

eco-cycle ZERO WASTE Holiday Guide

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Green Guide to Gifts



Thanks to the city of Boulder for sponsorship of this guide.



'Tis the season

of celebration, snow, family and... waste? Unfortunately, as we enjoy this wonderful time of year, we also tend to create dramatically more waste, destroying more of our precious resources. Is there any way to avoid it?

Yes! In this pull-and-save guide, you will find suggestions for creatively avoiding waste in the first place, recycling those difficult items specific to this time of year and ideas for eco-friendly gift giving.

Happy Holidays!
Your friends at
Eco-Cycle

Buy local

Consider gifts like baked goods from a local bakery, shares to a CSA (community-supported agriculture), or gifts purchased from locally-owned stores.

↓ CHECK IT OUT

For a listing of locally-owned businesses:
www.localsustainability.net or
www.boulder-iba.org

For gift baskets with Boulder-based products:

Organic Boulder:
www.organicboulder.com,
303-440-1295

Boulder's Best Organics:
www.bouldersbestorganics.com,
303-499-6742

Basket Kase:
www.bbkase.com, 303-543-1405

For gift baskets with Colorado-based products:
www.coloradobaskets.com,
303-664-1401

Share your gifts

Rather than wrapping up a present, give a gift certificate for your talents like knitting or cooking. For the person who has everything but time, give a service like shoveling snow, babysitting, cleaning, helping with yard work, mending clothes, organizing photos, teaching a computer program, etc. Help someone "green up" by going through their home to give it an energy upgrade with CFL bulbs, window caulking, extra insulation, etc.

↓ CHECK IT OUT

For sharing gifts and other eco-friendly ideas:
www.newdream.org/holiday/giftideastaff.php

Revive an old gift

Do the loved ones on your list have a gift they already love, but that's broken? Lamps, window screens, door locks, and garden and power tools can all be fixed at several of our local hardware stores. There are also local repair options for vacuums, sewing machines, textiles, backpacks, shoes, knives, etc.

Give gifts that keep giving

Choose holiday gifts that will help your loved ones reduce their resource consumption all year long, such as a reusable tote bag or travel mug, potted herbs, a new or refurbished bike, bus passes, a bike tune-up, an energy- or water-saving device, a compost bin, a pack of rechargeable batteries and a recharger, or a case of compact fluorescent light bulbs.

↓ CHECK IT OUT

For a gift certificate to the CHaRM: www.ecocycle.org/charm

Contribute in a loved-one's name

For the person who has everything they need, consider giving a donation to someone who is in need through a favorite organization or group.

↓ CHECK IT OUT

For customizable donations:
www.tisbest.org,
www.justgive.org

Take them out to the ball game

Give the gift of an activity, such as a movie, museum visit, dinner at an organic restaurant, a massage, a pass to a health center or a Netflix membership.

↓ CHECK IT OUT

For carbon credit purchasing to offset the greenhouse gases created during your travel: www.sustainabletravelinternational.org

Buy from businesses that support your environmental values

Purchase presents from businesses that use sustainable resources such as reused, recycled or organic materials. Check companies' websites for information on their environmental policies and practices—and support those businesses working toward a sustainable future. Look for "Eco-Cycle Zero Waste Community Partner" window clings identifying businesses who are recycling, composting and purchasing for Zero Waste, as well as signs identifying businesses participating in the PACE program (Partners for a Clean Environment).

↓ CHECK IT OUT

For a list of local Zero Waste businesses:
www.ecocycle.org/zws



Green Gifts Online



ecocycle.org/estore makes it easy to give green this holiday season (and year-round)! On the Eco-Cycle eStore, you'll find the best reusable water bottles, recycled paper, safe kids' products, and much more. Our staff have researched and separated the truly green products from all the rest so you can shop comfortably with a group you can trust.

gaiam.com is a Broomfield-based company and a great place to find organic, free-trade and earth-friendly products.

greenheartguide.net lists local businesses that offer sustainable or healthful products and/or operate in an environmentally-responsible way. Call 303-444-4323 for a printed guide.

vivaterra.com has a selection of handcrafted gifts made from sustainable resources by environmentally-friendly suppliers.

