

## **Haverford Township**

### **Environmental Advisory Committee**

6/1/25

Thanks for your interest in participating in our local Haverford EAC recycling initiative. By recycling these hard to recycle items that are not accepted in our single stream township recycling: we save tax payer dollars that would pay for waste removal and disposal, decrease potential plastic pollution on land and in water, and reduce pollution in air, land and water by decreasing our waste in landfills and incinerators.

EAC volunteers have teamed up to offer drop off locations throughout the township for select hard-to-recycle items for all Haverford township residents. Each program has a different volunteer collecting packaging to be shipped and recycled through Terracycle, store programs or other recycling programs. *Make sure items are <u>EMPTY</u>, and clean and dry as possible!* To participate please follow directions on what is accepted in each program. NOTE: EACH program is BRAND specific, unless specified by "any brand accepted".

Questions, if you are collecting items that are not listed below, or would like to volunteer for another program, and can volunteer to collect for our township, please **contact the Haverford EAC** at <u>Havswitch@gmail.com</u>. Thanks for keeping these items out of our trash streams, local landfills and incinerators.

### More recycling info and zero waste tips online:

www.HaverfordClimateAction.org/waste-1

More recycling info and zero waste tips on facebook private group:

Reduce Reuse Recycle Haverford Twp

https://www.facebook.com/groups/131577228849582

Haverford Recycling Beyond the Blue Bin video (2024) available on youtube: <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=acZhZtWviq4</u>

Accompanying Power Point Slides:

https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/16rbZEumDrJj4BeYLA8EpcE6UIIWuJkl/edit#slide=id.p1

# **Recycling via Terracycle**

### Terracycle

### https://www.terracycle.com/en-US/

"The Terracycle Global Foundation addresses the complex challenges of collecting and recycling waste in emerging countries. To achieve this end, the Foundation collaborates with local communities to offer innovative collection and recycling platforms for waste, with special emphasis on preventing plastic pollution from entering our oceans." Shop Terraycle:

https://shop.terracycle.com/tcmade?\_ga=2.86329880.1264739982.164252 0308-1776037334.1553991518

The EAC receives funds from recycling with terracycle's free programs, which in turns pays for costs associated to provide the township for our environmental website: <u>www.haverfordclimateaction.org</u>

Disclaimer: The Environmental Committee advocates for refusing, reducing and repurposing BEFORE Recycling. Consider donating usable items like goods and clothes, buying products with no packaging and diverting waste and recycling if possible.

"There is no such thing as 'away!' So, when we throw anything away, it must go somewhere."

- Annie Leonard

# **Terracycle Programs**

Listed and pictured below first, then addresses to drop off are listed after on page 5-12; grouped by each location (some with multiple programs



# **Beauty Care Items**

Public Drop Off: Sephora or Nordstrom (not at Kohl's)

#### WE ACCEPT:

Clean and empty packaging that fits Pact's collection guidelines.

HAIR CARE Pumps, caps, closures, plastic containers smaller than a fist, squeezable tubes

#### SKIN CARE

Pumps, caps, closures, plastic containers smaller than a fist, colored glass bottles and jars, squeezable tubes

#### MAKEUP

Compacts, palettes, pencils, mascara tubes and wands, lipstick, lip gloss, applicators, squeezable tubes

## Biotrue: Bausch + Lomb Contact lens and packaging

Public drop off: WC Optometry 2805 West Chester Pk (any brand)

Recycling in partnership with Biotrue® ONEday

TerraCycle and Bausch + Lomb have partnered to create a free recycling program for Biotrue\* ONEday contact lenses and blister packs, as well as lenses and packs from other Bausch + Lomb brands.



WE CAN'T ACCEPT:

· Biomedical or biohazardous waste

Plastic containers larger than a fist
Any packaging that is not clean and empty
Flammable or pressurized packaging (aeroso

Full bottles of product

Perfume and nail polish
Nail polish remover bottles
Electronics (hair or skin care tools)

cans)



What you can recycle

All Brita filters, pitchers, dispensers, bottles, faucet systems, and packaging



### Colgate Oral Care Items (any brand accepted)



### **Dunkin Donuts Coffee Bags**

#### © Recycle with TerraCycle



### **Fabreze** (No plastic bottles- please recycle in township pick up)

What you can recycle

All brands of air freshener cartridges, plugs, trigger heads, and plastic and film

packaging



NOTE: In order to make the recycling process as effective as possible, we do not

accept plastic bottles, as these can be recycled through most municipal programs

### Fabric Care Packaging (brands Tide, Gain, Downy & Dreft only)

What you can recycle

All non-recyclable fabric care products and packaging from brands Tide, Gain, Downy & Dreft, including plastic components (dispensing cup, bag, nozzle, nozzle clip), and plastic packaging wrap, flexible plastic bags, rigid plastic tubs and lids, and Tide To Go pen



Foil Lined Chip and Snack wrappers (Any Brand Accepted)

Foil-lined snack packaging









# PopSockets and Phone Cases (any brand accepted)

What you can recycle

All PopSockets products and packaging, and phone cases from any brand



Please note that electronics (including wireless chargers) and press-on nails are not accepted.

# Royal Canin Pet Food

What you can recycle

Program accepted waste: Royal Canin pet food packaging



# <u>Spray Nozzles</u> (any brand)



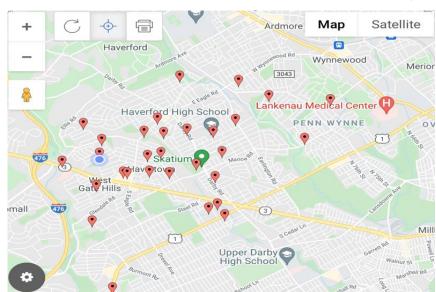
# <u>Quinn Packaging</u>



## **Terracycle drop off Locations**

All Terracycle and Local reusing/Recycling options have been mapped out for your convenience available on MainLine SHIFTs page

Please be mindful to reduce gasoline if driving to drop off items, by making less trips, while already running errands or on your way to another location.



# Township's Public Recycling Bins

Please place only these programs/items in appropriate, corresponding, marked bin. Do Not leave items next to the bins!

<u>Haverford Community Recycling Center</u>: Hilltop Road: From West Chester Pike, take Old West Chester Pike and make a left onto Hilltop Road. Then, follow signs for the Recycling Center.

• **Single Stream Recycling bins.** There you'll find two dumpsters clearly marked: one dumpster clearly marked for both paper and cardboard; and one dumpster for glass, cans and plastics. Closed in November and December for Leaf Collection.



# Haverford Community Recreational and

Environmental Center : 9000 Parkview Dr

 E-Waste Bin (1)\* – bin located OUTSIDE, at end of parking lot near baseball field

#### <u>**Haverford Township Building</u>** : 1014 Darby Rd, Havertown</u>

- E-Waste Bins (2)\* bin located OUTSIDE the building, lower parking lot between WaWa and Township building
- LED Bulbs (NO Tubes, No other light bulbs)- bin located **OUTSIDE** to the right of the township doors on the upper level
- Oral Care (Any Brand Accepted) and packaging bin located OUTSIDE to the right of the township doors on the upper level
- Bread Bag Tags bin located near oral care and Beauty Care bins OUTSIDE to the right of the township doors on the upper level



# Haverford Township Parking Lot: 1012 Darby Rd, Havertown

 PRC's Permanent Glass Bin –Bin located OUTSIDE the building, lower parking lot between WaWa and the Township building

### Haverford Police Building: 1010 Darby Rd,

Havertown

 Medication Disposal – expired or excess prescription and nonprescription medications can be properly disposed of in the bin located INSIDE the lower entrance of the township building (police side).





**Fire Station: American Flag Retirement Boxes:** Please place worn, torn and damaged flags in handmade wooden box to be properly disposed of. Brookline: 1315 Darby Rd, Havertown Oakmont: 23 West Benedict Ave, Havertown

\*Electronics contain hazardous materials such as arsenic, lead, and mercury, which can be harmful to our health and environment. Please do NOT throw out E-waste, air-conditioners, mini-fridges, or dehumidifiers in the trash. Freon (found in fridges, freezers, air conditioners dehumidifiers and water coolers) is a lethal toxic substance and improper disposal can deplete the ozone layer and are unsafe for the environment.

This bin accepts small electronics, electrical cords and E-waste able to be fit into the bin. No batteries. Please do not leave items on the ground if they are too bit or if the bin is full. The township will still offer bi-annual electronic recycling events per year for larger and excess items.

# **Terracycle Recycling Collection Addresses:**

### Baby Bell: 211 Wiltshire Rd Wynnewood – Please leave on stoop

# Beauty Care items (mascara, lipstick, plastic squeeze tubes, triggers, etc) Nordstrom/ Nordstrom Rack/ Sephora PUBLIC drop off:

https://www.nordstrom.com/browse/nordstrom-cares/get-involved/nordstrom-beautycycle?srsltid=AfmBOooDA39dJMR\_j-e0hz0uUxeF8vyBfEKznTuqGUcAWGm6L0jYgHEd https://www.sephora.com/beauty/pact-collective-recycling-program

# Brita, Dunkin Donuts Coffee Bags, Plastic Credit and Gift Cards (no cards with a chip) (also bread bag tags and plastic cards- see below) :

1700 Robinson Ave Havertown – Please enter through front storm door (facing Howell Lane) and leave items in the box in enclosed entryway/mudroom

# Biotrue: Bausch & Lomb (any brand) contact lens and packaging PUBLIC drop off location:

- 1) WC Optometry 2805 West Chester Pk, Broomall
- 2) Edmonds Eye Associates 3300 Township Line Rd, Drexel Hill

### Fabreze (no plastic bottles- please recycle in single stream pick up):

326 Virginia Ave Havertown - Please leave in bag on front step

### Foil Lined Snack Bags:

- 1. 10 Meadows Lane please leave at end the of the driveway by the shed
- 2. 2406 Poplar Rd, Havertown (and soda tabs) leave in bin on porch

**GoGo Squeeze (Any brand accepted)**: 2005 Belvedere Ave Havertown – Please leave items in Tupperware container in driveway, in front of house

Honest Juice pouches (Any brand accepted): 15 Llandillo Rd,

Havertown. Please place in labeled blue bucket.

