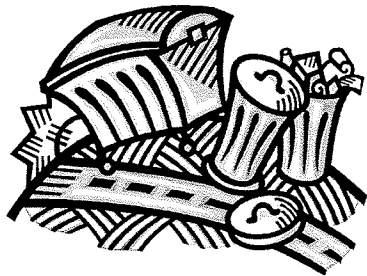


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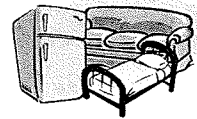
# TALK

## A GUIDE TO THE DISPOSAL & RECYCLING OF YOUR UNWANTED TRASH ITEMS



Provided by:  
Clear Lake Township  
4260 Old Route 36, Springfield, IL 62707  
Phone: 523-4210 Fax: 523-4403  
[www.ClearLakeTownship.net](http://www.ClearLakeTownship.net)

### Large Items



#### LOCAL WASTE HAULERS

Call to verify service area and current pricing

**Allied Waste** [www.alliedwastespringfield.com](http://www.alliedwastespringfield.com)  
1730 S. Dirksen Pkwy., Springfield Phone: 522-7797  
Hours: 7:30am-5pm, Monday-Friday

- Call for home pick-up of oversized items
  - Mattresses/Box springs: \$20.00**
  - Appliances: \$30.00 (no refrigerators or freezers-no Freon allowed)
  - Furniture: Price depends on type of furniture (i.e. couch:\$25)
  - Must have weekly garbage service with them

#### **Illini Disposal**

1528 N. 11th St., Springfield Phone: 789-7025  
Hours: 7am-4pm, Monday-Friday

- Call for home pick-up of oversized items:
  - Call for price quote
  - Additional fee for bigger items
  - Must have weekly garbage service with them

#### **Lake Area Disposal** [www.lakeareadisposal.com](http://www.lakeareadisposal.com)

2106 E. Cornell Ave., Springfield Phone: 522-9317  
Hours: 8am-4pm Monday-Thursday, 8am-3pm Friday

- Call for home pick-up of oversized items:
  - Mattresses and box springs: \$15.00 each**
  - Appliances: \$25.00 (no refrigerators or freezers, no Freon allowed)
  - Must have weekly garbage service with them

#### **Waste Management** [www.wm.com](http://www.wm.com)

3000 E. Ash St., Springfield Phone: 800-796-9696  
Phone: Landfill drop-off 523-5498  
Hours: 7am-5:30pm Monday-Friday

- Call to verify pick-up of oversized items is available in your area & for cost details
  - Must have weekly garbage service with them

#### DROP-OFF LOCATIONS

#### **F & W Resources** [www.affordableshred.com](http://www.affordableshred.com)

3327 Terminal Ave., Springfield Phone: 525-1206  
Hours: 8am-4pm Monday-Thursday, 8am-2:30pm Friday

- Will accept appliances without Freon

#### **Ley Metals Recycling Inc.**

3000 North Peoria Rd., Springfield Phone: 523-7676  
Hours: 7am-4pm Monday-Friday

- Accepts some metal appliances (call to verify)

#### DROP-OFF LOCATIONS (cont')

#### **Mervis Iron** [www.mervis.com](http://www.mervis.com)

1100 S. Ninth St., Springfield Phone: 753-1492  
Hours: 8 a.m-4:15 p.m. Monday-Friday, 8am-Noon Saturday

- Accepts large metal appliances without cooling units
- If needs Freon removed: \$15 charge per unit

#### **Sangamon Valley Landfill**

2565 Sand Hill Rd., Springfield Phone: 525-4030  
Hours: 6am-2:30pm Monday-Friday for pick up or pick up w/trailer  
6am-3:15pm Monday-Friday for dump truck

#### •**Mattresses/Box springs: \$11.00 each**

- Call for current pricing
- Do not except appliances, batteries, tires, yard waste, paint or fluorescent light bulbs

#### **Waste Management Transfer Station** [www.wm.com](http://www.wm.com)

3000 E. Ash, Springfield Phone: 525-5497  
Hours: 7am-3pm Monday-Friday, 8am-11am Saturday

- Accepts solid waste, including remodeling and demolition debris and bulky items
- Accepts large appliances without Freon
- Charge: \$45 per ton of material (call for current pricing)

### Yard Waste



#### **Local Waster Haulers**

- Call to verify service is offered in your area
- Accept grass, leaves and other yard waste
- Must be in paper yard waste bags or an enclosed can marked "yard waste"
  - can be purchased at various hardware and grocery stores
- must have special yard waste sticker from your local waste hauler
  - sticker cost: \$1.50 each
  - available at the hauler's office & various hardware stores (Lowe's, Big R)

#### **Evan's Recycling, Inc.**

2100 J. David Jones Pkwy., Springfield Phone: 391-0886  
Hours: 7am-6pm Monday-Friday, 7am-2pm Saturday

- accepts leaves, grass clippings & gumballs
  - cost: \$1.50/bag
- accepts branches (limbs)
  - \$20.00/pick-up truck load

# Recycling



## CURBSIDE (BLUE BOX) RECYCLING

### Local Waste Haulers

- Call to verify if offered in your area & for recycle bin
- Items accepted:
  - Paper—clean & dry newspapers, junk mail & chipboard (single-ply cardboard used for cereal, tissue, magazines & soda boxes)
  - Plastic—bottles & jugs with #1 & #2 recycling symbols
  - Metal—food cans, aluminum beverage cans, pie tins, clean aluminum foil, empty aerosol cans (no paint)
- Preparation Guidelines
  - Use paper bags (not plastic) to separate materials
  - Place paper in separate bag or on bottom of bin
  - Rinse containers & remove lids, rings or protective foil
  - Place metal & plastic containers together in a plastic bag