abundantearth.com offers a variety of environmentally-sensitive products and services, such as gifts made from recycled materials and natural personal care and home products.

ecobaby.com provides environmentally- and health-friendly items for children and parents, including toys, books, bedding, diapers and clothing.

greenhome.com has an online shopping center for natural, organic and non-toxic household products, and a checklist for greening every room in your house.

thegreenguide.com has a buying guide for everything from appliances to cosmetics to kids' supplies. Each entry shows you "What to look for," "Shopping and Usage Tips," "Product Comparisons," and more.

ecomall.com is a directory of organic and earth-friendly products and companies. The site also provides resources for those interested in becoming involved with environmental issues and networking with others who support the environment.

nubiusorganics.com offers products to help you get closer to no-impact living, including great gift ideas from reusable bottles and bags to organic baby products.

❄️ CHECK IT OUT

Visit www.greenamericatoday.org/pubs/greenpages for a full directory of thousands of screened and approved green businesses and fair trade organizations offering services and products for everything from accessories to Zero Waste services. Search by "Colorado" to find local companies.

Holiday Recycling Guide

► From batteries to wrapping paper, your resource for recycling holiday-related items.

If the material you're looking for is not on this list, call us at 303-444-6634 or visit our website at www.ecocycle.org. Check our online Guide to Hard-to-Recycle Materials for other unusual recycling items you may accumulate over the holidays or year-round.

orange 8.5" x 11" office envelopes) also cannot be recycled. All other envelopes can be recycled in your single-stream recycling bin.

Food Scraps

Compost your food scraps in your curbside compost bin (if you have one), backyard composter or indoor vermicomposting (worm) bin. Go to www.ecocycle.org/compost for more information. Donate your packaged food items to Community Food Share (www.communityfoodshare.org, 303-652-3663) or Emergency Family Assistance Association (www.efaa.org, 303-442-3042).

Holiday Greeting Cards

Holiday cards are recyclable in your single-stream recycling bin, except for those made from or embossed with foil. Reuse cards as next year's gift tags or place-setting cards. See p. 3 for more information.

NO photos or very dark paper

Holiday Light Cords and Extension Cords

Light cords are recyclable with scrap metal at the Longmont and Boulder Drop-off Centers. Light bulbs must be removed and are not recyclable. Please bundle the cords and tie them with the loose end so the string does not get caught in the recycling machinery.

Packing Peanuts

Bring peanuts to a packing and shipping store for reuse. See our Guide to Hard-to-Recycle Materials for locations at www.ecocycle.org/htrg.

Paper Shopping Bags

These bags are great for reuse or for use as a gift bag, but if they're too worn, they can be recycled with your corrugated cardboard either at the curb or at a drop-off center (including white, colored, glossy and non-glossy bags). Remove all non-paper handles (string, etc.).

Plastic Bags

Recycle your #2 and #4 plastic bags at the CHaRM (see p. 3). This includes grocery sacks, newspaper bags and dry-cleaner bags. Bags must be completely clean, dry and empty. **Plastic bags are not recyclable in your curbside bin.**

#6 White Block Foam

(a.k.a. Styrofoam®)

The CHaRM accepts #6 white block foam, typically used to package computers, TVs, wine, etc. (See p. 3.)

YES #6 Clean, white block foam or rigid white foam insulation.

NO · Food-grade foam (to-go boxes, meat trays, disposable cups, etc.)
· Tape · Bubble wrap (see listing)
· Any foam other than #6, or any color other than white · Moisture
· Foam peanuts (see listing)