### Pet Food Packaging : pet food and treat bags (any brand/no cans) PUBLIC drop off locations:

- 1) Pet Supplies Plus 1300 MacDade Blvd. Suite 1, Woodlyn
- 2) Pet Supplies Plus 959 Paoli Pike, West Chester
- 3) PetSmart- only in NJ stores currently

**Pop Sockets (and packaging), Phone Cases (any brand accepted):** 1323 Maryland Ave Havertown – Please leave on bench on the patio

**Royal Canin Pet Food bags :** 267 Tomkenn Rd Wynnewood – leave bag in front of garage

**Spray Nozzles :** 1020 Allston Rd Havertown – Please leave in box on porch

**Tide, Gain, Downey & Dreft plastic tubs, pouches, and pens (No wipes), (also spray nozzles)**: 1020 Allston Rd Havertown – Please leave items in box on porch

**Quinn Packaging**: 1614 Rose Glen Rd Havertown – Please leave in white bucket in front of garage

# **Other Recycling/Reusing Programs Addresses:**

### Aluminum can tabs:

1) 522 Furlong Ave Havertown – Please place loose tabs into labeled 5 gallon bucket on porch

2) 2406 Poplar Rd Havertown (and foil bags) - Please place loose tabs into plastic container on front porch <u>Ronald McDonald House Charities®</u> <u>https://www.philarmh.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/08/Tab-Flyer\_v2.pdf</u>

**Bread Bag Tags (and plastic cards):** 1700 Robinson Ave Havertown – Please enter through front storm door (facing Howell Lane) and leave items in the labeled container in box in enclosed entryway/mudroom. <u>Danielle</u> <u>Cares for Chairs https://daniellecaresforch.wixsite.com/daniellecareforchair</u>

**Candles** – 1682 Karakung Drive Havertown – Please bring candles to Nitre Hall and leave by the back door. <u>Haverford Township</u> <u>Historical Society</u>

**Smoke Detectors :** 106 Mill Road Havertown – please drop off in red bin by garage and fence, feel free to park in driveway.

**Glass Flower Vases:** Please drop off old glass or ceramic vases in the Vase Recycle Bin located in front of their shop at 2014 Darby Rd

#### Havertown. Little Flower Creative Floral Design https://www.facebook.com/littleflowercreativefloraldesign/posts/301912931428646

**Legos** : 205 Mill Road Havertown – Please leave in a bag or box on covered front porch <a href="https://www.lego.com/en-us/sustainability/environment/replay">https://www.lego.com/en-us/sustainability/environment/replay</a>

Media (cds, dvds, vhs, floppy disks, video & audio tapes): <u>Willistown Township Building:</u> 688



Sugartown Road · Malvern PA 19355. Media items can be dropped off 24/7 in the big green recycling bin behind the Police Building. With the building on your left, go straight back toward the Public Works garage, and turn left. The bin is on your right, just past the gas pumps. Smoke detector container is located inside the building and available M-F 8a-4p

### Metal clothes hangers and plastic bags:

- 1) Chungs Touch Dry Cleaners: 144 W Eagle Rd Havertown
- 2) New Model Cleaners: 2229 E Darby Rd Havertown

**Metal Jar lids (from glass jars**): Please drop off to 15 Llandillo Rd Havertown and place in grey labeled trash can to the right of the garage near trash/recycle cans. <u>Philadelphia Magic Gardens</u> <u>https://www.phillymagicgardens.org</u>

Narberth Pop-Up Recycling https://www.facebook.com/Pop-up-Recycling- Narberth-100646134878425/

Pet Supplies/old Linens: Blankets, Sheets, Towels (NO Pillows or Cushions), cleaning supplies, pet food, cat litter, and more (see link for all items): Please leave any items for this reuse/donations in a clearly marked bag

Providence Animal Rescue : https://providenceac.org/support-

us/wishlist/?fbclid=IwAR0NmB8NtItAy29PITXbY2K4wu8AdjQ1UZPLBE46GTUi\_6qc7rjroyfzdfc#pet-items

- 1) 228 E Marthart Ave Please leave on porch
- 2) 1505 Sunny Hill Lane designated spot for empty toilet paper/paper towel rolls and natural corks
- 225 Ivy Rock Ln Havertown Please leave in designated bin on porch; designated spot for boxes (cereal, crackers, pasta, butter, frozen food, etc.

\*Please DO NOT break down boxes

\*NO shoe or shipping boxes accepted

\*Much appreciated if smaller boxes are nested inside larger boxes (see picture)

Rag's to Riches https://rags2richesrescue.webs.com

4) 210 Oxford Hill Havertown - Please leave in a bag on the porch.

Plastic Bottle Caps (also providence animal shelter)- <u>Veteran's Bench</u> <u>Project</u>: 225 Ivy Rock Ln Havertown

Scrap metals (accepts Holiday lights all year long) : 1713 Sue Ellen Dr. Havertown - (*Please Separate: Aluminum* (not magnetic, light color), Steel (magnetic), other (cast iron, coated wire, copper, etc.) Remove as much nonmetal (plastic) as possible. Please place in marked (Aluminum, Steel, other) 5 gallon white bin in driveway, if items are too large for bucket place behind bucket next to the wall.

**Shopping Bags (Reusable and Brown Paper):** 304 Davis Rd Havertown– Please give from your abundance or take as needed to the green bin on the left of the porch; as Haverford Township Plastic Pollution Reduction Ordinance is now in effect! Surplus is donated to food pantry'sconsider taking bulk bags there yourself. <u>"Give a Bag, Take a Bag"</u>

<u>Shift</u> : select local recycling drop off events: 252 Haverford Avenue Narberth Check schedule monthly <u>https://mainlineshift.com/event/</u>

**Styrofoam #6** (clean, hard and white colored only, **no food containers/cups**, no packing peanuts, no soft styrofoam): Please leave all styrofoam in a non returnable cardboard box or double paper bagged in front of garage at the end of the driveway, to the left please. *Please facebook message* <u>Marilyn Waxman</u> or email <u>havswitch@gmail.com</u> for address so she can open the garage so that the light Styrofoam doesn't blow away. <u>Northeast Foam Recycling</u>

Or take it yourself at your convenience to 90 Hamilton Street, Chalfont. https://www.facebook.com/Northeastfoamrecycling/

**Styrofoam coolers, Insulated Bags and reusable icepacks:** 410 Mill Rd, Havertown **and** 248 Crosshill Rd, Wynnewood – Please leave in a BROWN PAPER BAG on doorstep **Spencer's Plate Dog Meals** <u>https://www.sloppyplate.com</u>

Styrofoam Coolers & Air Pillows (NO styrofoam peanuts) UPS stores

# Writing tools (markers, high lighters, pens, wood and mechanical pencils and crayons ONLY): 217 Fairlamb Ave Havertown <u>Staples</u>

# Limited Time Local Volunteer's Collections:

Dates and address will posted on Reduce Reuse Recycle & Haverford Twp or emailed in our monthly newsletter (email Havswitch@gmail.com to be added to newsletter monthly email updates)

Lawn Signs- Spring and fall. Will be recycled at Delaware County Event

Mom's Organic Market Collections: Christmas lights - Dec/Jan & Jeans - May & Nov

# <u>Help needed! Volunteers wanted!</u> <u>Please email havswitch@gmail.com</u> if you can:

- 1. Take over the barilla, little bites, gerber or swiffer program. We can send you the label as needed; just collect, box, print the label and bring to ups.
- 2. Host and transport Pet Care Recycling to a Pet Supplies Plus store
- 3. Host the razor collection at your property. The Haverford EAC will fund the payment to continue recycling razors; We just need a volunteer to collect for this program. \*Please be cautious and aware of safety hazards when handling used razors. This program is best suited for a volunteer with no small children. Please reply to this email to volunteer
- 4. Do you need boxes to transport or ship recycling? Try posting on Buy nothing or freecycle first. Email <u>havswitch@gmail.com</u> if you can't find one.
- 5. Suggestions welcome! Do you have a need for an item that can be reused? A store that would host a bag share or bread bag tag collection or reusable bag share? Do you know of an organization that would like to be included for donations? Do you frequent places that are accepting donations and can collect for the township (thinking cradles to crayons, mothers home, fostering hope delco, etc) Email us!

