630) 892-2785
Hours: M-F 9 a.m. – 5:45 p.m. and Sat. 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.
Accepts: Books, records, CDs, DVDs, (no software), good usable household goods, working appliances (no computers), home décor, vehicles, sporting goods and bath/kitchen fixtures, unstained mattresses.

It’s Our Earth
127 N. Main St.
Wheaton, IL 60187
(630) 668-3800
Accepts: Juice drink pouches, snack chip and cookie packages, coffee bags, fabric upholstery, men’s neck ties, record albums, non-electric type writers, cash registers, adding machines, vintage apparel and accessory items.
Resale & Reuse Cont.

DuPage County Convalescent Center
Accepts: Dishware, household items, seasonal decorations, wall art, craft items, clothing, jewelry, electronics, toys, small appliances & furniture.
The proceeds benefit the residents.
(630) 784-4260

Jubilee Furniture Co
610 E. North Ave.
Carol Stream, IL 60188
(630) 337-1467
Hours: Mon - Fri. 3pm to 8pm & Sat 9am - 4pm
Accepts: furniture, mattresses, microwaves, file cabinets, & desk chairs.

S.C.A.R.C.E.
799 Roosevelt Rd., Bldg #2, Suite108
Glen Ellyn, IL 60137
(630) 545-9710
Accepts: Cell phones, large Altoid and other brand metal boxes for crayon project; working overhead projectors and other usable office supplies for schools. MUST CALL IN ADVANCE.

Second Chance Resale Shops
Central Store
1512 Naper Blvd. Suite 172
Naperville, IL 60563
(630) 955-9599

South Store
1131 Fairview Ave
Westmont, IL 60559
(630) 241 - 7268
Hours: Tue & Thurs: 10-8
Wend, Fri, Sat: 10-5
Sunday & Monday: Closed

Sharing Connections
5111 Chase Ave
Downers Grove, IL 60515
(630) 971-0565
Hours: Mon - Fri 9am - 3pm
Saturday 9am - noon or schedule an appointment for the furniture to be picked up at your home by calling (630) 971 - 0565 x300
Accepts: Furniture & household goods.

St. Johns Pennywise Shoppe
750 Aurora Ave.
Naperville, IL 60540
(630) 355-0467
Hours: Tues, Wed. 10 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.
Thurs. Noon – 7 p.m., Friday Noon – 3 p.m.

St. Vincent DePaul
213 Main St.
West Chicago, IL 60185
(630) 562-4801
Hours: 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.
Accepts: Books, household goods, clothing, furniture, small operating appliances, sporting goods, toys and mattresses without stains.
No magazines.

Various locations throughout DuPage County
U'SAgain
Call (630)293-1239 for nearest drop box location.
www.usagain.com

School Supplies

S.C.A.R.C.E.
799 Roosevelt Rd. Bldg #2 Suite 108
Glen Ellyn, IL 60137
(630) 545 - 9710
They accept overhead projectors, & other office supplies, that teachers need for there classrooms & students. MUST CALL IN ADVANCE.
Scrap Metal

Addison Recycling
607 Winthrop Ave. Unit 2
Addison, IL
(630) 543-9868
Hours: Mon. – Fri. 9 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.
Sat. 9 a.m. – 1 p.m.
Accepts: aluminum, brass, copper w/iron, lead, nickel, and carbide. Materials should be separated.

The Crusher
651 W. Washington St.
West Chicago, IL
(630) 231-6888
Drop off assorted metal items.

Fox Valley Iron & Metal Corp.
637 N. Broadway
Aurora, IL
(630) 897-5907
Hours: Mon. – Fri. 8 a.m. – 4 p.m.
Sat. 8 a.m. – noon
Accepts: All scrap metals including aluminum, brass, copper, stainless steel and iron, lead acid batteries, appliances not containing refrigerant, gold and silver.

S&S Metal Recyclers
336 E. Sullivan Rd.
Aurora, IL
(630) 844-3344
Accepts ferrous metals: steel, cast iron, etc. and nonferrous metals: copper, brass, aluminum, wire and cable.
Mon. – Fri. 7:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.
Sat. 7:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

The Recycling Depot
905-9 N. Ridge
Lombard, IL
(630) 629-8760
Hours: Mon. – Fri. 9:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.
Sat. 8:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.
Accepts: Aluminum, brass, copper, stainless steel, aluminum cans, lead and carbide.

West Side Recycling Corp.
3316 W. North Ave.
Stone Park, IL
(708) 343-8885
Hours: Mon. – Fri. 7 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.
Sat. 7 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.
Accepts: All scrap metals including aluminum, brass, copper, steel, stainless steel and iron. Also accepts lead-acid batteries and auto parts/cores.
www.westsidercycling.com

Tires

Many local auto repair or automotive sales retail outlets accept waste tires. You can also see the “Automotive Products” section on page 6 of this Guide for listings

X - Ray’s

Cardinal Recycling
2600 Beyer Rd.
Morris, IL 60450
(815) 416-1499
http://www.cardinalrecycling.com/services.html
DuPage Yard Waste
1195 W. Washington St.
West Chicago
(630) 876-8900
Accepts: Grass clippings, branches, leaves etc. Call for rates and hours.

Land & Lakes Co. Willow Ranch Facility
1371 N. Joliet Rd.
Romeoville
(630) 739-0398
Accepts: Grass clippings, branches, leaves etc. Call for rates and hours.

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