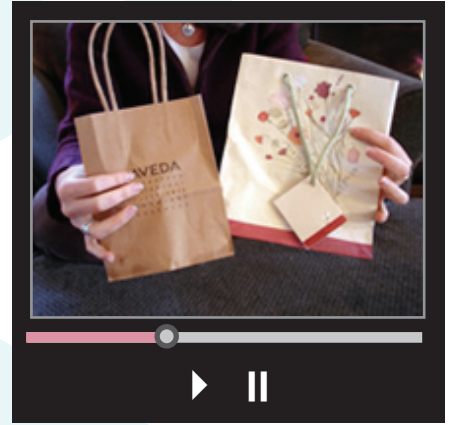
Wrapping Paper

ONE MONTH ONLY Dec. 26 – Jan. 31
Wrapping paper will be accepted at the Longmont and Boulder Drop-off Centers in the boxes marked "Paperboard." Please DO NOT put wrapping paper in with single-stream recycling. This material will be accepted for one month only as it is a very low-grade material and normally considered a contaminant in the recycling bin because of its

high clay and ink content and low fiber content. For this reason, we strongly urge the use of wrapping paper alternatives (see p. 3 for ideas). If you do receive wrapped gifts from friends and family this holiday season, we suggest you save and store ribbons, bows and wrapping paper and reuse them again next year before recycling.

NO Metallic wrapping paper · Ribbons · Bows · Ornaments · Tissue paper · Fluorescent or dark paper · Paper covered with tape

Check out our online video guide!



Visit www.ecocycle.org for detailed instructions on what can and cannot be recycled.

Batteries

Take spent rechargeable batteries to Best Buy, Radio Shack, Batteries Plus, Office Depot, or other local hardware or electronic stores, or to Boulder County's Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) facility at 5880 Butte Mill Rd. (see p. 4).

Bubble Wrap

Bring bubble wrap to a packing and shipping service store for reuse. See our Guide to Hard-to-Recycle Materials for locations at www.ecocycle.org/htrg.

Clothing, Toys and Gear

As you make room in your closet for your new clothing, toys and gear, donate your gently-used and unwanted clothing and toys to thrift stores. Share-A-Gift will be accepting new and used toys, books and bikes in good condition from Nov. 27 through Dec. 15. Visit www.shareagift.org or call 303-494-4258. You can donate or consign used sporting goods through Play it Again Sports or the Boulder Sports Recycler. Find more locations at www.ecocycle.org/htrg. Clothing and bedding too torn or stained for resale can be recycled through CHaRM (see p. 3).

Cooking Oil

Used cooking oil can be recycled at the CHaRM (see p. 3). Broomfield residents can recycle cooking oil at the Norman Smith Service Center at 3001 W. 124th Ave. in Broomfield. Call 303-438-6336 for holiday hours.

Corrugated Cardboard

Corrugated cardboard boxes can be recycled even if they have large staples or shiny graphics on them. Corrugated cardboard is accepted in the Boulder County curbside recycling program and at drop-off centers (see p. 4).

Electronics and Cell Phones

Replacing your TV or computer? Don't toss your old one in the trash. Both contain three to eight pounds of lead along with mercury, cadmium, arsenic and other toxic substances, as do smaller electronic items. These toxins will eventually leak into our groundwater and soils if landfilled. Recycle these materials responsibly at the CHaRM (see p. 3). There is a fee for recycling electronics to help cover the costs of the program and to make sure they are recycled domestically and responsibly. Thanks to our Partner for Responsible Recycling, ListenUp, for financially supporting our electronics recycling program.

Envelopes

Dark-colored envelopes, such as the reds and greens typically used around the holidays, cannot be recycled but can be placed in your curbside compost bin (if you have one). "Kraft" envelopes (yellow/



Trees

Before "recycling" your tree, please be sure to remove all tinsel, lights, stands, etc. Please do not leave any trash or other materials at these locations.

Boulder County

Dec. 26 – Jan. 31
Holiday trees may be taken to the City of Boulder Yard Waste Drop-off located at 5880 Butte Mill Rd. See p. 4 for a map. Call 303-999-3823 for hours. Open to all and free of charge.

NOTE: Western Disposal will pick up and recycle trees that are put by your compost bin at the curb on your compost pick-up day. If you don't have composting service or if you put out your tree at any other time, it will go to the landfill.

City of Broomfield

Dec. 18 – Jan. 17
The city and county of Broomfield's seven holiday tree collection sites will be marked with signs and orange fencing. The collection sites are intended for holiday trees only; do not leave yard waste, tree branches or other wood products. Tree mulch will be available at Bronco Park and the Recycle Center. Call 303-464-5651 for more information.