# **Local Recycling Programs**

# **Delaware County Solid Waste Authority**

https://www.delcoswa.org/recycling-dropofflocations?fbclid=lwY2xjawGY7k5leHRuA2FlbQlxMAABHZVtsGQ7smQ3yoF7GmBJPvbtW3Ei84BRK Jl6qg2ONUy0IKfsoi3ILUQGhA\_aem\_IPc3qq-jN0I1-sG4IsHPSQ Recycle extra items, drop off at your convenience. They ONLY accept: Clear, green, brown glass Office paper Junk mail Newspapers Cardboard boxes, *clean flattened* Plastic bottles, *rinsed and lids off* Metal and aluminum cans, *rinsed* 

### ECO PLASTIC PRODUCTS https://www.ecoplasticproducts.org

We accept #2, #4, and #5. Look for the triangle with a number stamped on the bottom of any bottle, container, or bag to determine the type of plastic. 18 Germany Dr. Wilmington, DE 19804. We accept plastic on **Thursdays from 8:30am-3:30pm**.

# Hazardous Waste Drop off through Delaware County

### https://www.delcopa.gov/index.html

Delaware County sponsors four (4) Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) Collection Events each year. Our choice of a hazardous waste vendor insures that as much of the waste that can be recycled, is recycled. Examples include: motor oil is sent to a company that removes the dirt which then allows the oil to be reused; small propane tanks are drained, reusing the remaining propane; tanks are examined and those that can be reused are sent to a propane supplier in order to be refilled; those that cannot are sent to a scrap metal dealer for further recycling.



2025 Delaware Cou Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) Collection Events TICKET MUST BE PRESENT TO ACCESS EVENT \*Registration required for all events ite.com or scan the QK coust activated 6 weeks prior to each ev (17-22) (12-22 ONY Household Hazardous Wate will be accepted TE R ElectronicsWeste & Latex Paint will NOT be accepted Sat., April 12<sup>th</sup> Emergency Services Training Center 1600 Calcon Hook Rd., Sharon Hill (Datby Twp.) Program is offered as a com-service to the residents of are County and is *mot open to* sets institutions or industry May 10<sup>th</sup> Rose Tree Park 1671 N. Providence Rd., Media PA 19063 Sat., Sept 6<sup>th</sup> Emergency Services Training Center 1600 Calcon Hook Rd Sharon Hill (Burder Ten 199 Sponsored by ~ Sat., Oct., 11<sup>th</sup> Upper Chichester Municipal Bldg. 8500 Furey Road., Upper Chichester, PA 190 ALEANSBY APPONIMENT ONLY rain or shine-REGISTRATION R 1111 Acceptable HHW UUU Ø11Unacceptable 11 Mercury Containing Devices O ELECTRONICS Toxics

Pool Chemicals
Rust / Paint Remover
Antifreeze Oil-based Sea Paint Thinner Smoke Detector (Please dispose with house C Latex Paint Remove lid and a or mix with absorb until no longer a liqu lids separately and your curbside trash. Herbicides ng/Motor Oil ne (small only) Pesticides • Lawn Chemicals No 50 Gallon Drums Pressurized CFC's Delaware County Son Driving Dire \*\* 5 GALLON DRUMS LIMITED TO HOUSE

95% of what we collect is reused, upcycled, or recycled. 50% is reusable, 45% is recyclable. It is first sorted by our partners and divided into grades. The higher grades are resold to thrift stores in North America and other secondhand markets around the world. The lower grades get turned into rags for industrial use or things like stuffing and

insulation. Clothing reuse is a big deal. It reduces the enormous environmental burden of the second most polluting industry in the world. Schedule a <u>home pick up</u>, you must have 3 or more bags or Drop off bins are available at:

- Produce Junction Broomall, 900 Sussex Boulevard, Broomall, PA 19008
- Lower Merion Township 1300 N Woodbine Ave, Narberth, PA 19072
- Produce Junction Glenolden 31 West Oak Lane, Glenolden, PA 19036

#### FOOTWEAR

- Shoes
- Heels
- Flats
- Sandals
- Flip Flops
- Boots (all varieties)
- Sneakers
- Cleats
- Slippers

#### CLOTHING

- Tops (t-shirt, blouses,
- shirts, tank tops)
- Sweaters
- Sweatshirts
- Dresses
- Outerwear (coats, jackets,

- blazers)
- Bottoms (pants, slacks,
- jeans, sweatpants, skirts,
- shorts)
- Suits
- Pajamas
- Intimates (slips, bras,
- underwear, socks)
- Baby clothing

#### ACCESSORIES

- Hats
- Bags (pocketbooks,
- backpacks, duffle bags,
- totes)
- Belts
- Gloves
- Ties

- Scarves
- Bathrobes
- Jewelry

#### LINENS

- Sheets/pillowcases
- Blankets
- Comforters
- Curtains/Drapes
- Aprons
- Dish cloths
- Cloth napkins
- Table linens
- Quilts

#### OTHER

- Luggage
- Sports jerseys
- Stuffed animals

# Lego RePlay Recycling https://www.lego.com/en-us/service/help/bricks-building/brick-facts/recycling-lego-pieces-warehouse-recycling-40810000008418

LEGO Replay is our way of helping fans donate bricks to kids in need. The bricks you send will be sorted and cleaned before being donated to Teach for America or Boys & Girls Clubs of Boston. Bricks that don't meet our high standards after being molded aren't just thrown away. We can sometimes grind them down to make new pieces. Pieces that can't be ground down and reused in molding help generate power in our facilities. When we make too many bricks of one kind, we donate them through our LEGO Foundation to charities all over the world!



Do it yourself by printing a prepaid shipping label here: <a href="https://www.givebackbox.com/lego/#xlink">https://www.givebackbox.com/lego/#xlink</a>

# Leveling the Playing Field https://www.levelingtheplayingfield.org

LPF redistributes equipment to expand access and equity within youth sports and recreation programs in under-resourced communities. Several locations: LPF Warehouse 404 Elmwood Ave, Sharon Hill PA; Steel Yard Sports 538 Swedeland Rd, King of Prussia; Phield House 814 Spring Garden St, Philadelphia; FRD Park 1500 Pattison Ave, Philadelphia; YSC Sports 224 County Line Rd, Wayne.

# Mattel Play Back Recycling (Barbie, Matchbox & Mega toys)

https://www.mattel.com/en-us/playroom/playback

With Mattel PlayBack, when possible, we'll recover the materials and reuse them as recycled content in new toys. For materials that cannot be repurposed as recycled content into new toys, Mattel PlayBack will either downcycle those materials into other plastic products or convert them from waste to energy.

Do it yourself by printing a pre paid shipping label here: https://service.mattel.com/playback/



### Moms Organic Market https://momsorganicmarket.com/recycle-center/

Located at 1149 East Lancaster Ave Bryn Mawr PA 19010, Moms has a convenient recycling center drop off bins for : Phones/tablets, glasses and denim are reused by those in need and repurposed if unusable. Oster shells help restore the Cheasapeak Bay Oyster Reef. Unusable denim and lights are recycled into new products.

# Planet Aid <u>https://www.planetaid.org/what-we-do/for-the-environment/what-happens-to-your-used-clothing</u>

Planet Aid has partnered with to sustainably promote recycling, reuse, and humanitarian projects in the developing world. Clothes are sorted, sent to second hand stores in the US or shipped over seas to developing countries that are in high demand for clothes and shoes. You can donate your unwanted household items such as gently used clothing and shoes to make a difference in the life of another person. There is a yellow drop off bin behind Barnabys located at 1901 Old West Chester Pike Havertown PA 19083

For \$15 you can ship your clothes, shoes and electronics, sign up for shipping label here: <u>https://www.planetaid.org/latest-news/pack-label-drop</u>

# Plastic Film and Bags

Drop off at any Acme, Giant, Home Depot, Lowes and Target

\*Please remove labels on plastic mailing envelopes and pop bubble wrap\*

# Rabbit Recycling https://rabbitrecycling.com

At Rabbit Recycling we hand sort and inspect every item and material that enters our shop. After inspection, the materials are generally organized into five broad categories: commodity, donation, upcycle, specialty, and deconstruction.

Pricing: ON DEMAND: 18 gallon tub \$26 OR MONTHLY SUBSCRIPTION: 18 gallon tub \$22





Kitchen

wood, metals, etc

cups/mugs

all utensils

Gadgets and Tools

cutting boards

• pots and pans

Miscellaneous

measuring toolsstrainers

plates

bowls

Cookware

trays

Tableware and utensils all materials, glass, ceramic,

• single-use tableware (plastic,

paper, and styrofoam)

bottle and can openers

• Tupperware/to go mugs

coffee and tea accessories

cooking oil/grease (put in a

• all filter brands accepted

• teapots, strainers, filters,

empty tea bags, empty

coffee bags, and k-cups

• Pitcher and filters





#### **Household Recyclables**

We accept nearly all variations of the items/materials listen below (new and used). Items/materials must be clean and dry before we can accept them. If an appliance does not work please label it.

Appliances

lamps

grills

We accept all appliances

• clocks (analog or digital)

· iron and ironing board

sewing machine

**Kitchen Appliances** 

electric griddles

microwave ovens

Linens and Bedding

microwave

blenders

toasters

towels

pillows

curtains

• auilts

sheets

cloth napkins

tablecloths

foam pillows

pillowcases

Household

all batteries

lightbulbs

Miscellaneous

zinc-carbon

incandescent bulbs,

• cork natural and synthetic

books/notebooks/magazines

gloves, balloons, bicycle

single-use tableware

(plastic, paper, and

tires, tube hoses, rubber

candles (left in glass)

holiday decorations

bands, etc.

styrofoam)

single-use straws

◦ balloons

party supplies

holiday lights

Rubber

• alkaline, lithium-ion, lead-

acid, nickel-cadmium, and

compact fluorescent bulbs

(CFL), light-emitting diode

(LED), and halogen bulbs

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### Personal Items

Clothing and bags that are donatable must be cleaned and bagged and labeled usable or unusable.

