



Special Collection for Hard-to-Recycle Items January 14

Do you have items that are still good to use, but you don't know where to take them? After the usual materials have been collected at curbside or recycling facilities, other materials remain that can be reused or require special handling to recycle. These materials can be kept out of the landfill and/or properly disposed of to protect the environment.



We have compiled a list of places which will put your unneeded items to good use or make sure any hazardous materials are disposed of properly. Many of them will even give you a donation slip for tax contributions!

These Hard-to-Recycle Collections rotate quarterly between East, South and West Buncombe County.

COLLECTING THESE ITEMS ONLY

Styrofoam, packaging (clean, dry; NO tape/glue, take-out; sorted & bagged)
Styrofoam collected by Rainbow Recycling (a community service)
Bubble wrap, peanuts for shipping reuse by area artisans, businesses

Rigid plastics (lawn furniture, toys, buckets, flower pots, bins, etc.)
Hard back books (poor condition, outdated only)
Recycling by Curbside Management
Flower pots available for reuse by local growers

Electronics (donations requested for TV's & CRT monitors)
Computer disks, audio & video tapes, printer & fax cartridges

Batteries – rechargeable & single use

Recycling by E-cycleUs
Disks for artist reuse; cartridges for school/organization recycling fundraisers

Small appliances
Rainbow Recycling fundraiser

Cooking Oil
Blue Ridge Biofuels/Cooking Oil Recycling Program

Unusable clothing/fabric (clean & dry; NO moldy, quilted, vinyl or leather)
ABCCM (Asheville Buncombe Community Christian Ministry) recycling fundraiser

Eyeglasses
Valley Springs Lions Club

Plastic gift cards, old credit cards
Trash, Inc. Creative Reuse Center

Saturday, January 14, 2012 11am – 3pm
NO EARLY/LATE DROP-OFFS (Snow Date: Saturday, January 21, 2012, 11am – 3pm)
KMart, 1830 Hendersonville Road, Asheville
(parking area across from Chick-fil-A)

Sponsored by: Rainbow Recycling, Asheville GreenWorks Curbside Management, E-cycleUs

Questions? Contact Rainbow Recycling 669-5459 info@rainbowrecycling.org

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