Anthem Community Park - Parking lot east of intersection of Sheridan and Lowell Boulevard.

Bronco Park - Westlake Drive and Grove Circle. The tree drop-off is north of the backstop.

Broadlands Park West - Sheridan Boulevard and Meadow Mountain Drive. The tree drop-off is on the west side of the parking lot.

Loc Amora Park - Miramonte Boulevard and Oak Circle North. The tree drop-off is west of the backstop.

Meridian Park - McKay Circle and Park Cove Way in McKay Landing. The tree drop-off is located west of the backstop.

Recycle Center - Industrial Lane and Commerce Avenue. The tree drop-off is west of the recycle bins. (Closed Dec. 26, Jan. 2)

Community Park Ballfields - Community Park Drive and Lamar. The tree drop-off is west of Hall Field.

City of Lafayette

Local Boy Scout Troop 69 will pick up untrimmed trees from Lafayette residents on Jan. 2 for a \$10 donation. Call 303-926-0724 between Dec. 12 and Jan. 1 or go to <http://bcn.boulder.co.us/community/troop69> to set up an appointment.

City of Longmont

Dec. 26 – Jan. 5
The city of Longmont will recycle holiday trees at no charge for residents. Bring trees to the Tree Limb Diversion Center located at 140 Martin St. or to one of the satellite drop-off sites listed below. The Center will accept trees seven days a week, from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., New Year's Day excepted. Satellite drop-off sites are open during daylight hours. Call 303-651-8416 for more info.

Roosevelt Park - Parking lot south of 8th Avenue.

Garden Acres Baseball Park - West side of parking lot off 18th Avenue.

Kanemoto Park - Parking lot south of Pratt Parkway.

Centennial Park - East parking lot off Alpine Street.

City of Louisville

Dec. 26 -31
Louisville residents can take holiday trees to the Branch Recycle Site located on the north end of the cemetery on Hwy. 42 and Empire Road. Hours are 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Call 303-335-4735 for more information. The center permanently closes due to budget cuts after Dec. 31, 2009.

Town of Lyons

Jan. 4 – 8
Holiday trees will be picked up at the curb. Call 303-823-6622 for more information or to schedule a pick-up. Woodchips are free for anyone to pick up at Bohn Park, subject to availability.

Town of Superior

Citizens of the town of Superior can bring their trees to the Superior Recycling Drop-Off Center from Dec. 26 - Jan. 31. Call 303-499-3675 for more information.

Boy Scout Troop 575 will offer tree pick-ups on Jan. 9. Donations are encouraged: \$6/ small tree, \$10/ large tree. Visit www.troop575.org for more info.

10 Ways to Green Your Holiday

1 BYOB(ag) and Skip the Fluff

Bring your own bag and pass on the tissue paper, ribbons and stickers that so often accompany even the smallest holiday purchases. Forego complimentary gift-wrapping and wrap gifts creatively in environmentally-friendly ways (see #6, "Wrap it and Pack it").

2 Stop the Junk Mail Before it Starts

When you order from a catalog or online, use the magic words "Please do not rent, sell or trade my name" to avoid having your name shared with other companies and marketers. Not filling out company surveys and warranty cards will also prevent junk mail. We've partnered with www.41pounds.org to help you reduce junk mail, preserve the environment and raise money for Eco-Cycle. Learn more at www.ecocycle.org/junkmail.

3 Choose Recyclable Holiday Cards

To see if your dark-colored card or envelope is recyclable, rip the card or envelope (or flyer). If the dye goes all the way through, it is not recyclable. If you see white fibers along the ripped edge, it's recyclable. For those that are not recy-

clable, toss them in your curbside compost bin (if you have one) or shred and place them in your backyard compost. Otherwise, please trash them. Also, make sure you remove any non-paper materials like aluminum foil, ribbons, glitter, etc. before recycling or composting.

4 Choose Recycled Holiday Cards

The amount of cards sold during the holiday season would fill a football field 10 stories high and requires the harvesting of nearly 300,000 trees. Look for cards containing the highest post-consumer content. You can find them at the Boulder Bookstore, Ellie's, Bliss and local health food stores. Or, give the trees a break this holiday season by using e-cards through www.care2.com, www.evite.com or www.sendomatic.com.

