

Curbside Recycling Programs

Participate in an easy, efficient way to divert useful resources from our local landfill. Vendor will deliver container and provide a list of materials accepted. See information under "Drop-off Centers" for tips.

Bartonville: Eagle Enterprises 888-932-2936
Brimfield: Wigand Disposal 309-274-4589
Chillicothe: Wigand Disposal 309-274-4589
Dunlap: Wigand Disposal 309-274-4589
Elmwood: G & O Disposal 309-742-4177
Hanna City: G & O Disposal 309-742-4177
Peoria (no fee) Peoria Disposal Co. 309-674-5176
Peoria Heights: Eagle Enterprises 888-932-2936
Princeville: Eagle Enterprises 888-932-2936
West Peoria: Waste Management 800-964-8988
Xwaste (Xwaste customers) 309-353-4388

Businesses can also participate in single-stream recycling programs.

Reuse Opportunities

Excel Recycled Office Furniture	Goodwill Donation Centers
Peoria Architectural Salvage	ReStore Habitat for Humanity
Salvation Army	South Side Mission Mart
Whiskey City Architectural Salvage	Local thrift /consignment stores

City/County Landfill

11501 W Cottonwood Rd, Edwards. Use Rt. 8
(1 mile west of Wildlife Prairie Park)

Open 7am-4pm[♦]M-F and 7am-noon[♦] Sat. (closed holidays)
[♦] last truck allowed 30 minutes before close

309-565-4281

All loads must be secured: tarped or tied down

Peoria County residents may discard one load of **eligible** materials at the City/County Landfill at no charge each week. Restrictions include:

- Only residential refuse from private home **and**
- May not exceed pickup truck capacity **and**
- Must weigh less than 580 pounds. (updated 2018)

Materials **not eligible** for this program include:

- Building materials (including wood), construction/demolition debris, siding, roofing materials, or windows.
- Televisions and specific electronics are banned from Illinois landfills (See Electronics section for list)

Drop-off Centers

MATERIALS ACCEPTED***

Paper - newspaper, paperboard (cereal or beverage boxes), catalogs, magazines, phone books, junk mail, office paper
no paper cups, napkins or towels

Cardboard - flatten boxes; *no wax coating nor food contaminated*

Cartons - beverage cartons like milk or juice; flatten cartons

Glass - bottles and jars that are clear, brown or green;
no window glass, drinking glasses, mirrors, or cookware

Metal - aluminum and steel (tin) cans, aluminum foil and foil pans

Plastic - containers labeled #1- #5 & 7;
no bags, Styrofoam, toys, straws/lids, or plastic utensils

***Deposit only specified materials to keep programs in place.

Placing anything else in bins or carts is "*Wish-cycling*" - the most expensive disposal method of all.

Empty and rinse all containers of residual food or product.

Do not need to remove tape or labels from packaging.

Do not need to remove staples from paper.

PLEASE DO NOT DEPOSIT
any plastic bags, Styrofoam, food contaminated items,
window glass, furniture, carpet, or garbage.

Brimfield Library, 111 S Galena

Chillicothe/Wigand Disposal customers
19908 IL Rt. 29, Chillicothe

Edwards—Peoria City/County Landfill
11501 W Cottonwood Rd.

Kickapoo (does not accept glass)
Kickapoo Township Bldg, 10025 W US Rt.150

Mossville/Chillicothe
Midwest Fiber, 11709 N Galena Rd.

Pekin**
Area Recycling Inc., 14379 Illinois Rt. 9 South
**Call 309 925-5511 for more Tazewell County sites.

Peoria
CLOSED Northpoint Shopping Center & Sterling Bazaar sites

Princeville
Highway North Station, 9291 Parks School Rd.

Not all glass is the same. For example, window glass, mirrors and light bulbs contain chemicals that make them unsuitable for reuse at your recycling plant. Drinking glasses have a different chemical composition and melting point compared to container glass. Mixing the two together can cause abnormalities and fracture points in newly recycled glass, making it hazardous and unreliable. Unfortunately, broken glass is NOT recyclable.

Thanks to **YOUR** commitment to the **4Rs**, we can realize benefits for our environment, public health, & economy.

Recyclables are created with precious natural resources that still have value. Recapturing materials into valuable raw materials, recycling creates jobs, reduces pollution, extends life of current landfills, saves natural resources and energy, and stimulates the economy through market development and green technology.

