

Making The Most Of Your **Miami County Recycling District** Recycling Assessment



2651 West Logansport Road Peru, IN 46970
(765) 472-7224

Monday-Friday 8am-4pm &
The First Saturday (April-October) 9am-1pm
Closed For All Major Holidays

Our Mission

The Mission of the Miami County Recycling District is to implement and provide source reduction and recycling programs that will reduce the amount of solid waste disposed of in landfills, encourage recycling efforts, provide guidance for waste stream reduction, and increase awareness of proper hazardous waste disposal.

Why Are We Here?

The Recycling (Solid Waste) Districts were created in 1990 by Legislative Act 1240 which became Public Law 10-1990. The purpose of this law was to reduce the amount of material going to landfills statewide. This law also set up the Board of Directors as being made up from seven (7) local elected officials in the county. The Miami County Solid Waste District Board of Directors was created in May of 1992.



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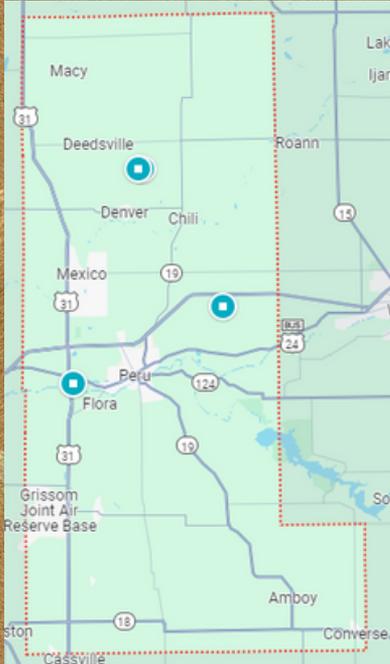
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Traditional Recycling

The Miami County Recycling District offers many locations throughout the county for drop off of Steel/ Aluminum Cans, Flattened Cardboard, Paper, FOOD GRADE Glass, and Plastic Jugs/ Containers. *All drop off sites are for these items and these items ONLY.*



NOTE: These sites are "single stream" drop off sites. Meaning sorting of materials is NOT required.



Locations

- Miami County Recycling District -
2651 West Logansport Road
Peru, IN 46970
- Erie Community Church -
2567 N. Paw Paw Pike
Peru, IN 46970
- North Miami High School -
570 E. 900 N.
Denver, IN 46926
- North Miami Elementary School -
632 E. 900 N.
Denver, IN 46926

Traditional Recycling Guidelines

These are the **ONLY** items allowed in the recycling bins. Anything else can contaminate other recyclables, is a safety hazard to those sorting, or can damage equipment.

Questions on an item? Call the Recycling District at (765)472-7224.



For more examples please visit our website or scan the QR code below.



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Other Recycling Programs

Did you know that your \$30.00 annual fee not only covers the traditional recycling program, but it also covers the items listed on pages 5-12. You may drop off these items during normal business hours.



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NOTE: Due to insurance regulations, you are responsible for unloading your vehicle.

Drop Off Procedures

- 1.) Upon arrival , you must register in the office. Please leave your items in your vehicle until you have been completely checked in.
- 2.) You will be asked to show your Driver's License or State ID. This will be proof of Miami County residency.
- 3.) We will check to make sure you're account is in good standing. If there is a balance you will not be able to utilize our services until the balance has been settled.
- 4.) We will need to know what items you are recycling. If you have multiple items, make a list with the quantity to make it easier.
- 5.) After signing in, you will be directed to the designated area(s) to unload your item(s).

These procedures DO NOT apply for traditional recycling materials (pg. 1 - 2), sharps, clothing, or books.

Batteries

****LIMIT****

15 LBS. A YEAR AT NO CHARGE

Bring old alkaline, lead acid, 6-Volt, 9-Volt, button, rechargeable, and other batteries to the District for proper disposal. Please separate them from rechargeable batteries and the button style batteries when you bring them to us.