Hygiene and makeup/cosmetic items must be unopened for donation or empty and clean for recycling. We do not accept anything that has been used in contact with the body.

#### Clothes

- shirts/t-shirts/blouses
- pants/shorts
- jeans
- coats/jackets
- dresses/skirts
- suits
- sweaters
- sweatshirts/hoodies
- Accessories
- scarves
- hats
- belts
- jerseys
- pajamas
- socks
- hosiery
- all clothes hangers

#### Shoes

- sneakers
- boots
- crocs
- flip flops
- heels
- sandals
- sports shoes

### Hygiene and Makeup/Cosmetic

- lotions and creams
- empty makeup containers
- hair products
- shampoo
- conditioner
- body wash
- face wash
  - toothpaste tube
  - mouthwash
  - empty floss container

Backpacks and Bags

- backpacks
- drawstring bags
- briefcase
- tote bags
- messenger bags
- purses
- wheeling backpackshiking/camping bags
- luggage/suitcases

#### **Baby/Child Gear**

- car seats
- high chairs
- sippy cups
- bottles
- bouncers
- carriers
- changing tables
- toys
- games
- books
- stuffed animals
- blankets and sheets
- clothes
- non-electric breast pumps
- pacifiers and teethers
- play mats
- rockers
- strollers
- cribs
- diaper bags

#### Miscellaneous Personal Items

- keys
- non-prescription drugs and vitamins (bagged)
- daily contact packaging
- hairbrushes and combs
- hairbands/scrunchies and hair clips

solid and sealed container)
Bath and Shower
Nothing used in contact with

#### the body or toilet (plungers, toilet bowl cleaners, razors, etc.)

- abrasive scrubs
- bath mats
- bathtub safety rails
- unused loofas and pumices
- shower caddies
- shower curtains
- shower heads

#### Cleaning Supplies Must be clean

- brooms/mops/swiffers
- buckets
- dustpans
- spray bottles
- empty detergent bottlesdryer sheets



# The List

Lifestyle Recyclable

All broken electronic items must be labled as not working.

#### **Office Supplies**

- pens/pencils
- binders
- calenders
- card and document filers and organizers
- hole punchers
- staplers
- paper clips
- scissors
- tape rolls and dispensers

#### **Arts and Crafts**

We accept unused materials for donation

- canvases
- canvases
   charcoals
- construction paper
- crayons
- markers
- easels
- glue
- notebooks
- paint and paintbrushes
- all kinds of paint (artist, interior, and exterior)

#### Automotive

- batteries
- bike/ski/kayak racks
- brake pads
- bumper pads
- cargo carriers
- covers and wheel covers
- exhaust systems
- funnels
- gaskets
- hoses
- license plates
- motors
- serpentine belts
- catalytic converters
- short shifters
- transmissions
- windshield wiper blades

#### **Outdoors and Sports**

- deck furniture
  - tables, chairs, umbrellas, etc.
- beach equipment
  - chairs, umbrellas, toys, etc.
- garden equipment
  - hoses, shovels, shears, etc.
- all sports balls
- all sports equipment and gear
  - golf clubs, bats, rackets, etc.
- rollerblades/skates
- ice skate
- fishing line
- camping equipment
  - tents, sleeping bags, etc.
- Electronics
- computers
  - laptop and desktop
  - $\circ$  mouses and keyboards
- phones
  audio, photo, and video
- equipment
- headphones and earbuds
- calculators
- CDs, DVDs, cassette tapes,
- vinyl records, and players • game consoles
- and game cartridges
- electronic memory storage
- iPods and mp3 players
- printers/scanners/fax
- machines
- ink cartridges
   thumb driver
- thumb drives/USB drives
  wires and extension cords

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un-numbered are accepted

plastic bottles,

• plastic food packaging

• fruit containers,

containers, etc.

takeout food containers

• snack bags and wrappers

wrappers, candy

produce bags, cling

clementine bags

• plastic shopping bags

• toilet paper and paper

including ones with

bubble wrap

towel packaging

dry cleaning wrap

• plastic mailers

bubble wrap

• chip bags, granola bar

wrappers, foil-lined, etc.

wrap, frozen food bags,

prepared foods, tofu

• water bottles, reusable

vitamin/pill bottles, milk

**Hard Plastics** 

plastic bottles

jugs, etc.

bottle caps

and cups

Soft Plastics

plastic straws

food packaging

etc.

produce netting

juice pouches

plastic cards

Recycling

Paper- Glass - Soft and Hard Plastics - Metal

We accept nearly all variations of the recyclables listed below. We have listed some examples of what we take but cannot list <u>everything</u>. We take items similar to those that are listed and we are always happy to answer questions if you have any.

#### Plastics All plastics #1 - #7, other, and

### All paper products must be dry

• scrap paper

Paper

- cardboard
  - cereal boxes, packing boxes, toilet paper rolls, etc.
- wax-coated cardboard
- mail and envelopes
  - we DO accept mail envelopes with plastic windows
- paper mailers

   including ones with bubble wrap
- photos
- paper stickers
- shredded paper

#### Metal

- aluminum
- ∘ cans
- ∘ foil
- brass
- bronze

carbide

Glass

cast iron copper

light and heavy iron

red and yellow brass

beer, wine (including

cork), soda, etc.

mason jars, pasta

sauce, olive oil, etc.

stainless steel

metal wires

glass bottles

• glass jars

window panes

glass dishware
candles (with wax)

# Retrievr https://retrievr.com ON HOLD

If you have clothing and electronics you no longer need, we'll come pick it up right from your doorstep, and then recycle it for you. Whether your item gets resold as-is or gets recycled for parts, our goal is to return value to unwanted items and ensure that the products of tomorrow are born from recycled material. Currently this program is free for Lower Merion, Radnor and Montgomery county residents. Haverford Township has a \$15 convenience fee for door step pick up. Other fees include: \$10 for each microwave, \$35 for each TV under 150 lbs and monitors that use a Cathode Ray Tube (CRT), \$100 for each TV 150 lbs or more, \$50 for each dehumidifier, \$50 for each window air-conditioner, and \$50 for each mini refrigerator under 50 lbs. Retrievr has a buy back program where you can earn rewards for specific clothes, phones and electronics in good condition. More details on the buyback program here: <a href="https://retrievr.com/about-us/reward-terms/">https://retrievr.com/about-us/reward-terms/</a>

#### Items We Don't Accept

As a general rule, if you don't see your item in the accepted items list above, we can't take it.Below are a few items we are asked about a lot, but which we do not currently collect.



## **Keep Your Data Safe**

The best way to keep your data private is to back it up and remove it yourself. You are your own first and best line of defense. Our FAQ includes instructions for how to do this safely.

Removing your data yourself is the only way to guarantee your data stays private. If you can't or forget to remove your data, you can still rest easy knowing that we are an <u>e-Steward</u> Enterprise, and all electronic devices you share with us are recycled by trusted e-Steward or <u>R2-certified</u> electronics recycling partners. Among other things, that means that their data removal processes comply with <u>NIST data destruction</u> guidelines.

### **retrievr**

#### SCHEDULE A PICK UP NOW

#### Clothing

#### Electronics





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Bedding (comforter blankets, sheets, pillow cases)	Belts s,	Blouses	Boots	AC Adapters	Audio Equipment	Cell Phones and Smart Phones	Computer Periphery and Parts
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Shoes	Shorts	Skirts	Slippers				Receivers
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Dehumidifiers

# Smoke Detectors- mail in options

Curie Services (www.curieservices.com) takes up to 30 intact smoke alarms at a time in a USPS hazard-approved pre-paid mailing box for recycling and safe disposal of Americium for \$49.99 (or about \$1.66 each). More options in below chart. Please post on Reduce Reuse Recycle page if you can accept another residents smoke detector to go into your shipment (please include brand and how many you can accept).

Manufacturer/Distributor	Phone Number	Address for Return	Notes		
		Call to receive a number and return information	Accepts Dicon Global American Sensors brands only		
Firex	800-445- 8299	Firex c/o Disposal 28C Leigh Fisher Blvd. El Paso, TX 79906	Website address: <u>www.firexsafety.com</u>		
First Alert/BRK	800-323- 9005 Ext. 2	Customer Service Dept 3920 Enterprise Court Aurora, IL 60504	Accepts up to four device of First Alert/BRK brand at a time. Call ahead for mailing instructions.		
G.E. Security/ESL	888-437- 3287	12345 Southwest Levetan Dr. Tualatin, OR 97062	Will accept G.E. Security/ESL brands only		
Honeywell	800-328- 5111	Returned Goods, Honeywell, Inc. Dock 4-MN10-3860 1985 Douglas Drive North Golden Valley, MN 55422	Accepts Honeywell smoke detectors only <u>www.ecccustomercare.com</u>		
Kidde	800-880- 6788 Ext. 1	1016 Corporate Park Dr. Mebane, NC 27302	Will only accept Kidde brand smoke detectors		
Sears	local number	Some Sears locations are designated collection sites	Call to find out if local Sears will accept smoke detectors		
System Sensors	800-736- 7672 Ext. 1	Call to receive a reference number and return information	Will accept "System Sensor" brand only. Asking payment of \$3.00 for each detector to cover recycling costs.		
USI Electric/Universal	800-390- 4321 Ext. 1	Attention: Disposal Dept. 7A Gwynns Mill Court Owings Mills, MD 21117	Return only detectors that say "ionization" on the back. Only USI Electric or Universal brand detectors accepted. Enclose a note that the smoke detector is being returned for recycling.		