With your help, we are diverting more waste from our landfills. Every ton that we put in the landfill represents a missed opportunity to recycle and utilize resources to their full potential.

Reduce—buy what you need

Reuse—use materials again and again

Recycle—collect materials and produced into new items

Rot—compost landscape & food waste for soil

Local vendors depend on clean products to get a competitive commodity price. **Contamination** significantly increases the cost to process recyclables. Don't toss questionable items in bin hoping they can somehow be recycled. It wastes time, money, and creates more waste. Follow the guidelines as to what is accepted.

Check out peoriacounty.org/recycle for updates, environmental information, and events.

The Illinois EPA website has additional opportunities for citizens. View www2.illinois.gov/epa/pages/default.aspx

Another useful directory to find information is www.earth911.com

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Peoria County

RECYCLING GUIDE

RECYCLING GUIDELINES

YES!

Clean & Empty
Replace lids & caps



Find local recycling solutions for your home, school, and business.

Building Sustainable Communities

Call or click first for:

Fees

Specific materials accepted

Material limits

Days/times open

Programs may be changed by businesses and not reflected in this edition of the brochure. Brochure prepared by Peoria County's Sustainability and Resource Conservation Office. Peoria County does not endorse one company over another. If you provide recycling related services and wish to be listed, please call **309-679-6690**. Check out peoriacounty.org/recycle for updates/event information.

Appliances

Allied Iron & Steel - 2411 W Clark St., Peoria

Alter Trading (former Behr) - 2424 W Clark St., Peoria
Accepts: dehumidifiers, metal cans, scrap metal, and string holiday lights

ReStore - 804 W Main St & 4912 N University, Peoria 309-676-8402
working items for donation only.

Check local scrap metal companies

Ameren Illinois customers - full size, working refrigerator or freezer. Call 1-844-379-0047 or sign up online. \$50 reward

Batteries

Lead-acid batteries (car, boat, motorcycle):

Interstate All Battery - 4530 Brandywine, Peoria

Advance Auto Parts

Autozone

Batteries Plus Bulbs - 8001 N University, Peoria

Check with your local auto parts stores

Rechargeable battery drop-off locations:

Batteries Plus Bulbs, Best Buy, Home Depot,
Interstate All Battery, Lowe's, Sears

Call 2 Recycle - www.call2recycle.org

Ni-Cd (button batteries) and **LED**

Batteries Plus Bulbs - 8001 N University, Peoria

Interstate All Battery - 4530 Brandywine, Peoria

Books

Reuse: **The Book Nook; Lit. on Fire Used Books; The Book Rack**

Recycle: **Midwest Fiber and Area Recycling Inc.**

Cartridges—Ink and Toner

Best Buy, Kuusakoski, Office Depot/Max, Target, and TDT (Top Dollar Toner) - 309-694-6365

Cell Phones

Cell phone service providers may accept phones.

Alter Trading, Best Buy, Target, Goodwill Donation Stores, Interstate All Battery

Compact Fluorescent Lights

Ace Hardware - 8903 N Knoxville Ave., Peoria

Bartonville Hardware - 1201 W Garfield Ave.

Batteries Plus Bulbs - 8001 N University, Peoria
+Batteries Plus Bulbs accepts fluorescent tubes for a fee

Home Depot ♦ **Lowe's** ♦ **Menards**

Nena's Hardware - 1415 W Forrest Hill, Peoria

Electronics

Following is a complete list of electronics **banned** from Illinois landfills effective January 2012 as specified in the Illinois Electronic Products Recycling and Reuse Act:

Televisions, Computers, Monitors, Keyboards/Mice, Printers, Scanners, VCR & DVD Equipment, MP3 Players, Video Games Consoles, Small Servers, Digital Converter Boxes, Fax Machines & Satellite/Cable Receivers^A

^A**Program change for 2019** - Counties can opt in to a manufacturer supported program. Peoria opted for four 1-day events for FY2019.

Due to decline in markets, vendors will charge a fee to recycle TVs and monitors at permanent sites and at one-day events. Charges range from \$10-\$40 per TV/monitor.

As each vendor's list of accepted items may change, see their website for complete list of items accepted.

