

## Alternative Recycling and Disposal Options

### PAPER SHREDDING

Drop-Off Event - Provided by Oakland County Parks & Oakland County Sheriff

Friday, October 11, 9 AM – 11 AM

Cost: Free to Oakland County Residents

Location: Oakland County Farmers Market

2350 Pontiac Lake Rd

Waterford, MI 48328

LINK to flyer: <https://www.oakgov.com/parks/Resources/WCM%20Shredding%20Flyer.pdf>

Drop-Off Location - Provided by SOCCRA

Monday-Friday 9 AM – 5 PM

Saturday 7 AM – 1 PM

Cost: Free to the public

Location: SOCCRA

995 Coolidge, Troy, MI

(between 14 Mile and Maple)

LINK to relevant website page: <https://www.socrra.org/paper-shredder>

### HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE

Drop-Off Event – Provided by NoHaz communities

Saturday, September 7, 8 AM – 2 PM

Cost: \$50

Location: Oakland Community College, Highland Lakes Campus

7350 Cooley Lake Road, Waterford

(Enter from Hospital Road)

LINK to brochure:

[https://www.oakgov.com/advantageoakland/resources/Documents/OaklandCounty\\_NoHaz\\_Brochure\\_2019.pdf](https://www.oakgov.com/advantageoakland/resources/Documents/OaklandCounty_NoHaz_Brochure_2019.pdf)

Drop-Off Event – Provided by NoHaz Communities

Saturday, October 12, 8 AM – 2 PM

Cost: \$50

Location: Oakland County Service Center Campus

1200 N. Telegraph Road, Pontiac

Courthouse 1200 Building

(Enter on County Center Drive East and follow the signs to parking lot near Building 25E)

LINK to brochure:

[https://www.oakgov.com/advantageoakland/resources/Documents/OaklandCounty\\_NoHaz\\_Brochure\\_2019.pdf](https://www.oakgov.com/advantageoakland/resources/Documents/OaklandCounty_NoHaz_Brochure_2019.pdf)

Drop-Off Location – Provided by ERG Environmental Services

Monday – Friday 9 AM – 4 PM

Cost: \$0.75/lb with a \$20 minimum

Location: 13040 Merriman, Livonia, MI 48150

(South of I-96)

Phone: 734-437-9650

LINK to relevant website page: <https://ergenvironmental.com/services-listing/household-hazardous-waste-drop-off/>

LINK to Flyer: <https://ergenvironmental.com/wp-content/uploads/2018/01/erg-dropoff-livonia.pdf>

## **ELECTRONICS RECYCLING**

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Phone: 734-437-9650

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Drop-Off Location – Provided by JVS Human Services

Tuesdays, 8 AM – 2 PM

Cost: Free

Location: 29699 Southfield Road, Southfield, MI 48076

(Use southside entrance of building by Arby's, look for eCycle logo and ring the bell for service)

Phone: 248-233-4477

LINK to relevant website page: <https://www.jvshumanservices.org/business-services/electronics-recycling/>

Drop-Off Location – Provided by Great Lakes Electronics

Fridays, 10 AM – 3 PM

Cost: Free (limit 8 items per person)

Location: 6635 Sterling Drive South, Sterling Heights, MI 48312

Phone: 888-392-7831

LINK to relevant website page: <https://www.ewaste1.com/consumer-services/>

Drop-Off Location – High Tech Recycling

Monday – Friday, 9 AM – 5 PM

Cost: Free (No tube TVs accepted & tube monitors \$10)

Location: 37 West Yale Ave. Pontiac, MI 48340

Phone: 248-270-5842

LINK to flyer: <https://www.bloomfieldtp.org/Government/Services/EES-Department/Environmental-Services/Electronic-Waste-Light-Bulb-Recycling/High-tech-Recycling-Flyer.aspx>

LINK to website: [www.hightechrecyclingmi.com](http://www.hightechrecyclingmi.com)

### **Retail Store Drop-Off Options:**

**Staples** – No charge, limit 7 items per day, no televisions or oversized printers

LINK: Staples Free Electronics Recycling

<https://www.staples.com/sbd/cre/marketing/sustainability-center/recycling-services/electronics/>

**Office Depot/Office Max** – Purchase \$5, \$10 or \$15 box, fill with electronics and bring into store

LINK: Office Depot – Tech Recycling Service Brochure

[https://www.officedepot.com/speciallinks/us/od/docs/promo/pages/docs/techrecyclingbroch\\_july.pdf](https://www.officedepot.com/speciallinks/us/od/docs/promo/pages/docs/techrecyclingbroch_july.pdf)

**Best Buy** – Most items free, limit 3 items per day

LINK: Electronics and Appliances Recycling at Best Buy

<https://www.bestbuy.com/site/services/recycling/pcmcat149900050025.c?id=pcmcat149900050025>

## **MEDICATION DISPOSAL**

Drop-Off Location – Bloomfield Township Police Department – Operation Medicine Cabinet

24 Hours a day, 7 days a week

Cost: Free

Location: 4200 Telegraph Rd., Bloomfield Township Police Department

(Take to the front desk)\*\*Only prescription drugs may be dropped off; no vitamins, supplements, needles or Epi-pens are permitted.