Electronics

****LIMIT****

2 CRT or PROJECTION TV/ MONITORS
A YEAR AT NO CHARGE

Bring your old e-waste items to the district for proper disposal. E-waste items include flat screen TVs/computer monitors, computer towers, laptops, gaming systems, DVD players, VCRs, CRT (the old, heavy "box style") TVs/computer monitors, microwaves, computer accessories, projection TVs, stereo speakers, old telephone/cell phones, printers, satellite TV boxes, microwaves, and Wi-Fi routers.





Tires

****LIMIT****

12 TIRES A YEAR AT NO CHARGE

Bring your old car/ light truck tires to the District for proper disposal. Tires **MUST** be separated from the rim. We do **NOT** accept semi, large truck or tractor tires.



Fluorescent Bulbs

****LIMIT****

100 4ft. BULBS | 50 8ft. BULBS | 84 CFL BULBS
A YEAR AT NO CHARGE

Bring your old fluorescent bulbs to the District for proper disposal. Bulbs can be wrapped in an old blanket or towel for transportation.

Do **NOT** tape fluorescent tubes together.



Smoke Detectors

****LIMIT****

3 SMOKE DETECTORS A YEAR AT NO CHARGE

Bring your old smoke detectors to the District for proper disposal. Please do not disassemble.



Paint

****LIMIT****

20 GAL. A YEAR AT NO CHARGE

Bring your old paint to the District for proper disposal. We do NOT accept cans of paint that are dried up. If you find that the paint is dried then you should take the lid off and dispose the container into your regular trash.





Limits

Batteries

15lbs Of Batteries
A Year At No Charge

After the limit has been met:
\$1.00/lbs

Electronics

2 CRT TV/Monitors
A Year At No Charge

After the limit has been met:

19" or Smaller - 45lbs.....	\$12.00
27" - 60lbs.....	\$16.00
32" - 145lbs.....	\$39.00
36" - 200lbs.....	\$54.00
42" - 310lbs.....	\$83.00
Projection TV.....	\$83.00

Tires

12 Tires
A Year At No Charge

Once yearly limit has been met, you have to wait until the first of the year to turn in the rest.

Fluorescent Bulbs

100- 4ft. 50- 8ft. 85- CFL
A Year At No Charge

After the limit has been met:

4ft Bulbs.....	30¢ /ea.
8ft Bulbs.....	60¢ /ea.
CFL Bulbs.....	40¢ /ea.

Smoke Detectors

3 Smoke Detectors
A Year At No Charge

After the limit has been met:
\$11.00 /ea.

Paint

20 Gallons Of Paint
A Year At No Charge

After the limit has been met:

Quart Container.....	\$1.00
Gallon Container.....	\$2.00
5 Gallon Bucket.....	\$5.00



Large Appliances

Bring your old appliances to the District for proper disposal. We accept freon containing appliances such as; refrigerators, freezers, dehumidifiers, water coolers, air conditioners, and water dispensers. We also accept non-freon containing appliances such as; stoves, washers, and dryers.



Metal

Bring your metal items to the District for proper disposal. Metal items include, metal chairs, gas tanks (drained), sinks, fences, filing cabinets, etc.



Household Chemicals

Bring your old chemicals to the District for proper disposal. Chemical items include flammables (fuels, lubricants, adhesives, alcohols, oil based products, etc.), poisons (pesticides, fertilizers, cleaners, antifreeze, etc.) and corrosives (ammonia, drain cleaners, lye, window cleaners, pool/hot tub chemicals, etc.)



Old Medications

Bring your unused, old or expired medications to the District for proper disposal. You will be asked to fill out a form listing the medications you are dropping off. Doctor's offices, Veterinary offices, and Nursing homes are not eligible for this program. NO CONTROLLED MEDICATIONS ACCEPTED! Controlled medications must be dropped off to the Peru City Police Station.