# Stores (and more) with Recycling Options

The below stores offer in store recycling, please see store webpage to see what items to recycle:

- Batteries Plus- batteries, lighting and appliances. Springfield, PA #623 154 Baltimore Pike, Springfield and Brookhaven, PA #670 4511 Edgmont Avenue, Brookhaven <u>https://www.batteriesplus.com/recycling</u>
- Best Buy- select electronics
   <u>https://www.bestbuy.com/site/services/recycling/pcmcat149900050025.c?id=pcm</u>
   <u>cat149900050025</u>
- Captain Junk- Veteran owned and family operation junk removal company located in Downingtown that will donate or recycle items responsible and environmentally safe manner. <u>https://captainjunk.com</u>
- ECOvanta TVs (limit of five), computers, monitors, printers, fax machines, scanners, VCR/DVD players, phones, gaming systems, stereos, keyboards, mice, cables and other household electronics. (Not accepted items: Batteries,

ballasts, bulbs, appliances, air conditioners, smoke detectors, fire extinguishers, propane tanks, freon-containing devices, hazardous waste). Drop off the 1st and 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of each month hours 12-3p <u>https://www.montcopa.org/DocumentCenter/View/30910/Covanta-E-Waste-Drop-Off</u>

- Habitat for Humanity ReStore (closest open in Horsham) <u>https://www.habitat.org/restores</u>
- Home Depot- batteries, fluorescent light bulbs, plastic bags
   <u>https://corporate.homedepot.com/newsroom/second-life-hard-recycle-items</u>
- IKEA- New-for-Old principal applies- must buy a new item and can return the old corresponding item, recycled item can be collected at new item delivery if empty, clean and dry. Eligible items: kitchen remodel, appliances, mattresses, sofas.Wecycle drop off point located at customer service desk is free, for small appliances, batteries and lamps; must have bought new item from IKEA first. Costs: sofa \$69, mattress \$19 ( onlymax 2, up to 90cm, 1 up to 140cm wide), kitchen remodel depends on size of waste. These must be booked at information desk. <a href="https://www.ikea.com/nl/en/customer-service/services/removal-recycling/">https://www.ikea.com/nl/en/customer-service/services/removal-recycling/</a>
- Lombardo Waste & Metal Recycling- lawn equipment, car parts, refrigerators, air conditioners, tubs, sinks, pipes, tools, grills, metal <u>https://www.lombardometal.com</u>
- Lowes- batteries, fluorescent light bulbs, plastic bags
   <u>https://www.recyclestuff.org/company/lowe-s/2973</u>
- PAR Works- Ewaste, TVs \$25-75, air conditioners \$15, dehumidifiers \$15, microwaves \$5 <u>https://home.par-recycleworks.org</u>
- PECO- fridge or freezer pick up for FREE and you get \$75! You can also receive a \$10 rebate for an old, working room AC unit if picked up along with a qualifying fridge or freezer. Not available anymore as of 12/2023 <u>https://www.peco.com/WaysToSave/ForYourHome/Pages/Recycling.aspx?utm\_s</u> <u>ource=peco.com%2Frecycling&utm\_campaign=2020\_PECO\_Res\_Recycling&ut m\_medium=Vanity\_URL&gclid=CjwKCAiA55mPBhBOEiwANmzoQrOaBziiNazW</u> ttvAjARSVKEv2WBqbUAFCfL9jA5mx2nmD9FgkciF7BoCxk0QAvD\_BwE
- Republic Recycling (for businesses only)- electronics and E-waste (including TVs and power tools); mail in or pick up available, call for pricing <u>https://www.republicservices.com/businesses/recycling/e-waste</u>
- Staples- writing tools, electronics, ink, batteries (more in picture below) <u>https://www.staples.com/stores/recycling</u>

#### Here's how easy it is to recycle at Staples



Gather your eligible items to recycle and visit us in store.



Speak to an associate at Checkout to recycle your items.

#### What can be recycled in store

#### Tech

Adapters & hubs Battery backup devices Cable/satellite receivers Calculators Car & wall chargers CD/DVD/Blu-ray discs & players Coffee brewers (less than 40 lb.) Computers Computer speakers Connected home devices Digital & video cameras **Digital projectors** Earbuds & AirPods® Fax machines Flash drives Gaming consoles & controllers **GPS** devices Hard drives Headphones & headsets Keyboards & mice Label makers

#### Tech (cont.)

Laminators Laptops & MacBook® Mobile phones & iPhone® Monitors (CRT, LED / LCD, plasma) MP3 players & iPod® Printers & multifunction devices Routers & modems Scanners Shredders Small servers Smart watches & Apple Watch® Stereo receivers Stylus pens & Apple Pencil® Tablets, iPad® & eReaders USB & Lightning® cables Video streaming devices Webcams

#### **Printer cartridges**

Ink cartridges Toner cartridges & drum units Farn rewards and unlock

exclusive offers.

#### Batteries

Lithium ion (Li-Ion) Nickel metal hydride (Ni-MH) Nickel zinc (Ni-ZN) Non-rechargeable lithium Rechargeable nickel cadmium (Ni-Cd) Single-use alkaline Small sealed lead acid (SSLA/Pb)

#### Writing tools

Crayons **NEW** Pens & markers **NEW** Wooden & mechanical pencils **NEW** 

#### Even more

Phone & iPhone cases **NEW** Tablet, iPad & eReader cases Shredding (cost per pound) SodaStream® CO2 cylinders

 Shift- local small business in Narberth where you can buy items packaging free, bring your own clean dry containers (or they offer reclaimed glass jars) for personal care products, oils, cleaning products, etc. They also offer limited time recycling events, workshops, compost swap, reuse/repurposing events and more. Check their website for event dates

https://mainlineshift.com/local-guide/events/recycling/

• Target- electronics, ink, plastic bags, seasonal car seat collection events <u>https://corporate.target.com/sustainability-governance/circularity/waste-elimination-reduction#csti</u>

# **Donating Items**

# **Buy Nothing Project (ONLINE)**

The Buy Nothing Project is a movement led entirely by volunteers creating a worldwide network of local gift economy communities. Everyone is welcome to share, request, and give gratitude for gifts. Can only be in one local buy nothing group. https://buynothingproject.org/about The below groups are on Facebook:

- Buy Nothing Paddock Farms/Merion Manor, Havertown/Ardmore, PA
- Havertown (East)
- Buy Nothing Havertown (Bailey/Grasslyn/Lynnewood/ Veterans), PA-
- Buy Nothing Havertown (Hilltop/Richland Farms/Westgate Hills), PA
- Buy Nothing Ardmore & Wynnewood (South Ardmore Park/Arnold Field), PA
- PennWynne
- Buy Nothing Ardmore (Downtown/Normandy Park) Ardmore, PA
- Bryn Mawr/Gladwyne

**Caring Hearts Lending Closet** <u>https://www.facebook.com/CHlendingcloset</u> Our mission is to lend or distribute reusable medical equipment to the community. Must contact to arrange donations, CHLendingCloset@gmail.com

## Community Warehouse Project https://communitywarehouseproject.com

The mission of Community Warehouse Project of Chester County is to provide household goods and furnishings to Chester County families and individuals in need – at no charge. Donations accepted on Monday through Fridays from 9AM to 1PM and Every third Saturday of the month at the CWP Warehouse in West Chester. First Sunday of Each Month at the Downingtown Warehouse from 10AM-2PM. For Donation acceptance confirmation please complete the form on website or call/ text (484) 473-4360. Address & Directions to the Warehouse will be given at time of approval.

**Bedroom**: mattresses, box springs, dressers, night stands, sheets, blankets, towels **Living room**: sofas, loveseats, stuffed chairs, tables, tv stands; **Kitchen**: tables, chairs, dishes, plates, silverware, glassware, cups, coffee mugs, pots, pans, bakeware; **Small appliances**- lamps, microwaves, toasters, coffee makers, etc.

## Cradles to Crayons https://www.cradlestocrayons.org/philadelphia/what-we-do/

New and nearly new children's items are collected through grassroots community drives and corporate donations. Donations are then processed and packaged by volunteers in our warehouse, The Giving Factory. Packages from The Giving Factory are distributed to local disadvantaged children — through our collaborative network of diverse service partners. Local Drop Off Bin at the Haverford YMCA (Located on corner of Eagle & Lawrence Roads)

#### ITEMS WE ACCEPT



#### QUALITY = DIGNITY

Cradles to Crayons creates customized packages that are hand-selected with care to meet a local child's needs and wants. We accept donations of new and like-new essential items that are appropriate for use by children.

We believe that QUALITY = DIGNITY. Before making a donation, please ensure that your gentlyused items are high-quality: not ripped, stained, or quality compromised in any way.

#### What We Accept:

- Clothing (new or gently used), children and adult sizes
- NEW socks and underwear
- Pajamas (new or gently used)
- Winter coats, hats, gloves/mittens
- Sweatshirts/hoodies and sweatpants
- Shoes, boots, and sneakers (toddler sizes 4–13 and adult sizes 1–10)
- Books (ages 0-12)
- NEW arts, crafts, and school supplies
- NEW hygiene items
- Diapers, pull-ups, and diaper wipes

Our current list of *Most Needed Items* is updated on a weekly basis.