Kuusakoski

2022 W Townline Rd, Peoria 309-691-5015
www.kuusakoski.us/recycling-services

Accepts: TVs (all sizes) and monitors for a fee.

Accepts: Computers, printers, scanners, A/V equipment, gaming systems, keyboards, mice, phones, mixers, toasters, cables/power supply cords, copiers, digital cameras, and many other items at no cost.

Advanced Technology Recycling (ATR)

Accepting materials only from businesses—**no residential items**
815-844-7779 www.atrecycle.com

Alter Trading Corp. (former Behr)

3213 SW Washington St, Peoria 309-637-5138

Accepts: Computers & components, hand held electronics - MP3 players, dehumidifiers, cell phones

Does not accept TVs or monitors

Best Buy

5001 N Big Hollow Rd., Peoria www.bestbuy.com/ecycle

Accepts: TVs (up to 32") and monitors for a fee.

Accepts: computers, printers, scanners, A/V equip., MP3s, gaming systems, cell phones, at no cost. Limit 3 items per day.

Goodwill Donation Centers

1409 W Pioneer Pkwy, 3905 N University, 9915 N Knoxville Ave, Peoria
www.reconnectpartnership.com

Accepts: computers, monitors, laptops, tablets, keyboards, mice, cords, printers, scanners, cell phones and ink/toner cartridges

Does not accept TVs

Medications/Prescriptions

Bartonville Police Station - 5918 S Adams St.

Chillicothe Police Station - 823 N 2nd St.

Peoria Police Station - 600 SW Adams St.

Peoria County Courthouse - 324 Main St., Main St. Lobby, Peoria

Peoria County Jail - 301 N Maxwell Rd, Peoria

Peoria Heights Police Station - 1311 E Sciota

OSF HealthCare (hospital lobby) - 530 NE Glen Oak, Peoria

Check your local pharmacy if they accept medications for disposal.

Non-liquid medications can be combined into a sealable plastic bag. No needles.

Metals

A Miller Co - 1612 SW Adams St., Peoria; 674-1101

Alter Trading (Behr) - 3213 SW Washington St., Peoria; 637-5138

Accepts: aluminum cans, string holiday lights, and wires

Alter Trading - 2424 W Clark St., Peoria; 637-4422

Accepts: metal cans, scrap metal, string holiday lights, and dehumidifiers

Area Recycling Inc. - 14379 Illinois Rt. 9 South, Pekin; 353-3333

Goodwill Industries - scrap metal for donation

Peoria Animal Shelter - 2600 NE Perry St, Peoria

Accepts: aluminum cans for donation also towels and plastic bags

Companies accept scrap metals & pay for aluminum by the pound.

Check out more info at
peoriacounty.org/recycle

Motor Oil

Lenz Oil - 3001 SW Washington St., Peoria

Accepts: motor oil, antifreeze, vegetable oil, and waste fuels

Check your local auto parts stores and oil service centers

Plastic Bags

HyVee, Kroger, Schnucks, Wal-Mart, Goodwill Donation Stores

Check with your local grocery store and animal shelters

Propane Tanks

Hicks Gas - 27833 Cooper Rd, Morton 309-444-7205

Shingles (Asphalt)

Southwind RAS - 6616 S Darst St., Peoria; 630-233-5700

Only for contractors; call first for instructions

Tires*

*Fees may be assessed for each tire

Check local tire service centers such as Firestone, Goodyear, Peoria Tire & Vulcanizing, Plaza Tire, Sears

City of Peoria has a Tireless Collection event for city residents. Search "Tireless Peoria" by JIMAX for details (309-253-0192)

For large volume (IL EPA Registered Tire Companies):

CDO Trucking - Peoria, IL 309-696-8027 or 637-3820

Astro Tire - Thomasboro, IL 217-643-6485

Boucher & Sons - Mackinaw 309-231-3251

Branna LLC - Pana, IL 217-226-4095

Yard Waste/Food Waste

Better Earth Premium Compost

1510 Cameron Ln, Peoria 309-697-0963

Accepts: landscape/yard brush, leaves, grass; food scraps

Better Earth Logistics

309-397-0433 ♦ www.betterearthlogistics.com

Food scrap (compostables) collection

Pallets

Victory Acres (Peoria Rescue Ministries) 309-697-1277