Sharps Disposal

Drop your used needles (sharps) and lancets at any of the three sharps kiosks in the county for proper disposal. Sharps should be stored in either the medical sharps disposal containers or in rigid plastic containers (laundry detergent bottles). The District has a limited number of medical sharps containers available to help you out if needed. Doctor's offices, Veterinary offices, and Nursing homes are not eligible for this program.

LOCATIONS

- Parking Lot Of Bolt Storage-
710 N. Broadway St. Peru, IN
- Miami Co. Recycling District-
2651 West Logansport Rd. Peru, IN
- End Of E. Canal-
Peru, IN



Flag Retirement

The District can help you respectfully retire your old worn out flags. No check in required to drop these items off. There is a donation box located inside of our office. We are a collection location for the "Stars for our Troops" program. This organization takes old flags, cleans them and then trims the stars from the flags. The stars are then given to active duty, veterans, law enforcement and first responders. The remainder of the flags are then retired at a flag retirement ceremony.





Clothing & Shoes

Bring your clothing & shoes to the district for proper disposal. No check in required to drop these items off. There is a donation box located outside of our office. These will be picked up by Recycle For Missions, LLC.

Used Eyeglasses

Bring your old eyeglasses to the district for proper disposal. No check in required to drop these items off. There is a donation box located inside of the office. These will be picked up by the Peru Lions Club.



Books

Bring your old books to the district for proper disposal. No check in required to drop these items off. There is a donation box located outside of our office. These will be picked up by Discover Books.
No clothing, VHS or cassette tapes, please.



Bulk Item Program

This program was started as a convenience to allow Miami County residence the ability to drop off large or bulky items for a small fee. These fees apply to items that are not recyclable, and it helps covers the cost of the roll off container provided at our facility.

This program is NOT for regular trash disposal.

Prices are subject to change based on our vendor charges.

All appliances must be emptied of all trash, food, or waste. Failure to do so will result in the item being refused.

No building /construction materials (concrete, drywall, wood, shingles, bricks, etc.) will be accepted.

Due to insurance regulations, you are responsible for unloading your vehicle.

For the list of items and cost please visit our website or scan the QR code below.



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- 2.) You will be asked to show your Driver's License or State ID. This will be proof of Miami County residency.
- 3.) We will check to make sure you're account is in good standing. If there is a balance you will not be able to utilize our services until the balance has been settled.
- 4.) We will need to know what items you are bringing in. If you have multiple items, make a list with the quantity to make it easier.
- 5.) You must pay the disposal fee (cash or check) for the non-recyclable items before unloading. You will then be directed to the designated area(s) to unload your item(s).

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Board Meetings

The Miami County Recycling District's Board of Directors hold a meeting the 3rd Monday of every month in the Recycling District's Conference room located at:

2651 West Logansport Road Peru, IN 46970
12:00pm

The public is always welcome & encouraged to attend.

For the board meeting schedule & minutes please visit our website or scan the QR code below.



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Social Media

Keep an eye on our Facebook & Website for closures and other helpful information.



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recyclingdistrict](https://facebook.com/recyclingdistrict)*



Frequently Used Numbers

Miami Co. Recycling District.....	(765) 472-7224
Miami Co. Courthouse.....	(765) 472-3901
Miami Co. Sheriff.....	(765) 472-1322
Peru State Police Post.....	(765) 473-6666
Peru City Police.....	(765) 473-5522
Peru Street Department.....	(765) 472-2501
Peru Mayor's Office.....	(765) 472-2400
Peru License Branch- Call Center.....	(888) 692-6841
Chamber Of Commerce.....	(765) 472-1923
Peru Public Library.....	(765) 473-3069
Peru Post Office.....	(765) 473-9480
Touby Pike - Kokomo.....	(765) 454-7600
Peru City Clerk.....	(765) 472-2344
Wabash Valley.....	(260) 274-5045
Oak Ridge.....	(866) 909-4458
Waste Management.....	(866) 797-9018