#### What We CANNOT Accept or Distribute:

- · We are currently unable to accept toys or baby equipment of any kind
- Furniture and household goods/items
- Cribs or pack & plays of any kind
- · Sporting equipment (rackets, mitts, hockey sticks, bats, helmets, skates, shin guards/pads)
- Electronics, including DVDs, CDs, VHS tapes, and video games
- Religious or holiday-themed books or clothing
- · Books or clothing with family related messaging ("I Love Mommy," "Daddy's Little Girl")
- Bathing suits
- Used underwear or socks
- · Used hygiene products, baby food, breast pumps, or bottles
- · Used arts and crafts/school supplies

## Craigslist https://philadelphia.craigslist.org

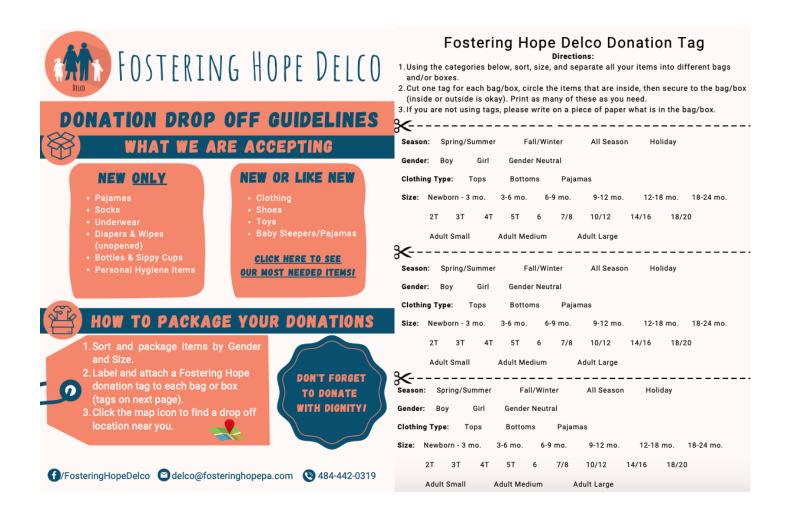
List items online for others to pick up

## **Delco Emergency Youth Academy**

### Fostering Hope Delco

### https://fosteringhopepa.com/chapter/delaware-county/

Fostering Hope relies on donations to keep the Foster-Share Closet open and Bags of Hope going to foster families and children. All donations go to operational costs and providing tangible support to children in foster care in Southeastern PA. We appreciate all varieties of donations including monthly gifts, one-time gifts, gift-cards, donation drive sponsors, purchases off our wish-list, as well as any good to new quality donations of baby gear, clothing, toys, books, etc. Fostering Hope Delco is accepting donations during our open shop times to St. Stephen's Episcopal in Norwood at 128 Chester Pike, Norwood, PA 19074, or you can reach out to Delco@fosteringhopepa.com to make arrangements to drop off donations. All open shop dates and times are posted on our Facebook page. www.facebook.com/fosteringhopedelco.



### **Goodwill,** 401 West Chester Pike, Havertown PA <u>https://www.goodwillde.org/accepted-</u> donations/

When you donate to Goodwill, your unwanted items are sold in our retail stores and online. With the money raised from these sales, Goodwill can help people overcome barriers to self-sufficiency, through the Power of Work. You donate and shop, and Goodwill provides job training programs and employment placement services to people with disabilities, those who lack education or job experience, and others facing challenges to finding employment. Goodwill provides a hand up, not a hand out to thousands of local residents every year. Ninety cents of every dollar raised by Goodwill goes to support our mission of service to the community.

# Grands Stepping Up https://grandssteppingupinfo.com

Grands Stepping Up is a non-profit corporation dedicated to assisting grandparents/kinship guardians who are raising their grandchildren, primarily due to many issues such as the opiate epidemic, incarceration, mental health issues, death or illness of the parents that cause the parents to have the inability to fitness in their traditional parental roles; to assist by the creation of many holistic programs (to include Denis' Pantry & Free Store, as the only program that will also be offered to all community residents) that will support the new grand family financially, psychologically, legally and socially to support the success of the new family unit; to educate governing county agencies and entities, as well as primary care physicians, school districts, etc. regarding the complexity of the Grand/Kinship families' needs.

Donations accepted include gently used clothing, shoes, baby gear, books, toys, school supplies, pet supplies, household items, holiday items and food. Donations are accepted at Bethany Evangelical Presbyterian Church, 5 Concord Ave, Havertown. Call or email to schedule a donation (610)355-6362

# Green Drop, 700 Reed Rd, Broomall, PA <u>https://www.gogreendrop.com/find-a-</u>

location/broomall

Supporting your choice of American Red Cross, Military Order of the Purple Heart Service Foundation, the National Federation of the Blind and the Society of St. Vincent de Paul of Philadelphia. Accepts clothes, shoes and household items. Can also schedule a doorstep pick up

# Facebook Groups (ONLINE)

### 🔹 💙 Delco Helping hands 💙 😂 Spreading Positivity 😂

Group is based in Delaware County Pa. This is a group to share any kind of resources that could help someone else. Food banks, apartments/houses for rent, jobs that are hiring, places that offer assistance with rent or utilities. A place for my friends to share their business endeavors. Also if you are trying to get rid of clothes/furniture that can help someone else or if you are in need of anything. Hope this page helps many of you!

https://www.facebook.com/groups/167218447223114

• Delco moms helping moms (free/trade only) 2.0

https://www.facebook.com/groups/383804605315569

• Free in Delco

https://www.facebook.com/groups/954006808067226

Havertown Free!

https://www.facebook.com/groups/2235859033328576

• **Havertown Freecycle** is a site to donate goods or accept goods from your neighbors in Havertown. Let's keep these items out of local landfills and incinerators!

https://www.facebook.com/groups/437920293341514

• **Marketplace**- Buy, Sell, or List for free. Can be local pick up or shipped. <u>https://www.facebook.com/marketplace/</u>

## Helpsy https://www.helpsy.com

95% of what we collect is reused, upcycled, or recycled. 50% is reusable, 45% is recyclable. It is first sorted by our partners and divided into grades. The higher grades are resold to thrift stores in North America and other secondhand markets around the world. The lower grades get turned into rags for industrial use or things like stuffing and

insulation. Clothing reuse is a big deal. It reduces the enormous environmental burden of the second most polluting industry in the world. Schedule a <u>home pick up</u>, you must have 3 or more bags or Drop off bins are available at:

- Produce Junction Broomall, 900 Sussex Boulevard, Broomall, PA 19008
- Lower Merion Township 1300 N Woodbine Ave, Narberth, PA 19072

• Produce Junction – Glenolden 31 West Oak Lane, Glenolden, PA 19036, USA Accepted Items Below:

#### FOOTWEAR

- Shoes
- Heels
- Flats
- Sandals
- Flip Flops
- Boots (all varieties)
- Sneakers
- Cleats
- Slippers

#### CLOTHING

- Tops (t-shirt, blouses, shirts, tank tops)
- Sweaters
- Sweatshirts
- Dresses
- Outerwear (coats, jackets, blazers)
- Bottoms (pants, slacks, jeans, sweatpants, skirts, shorts)
- Suits

- Pajamas
- Intimates (slips, bras, underwear, socks)
- Baby clothing

#### ACCESSORIES

- Hats
- Bags (pocketbooks,
- backpacks, duffle bags,
- totes)
- Belts & Ties
- Gloves

# The Kensington Project <a href="https://www.facebook.com/The-Kensington-Project-145205157330441/">https://www.facebook.com/The-Kensington-Project-145205157330441/</a>

The Kensington Project seeks to feed & clothe those affected by the opioid crisis living in Kensington Philadelphia. Accepts non perishable food, clothes, shoes, blankets, toiletries, feminine products, clean plastic utensils and take out containers. No longer accepting donations at Havertown location. Please message them directly to donate.

### Media Free Store 350 West State Street, Media

### https://www.facebook.com/groups/mediafreestore

The TTM FreeStore is a part of Transition Town Media and serves as a place to donate used items in good condition and take (for free) items that you can use or repurpose. We hope that the FreeStore will help to meet the needs of everyone. We accept small household items (small enough for one person to easily carry) in clean, working condition. Clothing, shoes or food donations can be brought to the clothing closet and food bank during their operating hours or by making prior arrangements (located in the back of First Church Media).

While everything in the FreeStore is free, we do rely on cash or online donations to keep the doors open. The staff works on a volunteer basis, but we rely on donations (small and large) to pay rent and operating expenses. Please consider making a donation here: https://transitiontownmedia.org/become-a-member/. We are unable to host steady store hours at this time. Please check Facebook page for hours based on volunteers schedules.