LINK to Operation Medicine Cabinet:

<https://oakgov.maps.arcgis.com/apps/webappviewer/index.html?id=db4052d9ca5c4e1798a7dfd2a54e3c25>

LINK to relevant Township webpage: <https://www.bloomfieldtp.org/Government/Services/Police/Community-Services.aspx>

Drop-Off Location Search – Registered by the U.S. Drug Enforcement Agency (DEA)

Cost: Free

LINK to program information: [https://www.deadiversion.usdoj.gov/drug\\_disposal/index.html](https://www.deadiversion.usdoj.gov/drug_disposal/index.html)

LINK to locations within 10 miles of 48302:

<https://apps2.deadiversion.usdoj.gov/pubdispsearch/spring/main?execution=e1s5>

Drop-Off Location Search – National Association of Boards of Pharmacy (NABP)

Cost: Free

LINK to location search: <https://nabp.pharmacy/initiatives/awarxe/drug-disposal-locator/>

Drop-Off Location search – Walgreens Drop-Off Kiosks

Cost: Free

LINK to location search:

<https://walgreens.maps.arcgis.com/apps/MapSeries/index.html?appid=53cf1b54abf34c4bacdec863e5c56391>

LINK: MDEQ Minute YouTube video on Household Drug Disposal

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mXNX0IcbWIs&feature=youtu.be>

LINK: Save a Life Brochure – Medication Disposal Steps

[https://www.michigan.gov/documents/deq/deq-oea-waste-mha-Medication\\_Disposal\\_Tool\\_Final\\_537793\\_7.pdf](https://www.michigan.gov/documents/deq/deq-oea-waste-mha-Medication_Disposal_Tool_Final_537793_7.pdf)

LINK: Is my medication a “Controlled Substance”?

[https://www.michigan.gov/egle/0,9429,7-135-3312\\_4118\\_74618-425513--,00.html](https://www.michigan.gov/egle/0,9429,7-135-3312_4118_74618-425513--,00.html)

LINK: EGLE (MI Dept of Environment, Great Lakes & Energy) – Drug Disposal Information

[https://www.michigan.gov/egle/0,9429,7-135-3312\\_4118\\_74618--,00.html](https://www.michigan.gov/egle/0,9429,7-135-3312_4118_74618--,00.html)

LINK: Product Stewardship Institute – What to do with leftover medicines in Michigan

<https://www.productstewardship.us/page/1052>

## **RECYCLING SEARCH TOOLS**

LINK: EGLE Michigan Recycling Directory

<https://recyclesearch.com/profile/michigan-directory>

LINK: How2Recycle

<https://www.how2recycle.info/>

LINK: Earth911 – Where to Recycle Search

[https://search.earth911.com/?utm\\_source=earth911-header&utm\\_medium=top-navigation-menu&utm\\_campaign=top-nav-recycle-search-button](https://search.earth911.com/?utm_source=earth911-header&utm_medium=top-navigation-menu&utm_campaign=top-nav-recycle-search-button)

## **OTHER MISC DISPOSAL ITEMS:**

**TIRES:** Discount Tire Stores will accept old tires for \$2.50/tire without the wheel

**MOTOR OIL:** Uncle Ed's Oil Shoppe will accept motor oil at no charge as long as no radiator fluid is mixed in.

**LOWES:** provide one stop for customers to recycle CFL bulbs, rechargeable batteries, cellphones and plastic bags.

LINK to promo image: [https://1g0r7s45brd833po5f1d5yyb-wpengine.netdna-ssl.com/wp-content/uploads/2017/02/L\\_Rechargeable-Battery\\_021617-e1550265115550-768x1075.jpg](https://1g0r7s45brd833po5f1d5yyb-wpengine.netdna-ssl.com/wp-content/uploads/2017/02/L_Rechargeable-Battery_021617-e1550265115550-768x1075.jpg)

**BATTERIES + BULBS STORES:** Battery and Bulb recycling services

LINK to relevant webpage: Battery Recycling Services

<https://www.batteriesplus.com/t/recycling/battery>

LINK to relevant webpage: Light Bulb Recycling Services

<https://www.batteriesplus.com/t/recycling/light-bulb>

**PLASTIC FILM RECYCLING (Plastic Bags):**

LINK: How2Recycle Plastic Film

<https://www.how2recycle.info/sdo>

LINK: PlasticFilmRecycling.org – Info and Drop-off locations

<https://www.plasticfilmrecycling.org/recycling-bags-and-wraps/plastic-film-education-individuals/learn-whats-recyclable/>