5 Re-charge it!

Every year over 15 billion batteries are produced and sold worldwide, and many are alkaline batteries that are thrown out after just one use. Alkaline batteries can be replaced with rechargeable batteries that can be reused hundreds of times—saving you money and helping the environment at the same time. Go green all the way and purchase a solar-powered charger! (See our "Green Guide to Gifts" on p. 1.)

6 Wrap it and Pack it Eco-Style

While we'll be accepting wrapping paper for a limited time (see p. 2), we encourage you not to use it as its high-clay and low-paper content makes it difficult to recycle. Instead, get creative and choose a reused/reusable alternative: comics, posters, maps, blueprints, calendars (all recyclable), fabric, cloth gift bags, bandanas, etc. If you're shipping gifts, replace foam packaging or bubble wrap with plastic bags or glossy ads from newspapers (the ink doesn't smear like newspaper).

7 Consider Alternatives to Cut Trees

Instead of cutting down a tree, decorate a favorite houseplant or buy a live tree that can be replanted in the spring. If you do opt for a cut tree, you can have it turned into mulch through city-sponsored programs (see p. 2).

8 Throw a Waste-Free Party

Rather than offer your guests disposable cutlery and plates, serve folks on real, reusable dishware. You can rent everything from linens to soup bowls at Rental City in Boulder and All Events

in Longmont. To make Zero Waste even easier, check out our Zero Waste Event Kit, which is suitable for 25 to 250 guests and includes compostable tableware, a compost collection box and educational signage. See more details at www.ecocycle.org/zwevents.

9 Go for Eco-Deco

When planning a party, avoid streamers, balloons and other decorations designed for one-time use. Create centerpieces from what you have, like a pottery pieces, glass ornament balls, fresh fruit, pine cones and vegetables. Buy local, organically-grown flowers whenever possible, or choose potted plants to provide a year-round green.

10 Plan for Green Dining

Plan your dinner party menu to include seasonal, organic food from local farms. Find local food suppliers at www.localsustainability.net. If you are hiring a catering service, choose one that is familiar with the concept of Zero Waste. Invite your guests to bring reusable containers to take home any leftovers and arrange in advance to donate extra food to a local food bank.

CHaRM

5030 "Old" Pearl (Turn north on 49th St. from Pearl Parkway, then east on "Old" Pearl)
Monday - Saturday, 9 am-4 pm
Closed Dec. 25 and Jan. 1.

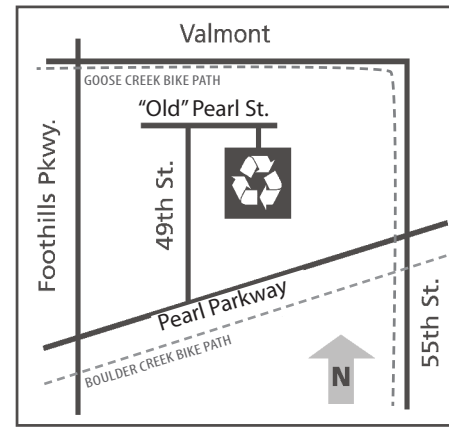
Visit www.ecocycle.org for detailed guidelines and more information or call 303-444-6634.

Eco-Cycle/City of Boulder Center for Hard-to-Recycle Materials

The CHaRM is a unique center designed to accept those unusual, more difficult items to recycle. This is not the regular drop-off center (see map for location). Please do not leave any of these materials at any location other than the CHaRM.

Fees: There is a fee for recycling electronics and some other items to help offset the cost of collecting, processing and shipping these materials, and to insure the items are recycled responsibly. Prices subject to change.

NOTICE: Eco-Cycle charges a \$3 facility fee for every vehicle coming to the CHaRM to recycle materials. This fee is in addition to the recycling fees that apply to specific materials. Bicyclists are not charged a facility fee. Thank you for your support in helping us keep this important service going. Buy a frequent CHaRMer card and get 5 visits for \$10! Ask about it at the window.