### Mother's Home 51 N. MACDADE BLVD. DARBY, PA 19023 https://mothershome.org

# DONATIONS CAN BE DROPPED OFF AT MOTHERS' HOME BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 9:00AM – 3:00PM EVERY DAY. Accepted and non accepted items:

#### PLEASE CALL AHEAD IF IT IS A LARGE DONATION - 610-583-4663

•	Baby Strong and Sensitive) powder or ready to feedDiapers (Sizes NB,3,4,5,6)Wipes (Unscented)Baby Lotion	
	Baby Wash	
	Strap on Baby Carriers	
	New and gently used Baby Clothing (Sizes Newborn; 3-6; 6-9; 9-12;18-24) No toddler sizes	
	New Receiving Blankets	
	Crib Sheets, new only	
	New bibs	
	Undershirts/Onesies (Sizes Newborn; 3-6; 6-9; 9-12;18-24)	
	Socks	Car seats (must be less than 5 years old)
	Laundry Detergent (Dreft or unscented)	All car seats sold at the sale must have been manufactured within the past five years. Car seats must have a sticke on the base that gives manufacture and date information in order to be accepted. All seat covers and straps must
	Infant strollers	be thoroughly cleaned. Seats must not be subject to recall and should not have ever been present in the car during an accident.
	Humidifiers	ITEMS WE ARE <u>NOT</u> IN NEED OF
	Infant rear-facing carseats	Toddler car seats
	Items for Mom:	Toddler strollers
	Laundry Detergent (Purex, ALL, Arm & Hammer, Tide Liquid or Pods)Dish DetergentBars of Soap (Dove/Caress/Dial)	Pack n Plays
	Deodorant	Cribs and mattresses
	Sanitary Napkins, Panty Liners	Toys and stuffed animals
	Maternity Clothes - all sizes	Baby swings
	Plastic Stroller Covers / Mesh Stroller Covers	High chairs
	Uber Gift Cards to get to doctor's appointments (can be purchased at ACME, Rite Aid, Walgreens)	Monitors
	Gift Cards for Target, Walmart, Walgreens, CVS, Fresh Grocer, Shop Rite	Bedding of any kind(except new crib sheets)
	Umbrellas	Clothes larger than 24 months
	Shopping Carts w/4 wheels (2)	Shoes
	Plastic Storage Bins (Medium)	Adult clothes(except maternity)
	Nursing Bras (gift cards for Walmart)	Baby baths
	Toothpaste/Tooth Brushes	Books
	Postage Stamps & Large Envelopes for mailing housing applications	Household items
	Paper Plates, Plastic Utensils, Paper Cups	Breast pumps

## Planet Aid 1901 Old West Chester Pike Havertown PA

Accepts clothes, shoes and other linens. https://www.planetaid.org/what-we-do

### Teachers TeamMates https://teachersteammates.org

*Teachers' Teammates* brings together resources to offer all teachers in Delaware County the opportunity to receive free supplies to use in their classrooms. We provide an easy avenue for businesses and the community to donate goods that can be re-purposed by teachers and students. Donations reduce waste and demonstrate good stewardship of resources and investment in children. No longer accepting packing material (boxes, tissue paper, bubble wrap, silica packets, padded envelopes etc) See below for accepted items. Drop off locations:

- YMCA 891 N Eagle Rd Havertown
- 1413 Fairview Ave Havertown- please leave on top step
- Call 610-273-8222 to arrange home pick up or drop off at 777 Henderson Blvd; Building 11, unit 3, Folcroft, PA

610.331.8972 www.TeachersTeammates.org



**ACCEPTED DONATION LIST:** We are looking for clean, safe and interesting donations that will support our local teachers and students while at the same time preserving our environment. Please note: All donations must be in good working order, readily usable without assembly or repair, free of dirt, mold, water damage or pet hair.

#### SCHOOL SUPPLIES (supplies in bold are a high priority)

- 2-Pocket Folders
- Notebooks: wide and college rule, Composition and Single Subject Spiral
- Filler Paper, wide and college rule
- Paper: Construction, Newsprint, Sketch Books Matte, Wrapping, Poster & Foam Boards
- Reams of copy paper
- Legal Pads and Steno Books
- Books: K-12, all kinds EXCEPT TEXTBOOKS
- Washable Markers, Crayons, Colored Pencils, Highlighters, Dry Erase Markers, #2 Pencils, Erasers (pencil top & "pink"), Pens, Sharpies
- Rulers, Protractors, Compasses
- Working Calculators
- Pencil Pouches and Backpacks
- Glue Sticks and Glue Bottles
- Pencil Sharpeners (hand held and electric)
- Lap size Whiteboards, whiteboard erasers
- Face Masks, Feminine Hygiene & Dental Kits

#### ARTS & CRAFTS SUPPLIES (NEW AND USED)

- Craft kits and misc. Crafting items
- Fabric (full pieces)
- Vinyl and leather pieces
- Notions (buttons, ribbon, trim, rickrack, yarn, thread, zippers, etc.)
- Spools and cores (with thread)
- Toner cartridges (new and used)
- Jewelry, beads (broken is ok)
- Paint and Clean Brushes

#### **OFFICE SUPPLIES**

- Desktop Accessories, Staplers, Tape Dispensers and Refills, File Trays, Standing Files
- 3-ring binders
- File Folders including Hanging Folders (like-new)

#### **CONTAINERS**

- Ziploc bags all sizes: new and used but clean
- Reusable bags: brown paper, canvas
- Plastic Storage Bins, all sizes

#### <u>TOYS</u>

- Toys: new or clean and gently used (except stuffed animals)
- Puzzles and Games (new or all pieces included)

#### ELECTRONICS/INDUSTRIAL/COMMERCIAL

- New earbuds and headphones
- Electronics: i.e. thumb drives
- Lab Equipment: beakers, flasks, test tubes, funnels, microscopes, petri dishes, pipettes, tips and trays, vials, gloves, protective eyewear
- Discontinued Items, Overruns & Surplus Materials
- Cardboard Barrels & X-Large Bins to sort supplies
- Promotional Items

#### **HOUSEHOLD ITEMS**

- Clothespins, corks, cups, plates, only new straws (paper and plastic, NO GLASS)
- Frames (picture or cardboard)
- Greeting cards (new)
- Trash Containers: New or Very Clean/Like-New i.e. office-size, 32-64 gallon to be used as collection bins

#### **MISCELLANEOUS**

- Rubber Bands, Tacks, Push Pins
- Rock and Shell Collections
- Tile (small pieces only, not broken)
- Small Furniture: chairs, tables, easels, bulletin boards, book shelves, etc. in good, clean condition
- Samples and Sample Books of any kind: wallpaper, carpet, paint, laminate, etc.

#### Current Drop-Off Locations:

Havertown YMCA, 891 N. Eagle Rd., Havertown; Teachers' Teammates, 1413 Fairview Ave., Havertown, or call to schedule drop off at 777 Henderson Blvd., Bldg. 11, Unit 3, Folcroft

Please call Teachers' Teammates at 610-331-8972 or email info@TeachersTeammates.org to make arrangements for drop off and possibly pick-up. We can provide a tax-deductible donation receipt. Thank you. (09/18/2022)



1413 Fairview Ave. Havertown, PA 19083 610.331.8972 TeachersTeammates.org

#### THESE ARE THE ITEMS WE ARE UNABLE TO ACCEPT. (06/09/22)

- 8-Track, Cassette and VHS Tapes
- Any containers without lids, stained or broken
- Appliances (except small refrigerators, water coolers or microwaves in working and clean condition)
- Bedding (comforters, pillows, blankets)
- Broken, chipped ceramic, wood, glass figurines
- Clothing (except for costumes or new t-shirts, socks, winter hats, gloves/mittens and scarves)
- Computer monitors
- Containers that once held soap, bleach, petroleum products, vitamins, food or medications
- Cubicles and very large office furniture
- Deli Food Containers
- Dried out paints, markers and pens
- Electronics that are broken or not working
- Glass jars, plates or dishes (except mason jars)
- Hats (except for plastic or hard hats)
- Household furniture
- Knotted or tangled ribbon, yarn or string
- Molded Styrofoam in strange shapes (i.e. from computer and printer boxes)
- Newspapers
- Paper that has already been drawn, cut, written, typed or colored on
- Sharp items such as needles or metal/glass fragments
- Shoes and socks
- TVs
- Used Flashlights
- Workbooks (used)

Please note: All donations must be in good working order, readily usable without assembly or repair, free of dirt, mold, water damage or pet hair. We do not accept any dangerous items such as toxic chemicals, weapons or explosives.

Your donation will enable us to provide access to free and low-cost supplies to educators. Unless otherwise specified by the donor, your donation may be given away free, sold at a nominal cost to educators or sold on our online sites to raise funds for our programs and to achieve our mission that all students and teachers in Delaware County have the supplies they need to succeed in the classroom. Thank you for your contribution.



## Thrift & Thrive (Domestic Abuse Project) 1061 Pontiac Rd, Drexel Hill

https://dapdc.org/thrift/?fbclid=IwAR1W6pCJWV85X\_XdIThrl-USsJDBKVPB\_ScpKSq0Avio5xnJ2I2CJ2VvtTI

In 2002, our thrift store - then known as Nana's Attic - opened as a source of earned income for DAP and a resource for our clients. Every volunteer hour, sale, consignment and donation support DAP's free services to victims of abuse. For information about donations, consignments, or volunteer opportunities, please call us at (610) 325-0768.