## 24 HOUR DROP-OFF RECYCLING CENTERS

### Lake Area Recycling Services

- Accepts the following 24 hours/day, 7 days/week
  - cardboard
  - Chipboard
  - Junk Mail
  - magazines
  - Newspaper
  - Tin cans
  - aluminum cans
  - #1—#7 plastics

## BUY BACK CENTERS (call for current rates)

### F & W Resources

- scrap aluminum—all grades
- scrap iron
- copper/tin

### Springfield Iron & Metal

930 N. Wolfe St., Springfield Phone: 544-7131  
 Hours: 7:30am-3:50pm Monday-Friday, 7:30am-Noon Saturday  
 • aluminum • copper • brass

### Lake Area Recycling [www.lakeareadisposal.com](http://www.lakeareadisposal.com)

2742 S. 6th St., Springfield Phone: 522-9271  
 Hours: 8am-4pm Monday-Friday, 8am-Noon Saturday  
 • aluminum cans • copper • brass  
 • scrap aluminum • radiators

### Ley Metals Recycling Inc.

- aluminum cans
- copper
- stainless steel
- brass
- precious metals
- motors
- lead
- zinc
- radiators

### Mervis Iron

- industrial scrap
- farm scrap
- scrap appliances
- sheet iron
- aluminum-cans/scrap
- metal & iron
- brass
- copper
- stainless steel

# Recycling (cont')

## COMPUTER RECYCLING

**BLH Enterprises** [www.blhcomputers.com](http://www.blhcomputers.com)  
 1832 Stevenson Dr., Springfield Phone: 585-1580  
 Hours: 8am-6pm Monday-Friday, 10am-6pm Saturday

- Accepts all electronics
  - Monitors: \$10 charge (some)
  - TVs: \$50 charge (some)
  - All other electronics: No Charge

## CHARITABLE ORGANIZATIONS

**Computer Banc** [www.computerbanc.org](http://www.computerbanc.org)  
 1023 E. Washington St., Springfield Phone: 528-9506  
 Hours: 1:30pm-3:30pm Monday/Wednesday/Friday,  
 6:15pm-7:30pm Tuesday

- Accepts used computer equipment in working condition:
  - hard drives
  - monitors
  - keyboards
  - printers
  - mice
  - software
- Computers should have Pentium processors
- Drop-off the 1st and 3rd Saturday of each month at no charge 10am-2pm

**The Salvation Army-Main** [www.salvationarmy.org](http://www.salvationarmy.org)  
 229 N. 11th St., Springfield Phone: 528-8398

- Items accepted: (must be in good useable condition)
  - household items
  - carpeting
  - kitchenware
  - electronic equipment
  - bed sets
  - lawn equipment
  - musical instruments
  - appliances
  - wooden furniture
  - patio furniture
  - clothes
  - automobiles

**Goodwill Industries** [www.shopgoodwill.com](http://www.shopgoodwill.com)  
 2531 N. Dirksen Pkwy., Springfield Phone: 753-3620  
 Hours: 9am-7pm Monday-Saturday, Noon-6pm Sunday

- Drop boxes throughout the city
- Items accepted:
  - clothing
  - kitchenware
  - knickknacks
  - other household items
- No large items accepted (appliances and furniture)

### The Care Center

319 N. 5th St., Springfield Phone: 525-5630  
 Hours: 9 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Monday-Thursday

- Accepts baby-related items, including small furniture and clothing
- Drop off at center's office or call

### Habitat for Humanity ReStore

[www.habitatsangamon.com](http://www.habitatsangamon.com)  
 2744 S. 6th St., Springfield Phone: 787-7209  
 Donation and sale hours: 10am-6pm Tuesday - Saturday

- Visit the website for complete list of acceptable items



# Hazardous Materials

## HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE

### IL EPA-Waste Reduction Unit

Phone: 785-8604 Website: [ww.epa.state.il.us/land/hazardous-waste/household-haz-waste/index.html](http://ww.epa.state.il.us/land/hazardous-waste/household-haz-waste/index.html)

- Check website for any upcoming collections

## TIRES

### Various service stations

- Charge between \$2 & \$5 for one standard tire
  - Johnson & Johnson Auto Service Center
  - Neal Tire & Auto
  - Midtown Tire & Auto Service

### IL EPA-Used Tire Program

Phone: 785-8605 Website: [www.epa.state.il.us/land/tires/waste-tire-collections.html](http://www.epa.state.il.us/land/tires/waste-tire-collections.html)

- Check website for any upcoming collections

## USED MOTOR OIL

### Various service stations

- Limits and charges vary at each location
  - Auto Zone-All Springfield locations
  - Johnson & Johnson Auto Service Center

## RECHARGEABLE BATTERIES

### Various battery stores [www.rbrc.org](http://www.rbrc.org)

- Call to verify types accepted, limits & charges
  - Batteries Plus
  - Radio Shack
  - Springfield Battery
  - Mr. Battery

# USEFUL WEBSITES

Call 2 Recycle: [www.rbrc.org](http://www.rbrc.org)

Freecycle: [www.freecycle.org](http://www.freecycle.org)

Earth 911: [Earth911.org](http://Earth911.org)

Sangamon County Dept. of Public Health:  
[www.scdph.org](http://www.scdph.org)