Going Green... It Just Takes a Little Extra Effort

Local recycling and reuse sites provide options for specialized recycling needs

Curbside trash hauling options provide many ways Anderson residents can recycle unneeded or used items such as paper, cans, glass and textiles.

However, those pesky larger items, like televisions, household chemicals, tires and electronics will end up in the landfill if you set them out on trash day...unless you take an extra step.

The good news is Anderson residents can continue to recycle their not-so-common household items by visiting convenient local businesses, or area recycling or reuse drop-offs sites.

The Hamilton County Recycling and Solid Waste District has made your search for these reuse/recycling spots a little easier with a comprehensive drop-off outlet list. This list of items includes the Top 20 items searched for at *HamiltonCountyRecycles.org*. Don't see what you are looking for on this list? Visit the county's recycling website for the complete list of locations and items that can be recycled.

Televisions

Best Buy in Eastgate is closest option at 650 Eastgate South Drive.

Pesticides, Garden Chemicals, Fertilizers, Oil-based Paint - (full or partially full), Solvent, Gas, Household Cleaner

No outlet in Anderson Township. Two companies in Cincinnati accept hazardous waste for a fee:

• Environmental Enterprises, Inc., 4600 Spring Grove Avenue, Cincinnati.

• Midwest Environmental, 3118 Spring Grove Avenue, Cincinnati.

Latex Paint (full or partially full)

No outlet in Anderson Township. Check out link for other disposal options: <u>http://www.hamiltoncountyrecycles.org/residents/</u> household_chemicals_and_pharmaceuticals/paint_disposal

Motor Oil

Auto Zone, 8500 Beechmont Ave., accepts up to five gallons per day at no charge. Call prior to confirm acceptance. Also accepts car batteries.

Tires

Tire Discounters, 8600 Beechmont Ave. Charges a fee.

Batteries- single use

- Batteries Plus Bulbs, 7850 Beechmont Avenue. Also accepts lithium-ion, nickel cadmium, button/coin cell, and nickel metal hydride for a small fee.
- Cohen Recycling, 4538 Kellogg Ave. Also accepts lithium-ion, nickel cadmium, and button/coin cell for a small fee.
- Some Lowe's locations accept single use batteries at no charge, including the location near Anderson at 618 Mount Moriah Dr.

Propane Tank

Auxier Gas, 2698 Old State Route 32. Accepts propane tanks at no charge. Contract prior to confirm acceptance.

Antifreeze

Monroe Muffler & Brake, 7955 Beechmont Ave. No charge. Call prior to confirm acceptance.

Fluorescent Tube

Batteries Plus Bulbs, 7850 Beechmont Ave. May be a small charge. (Also accepts compact fluorescent lights.)

Refrigerators and Air Conditioners

Round Bottom Recycling, 5100 River Valley Road (Milford). \$10 for Freon-containing item. Also accepts microwaves, car batteries, lawnmowers, motorcycles and other metal at no charge.

Fluorescent Bulbs (CFLs)

- Batteries Plus Bulbs, 7850 Beechmont Ave. May be a small charge. (Also accepts compact fluorescent lights.)
- The Home Depot, 520 Beechmont Ave. No charge.

Cardboard

Anderson Township's 24/7 Recycling Center, 7954 Beechmont Ave.

Electronics and Computers

- Cohen Recycling, 4538 Kellogg Ave. Fee charged.
- Goodwill, 4051 Commercial Blvd. Accepts usable electronics less than three years old, flat screen TVs only; no CRT or projection.
- St. Vincent de Paul, 2300 Beechmont Ave. Accepts usable electronics no more than 10 years old and usable flat screen TVs less than 10 years old (no CRT or projection).

Clothing/Textiles

Anderson Township's 24/7 Recycling Center, 7954 Beechmont Ave. (Use the white Simple Recycling bin.)