### We accept:

- Books
- DVDs, CDs, Records, Cassettes
- Toys & Games
- In Season Clothing
- Shoes
- Accessories/Jewelry
- Handbags/Wallets/Luggage
- Wall Hangings
- Housewares/Garden Items
- Small working Home Appliances
- Working Electronics
- Stationery Supplies
- \*\*Furniture
- Wrought iron, Decorative items
- \*\*Must be approved by the store manager

### We do not accept:

- Linens/Towels unless new
- Bed Frames
- Used Pillow & Cushions
- Used Underclothing & Socks
- Bathing Suits/ PJ"s unless new
- Used Hair Accessories
- Medical Equipment
- Broken/Stained Items
- Lamps/Shades
- Baby Accessories (Car seats, cribs, etc.)
- Carving/Butcher Knives unless new in sealed packaging
- Maternity Clothing
- Exercise/Sports Equipment
- No Men's Suits
- Rugs
- Punch bowls
- Prom Dresses
- Infant/Children's Clothes unless new with tags

# Understanding. Devotion. Take Action. Justice. https://udtj.org

U.D.T.J has been committed to uplifting marginalized community members, including LGBTQ+, BIPOC, and Youth. Our track record includes providing Holiday Assistance Resources and Services, Monthly Outreach Programs, LGBTQ+ Support Meetings, and more. Donated items needed: gently used clothing and shoes, toothpaste, toothbrushes, deodorant, menstrual hygiene products, and hair supplies.

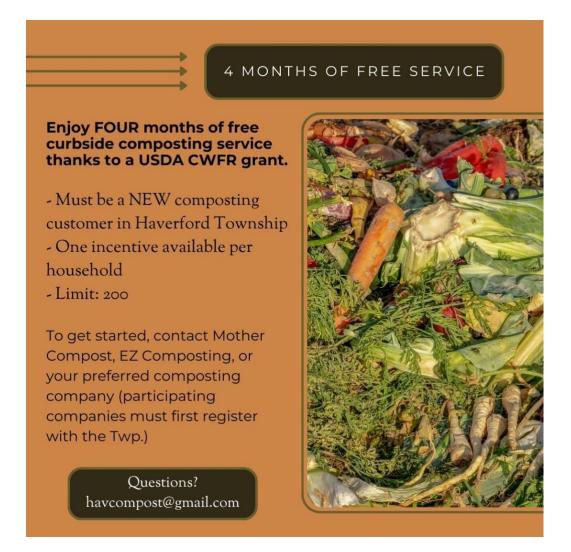
- Drop-off location: U.D.T.J. Community Center, 2nd Floor, 115 Fairfield Avenue, Upper Darby, PA 19082.
- Drop-off hours: Tuesday through Friday, 10:00 AM to 6:00 PM.
- Contact for donations: Kayla Cocci email: kayla@udtj.org

# Food Waste and Composting

# \*New\* Community Compost Bin

Located at Merry Place, 600 Glendale Rd, Havertown. There is 3 - 64 gallon bins for residential drop off.

# **4 Months FREE Composting Service for Haverford Residents**



Residents – did you know that food waste makes up <u>20%</u> of local municipal waste and can be diverted to make compost and create organic fertilizer?

Thanks to a USDA grant, Haverford Township households interested in diverting food waste (and pizza boxes) through a curbside composting service can try it out with FOUR MONTHS OF FREE COMPOSTING SERVICE!

\*\*This program is limited to NEW customers only and one per household (program limit of 600 new participants)\*\*

Residents should directly contact EZ Composting, Mother Compost, or their

composting service provider of choice to participate. For those two particular collectors, residents can easily sign up on their websites. The location of the household triggers either enrollment in the incentive program or an alert that the household is eligible for it. Other composting companies are welcome to participate in the program, at this time only <u>EZ Composting</u> and <u>Mother</u> <u>Compost</u> service Haverford Township.

# \$30 Compost Bin available for Haverford Residents

Learn how to compost food waste in your backyard! We've invited a local compost entrepreneur, Gwenn Nolan of Mother Compost, to share her knowledge and passion with us. After attending Haverford Twp



residents are eligible to purchase a compost bin for \$30 (while supplies last). Register for an upcoming workshop through the Haverford Park & Rec Dept online registration or email <u>Havcompost@gmail.com</u> with questions.

Youtube vídeo: <u>https://youtu.be/pzEi9\_M7r1A</u>

# Apps to limit Food Waste

- Flash Food <u>https://www.flashfood.com</u>
- Hungry Harvest <u>https://hungryharvest.net</u>
- Imperfect Foods <u>https://www.imperfectfoods.com</u>
- Misfits Market https://www.misfitsmarket.com/?exp=plans\_rollback&exp=co\_cfc
- TooGoodToGo <u>https://www.toogoodtogo.com/en-us</u>

# **Caring for Friends**

https://caringforfriends.org

Caring for Friends<sup>™</sup>, formerly known as Aid for Friends, is one of the largest food banks and most comprehensive senior meals delivery programs in the 5-county Greater Philadelphia region. Our **senior meals program** serves over 28,000 clients, the majority of whom are homebound seniors and veterans. Through our **food bank's community food redistribution** we provide fresh,



frozen and pantry stable food to 250 faith organizations and community nonprofits to fill their pantries and support their group cooking events.

How to donate frozen meals to St. Dennis Catholic Church (2401 Saint Denis Lane, Havertown): Just turn down Saint Denis Lane and park in the lot behind the church. There's a cream colored building behind the church and the freezer is the door furthest on the right. Available 24/7 but locked; The code to get in is 9484. They have a four pack of containers with a sheet to fill out with ingredients, take as many as you'd like! Fill it with leftovers, freeze it and drop back off. The freezer number for St Dennis is 127. When you bring them back you just need to fill out the sign in sheet on the fridge with how many meals you're putting in. (Another location at St. Paul's Lutheran Church: 415 E. Athens Ave, Ardmore)

### EZ Composting https://www.ezcomposting.com

Biweekly bucket pick up. Residential \$19.90/month or \$229/year. Commercial options available also. Compost available for purchase.

# Linvilla Composting Program

https://www.linvilla.com/uncategorized/pumpkin-corn-shockand-straw-bale-compost-program

Starting Nov 1 you can compost pumpkins, corn shocks, and straw bales by dropping them off in the collection bin centrally located in the main parking lot. Pumpkins can be placed in a paper bag or cardboard box if needed. Questions email <u>sarahm@linvilla.com</u>

### Mother Compost https://mothercompost.com

- 5 gallon Container collection every other week on designated day
- Clean container after each pick-up, including fresh container liner
- Automatic 30 day free trial for all subscribers if not satisfied after that time cancel at no cost.
- Option to request up to 60 pounds of finished compost for free in spring (March April); can purchase additional also.
- SMS & Email reminders
- Partnered with Shift to offer a \$10 bucket swap for those living in apartments or condos. Contacts Shift for details and business hours.



Pumpkin, Corn Shock, and Straw Bale Compost Program



### **RESIDENTIAL SERVICE**

#### MC ACCEPTED MATERIALS LIST

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NUMBER OF BUCKETS	MONTHLY	ANNUAL Saves 10%	FOOD Coffee Grounds/Filters Cooked/Fried Food Dairy Products & Powdered Milk Eqg Shells	FOOD Meat/Poultry Seafood Shellfish Gum	FOOD     • Tea     • If loose → compost     • Natural bag w/ NO staple →     compost
<b>8</b>	\$26	<b>\$281</b> - <del>\$312 -</del>	<ul> <li>Freezer-burned/ Rotten/ Moldy Foods</li> <li>Fruits &amp; Vegetables <ul> <li>Peels/pits/seeds Grains:</li> <li>Pasta/bread/rice</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	OTHER • Inorganic Materials • IE: Plastic, Acrylic, Polyester,	<ul> <li>Natural bag w/ staple → remove staple &amp; compost</li> <li>Synthetic teabag → trash</li> </ul>
	\$29	<b>\$313</b> <del>\$340-</del>	Seeds/Nuts/Nut shells     Processed Food     Pizza & Pizza Boxes         • Max of 5 boxes per collection	Rubber • Rubber Bands • Twist Ties • Animal or Human Waste • Chemicals/Toxins	RECYCLABLES Cardboard/Paper/Paper Products • If waxy → recycle or trash • If Clean → recycle • If non waxy and greasy/covered
	\$32	\$346 - <del>\$384</del> -	ORGANIC MATERIALS ONLY IF it fits in your bin • BPI-Certified Compostable Ware • EXCEPT Compostable Utensits	Cigarette Butts     Coal – Treated     Diapers     Diseased Plants     Herbicides/Pesticides	<ul> <li>in food → compost</li> <li>Newspaper, single sheets</li> <li>Corks</li> </ul>
<b>3/ 3/ 3/ 3/</b>	\$35	\$378 \$420-	Only Wooden Cutlery Accepted     Hair/Nail Clippings- Human or Animal Sawdust & Pencil Shavings     Toothpicks	Kitty Litter / Chicken Bedding     Medicine/Medical Waste     Treated Wood     Used Tissues     E-waste	If natural → compost     If synthetic/wax coated→ trash
<u>s s s s s</u>	\$40	\$432 - <del>\$180-</del>	<ul> <li>Fireplace Ashes ( not charcoal )</li> <li>Garden/Yard Trimmings</li> <li>Houseplant Trimmings</li> </ul>		Mother Compost Ouestions? Email us at info@mothercompost.com

## My Kitchen Harvest

### https://www.mykitchenharvest.com

We provide a 5-gallon bucket with lid to store your food scraps. You may want to line your bucket with a paper bag to maintain cleanliness. If we have room for it, yard waste goes in your own can without a liner, or in a large paper leaf bag. We'll let you know our yard waste capabilities in your collection reminder email. We pick up your kitchen and yard waste curbside every other week. \$18/month

# Other items

Looking for something not listed here? For other recycling options search: <a href="http://www.earth911.com">www.earth911.com</a>