MATERIALS ACCEPTED

Audio Equipment

- Home stereo components: \$8
- Car stereos: \$4
- NO wooden speakers

Bicycles and Bike Parts:

NO CHARGE - Any Condition

- Includes integral parts such as seats, pedals, handlebars, wheels, etc., and metal accessories such as baskets and Pannier racks
- NO other accessories or sporting goods

Big Durable #2 Plastics:

- #2 large plastics such as plastic toys like big wheels and plastic play structures, plastic lawn furniture, plastic watering cans, laundry baskets, clean #2 plastic buckets (no residue), crates, rigid backyard kiddie pools, plastic trash containers with a #2, clean flower pots with a #2.
- Please remove non-plastic parts.
- NO flower pots without a #2, inflatable pools or other inflatable plastics, water beds, chew toys, CD jewel cases, small toys such as action figures, etc.

Bike Tires and Inner Tubes

- Tires: 50¢
- Tubes: NO CHARGE

Books & Manuals: NO CHARGE

- Computer and office manuals
- Hard-bound books and paperbacks

Computers & Computer Equipment

- Computer monitors 19" or smaller: \$10
- Computer monitors 20" to 34": \$15
- Computer towers/CPUs: \$8
- Printers/scanners: \$8
- Laptops: \$4
- Universal power supply (UPS): \$8
- Keyboards, mice, cables: NO CHARGE
- Large misc. computer equip.: 30¢/lb.

Cooking Oil: NO CHARGE

- Cooking oil (such as canola, corn, vegetable, olive and sesame oils)
- NO motor oil or any oil used for purposes other than cooking
- We cannot recycle or dispose of your oil container.

Copiers & Fax Machines

- Fax machines: \$8
- Desktop copiers: \$8
- Large copiers (over 40 lbs.): 30¢/lb.

Fire Extinguishers

- Boulder residents with ID: NO CHARGE
- Non-Boulder residents: \$4

Phones

- Cell phones: NO CHARGE
- Home phones: \$2
- Office phones: \$4

Plastic Bags: NO CHARGE

- #2 and #4 ONLY (newspaper bags, grocery bags, dry cleaner bags, etc.)
- MUST be clean, DRY, and empty of all food, receipts, etc. with tape and stickers removed
- NO garbage bags, sandwich bags, plastic food wrap or black bags

Porcelain Toilets, Sinks and Urinals

- Toilet (all other materials removed): \$4
- Toilet, whole (other materials still attached): \$10
- Sink or urinal: \$2
- Sink or urinal (plumbing attached): \$5
- Porcelain must be as clean as possible. NO BIOHAZARDS.

Printer Cartridges: NO CHARGE

- Ink jet and laser jet printer cartridges

Shoes: NO CHARGE

- Reusable paired shoes (all types) should be tied together or

rubberbanded and placed in the Paired Shoes and Accessories bin.

- Athletic shoes should be placed unbound in the Athletic Shoes bin (no cleats, metal parts, zippers, mud or Keds-type sneakers).

Small Electronic Items

- PDAs/Gameboys/iPods: \$2
- Video game systems: \$4-\$8 (depending on size)
- Cameras: \$2-\$4 (depending on size)

Textiles: NO CHARGE

- Clothing, bedding, towels and fabrics
- Items may be stained or ripped, but they must be clean. Must be 12" square or larger.
- NO underwear, socks or swimsuits

TVs & VCRs/DVD Players

- TVs 19" or smaller: \$10
- Mid-Size TVs 20" to 34": \$15
- Consoles and TVs larger than 34": \$30
- VCRs/DVD players: \$8
- Satellite boxes: \$8

White Block Foam Packaging

- #6 white block foam packaging and white rigid foam insulation only
- Residents: NO CHARGE
- Businesses: \$6 per cubic yard

Why is it Important to Recycle Electronics?

Televisions and computer monitors each contain 3-8 pounds of lead. These and other electronics also contain a host of other toxic substances such as mercury, arsenic and cadmium, which can contaminate the groundwater when landfilled.

Eco-Cycle is a proud signer of the Basel Action Network's **Electronic Recycler's Pledge of True Stewardship.**

Electronics are recycled safely, domestically and responsibly, and nearly 100% of the material is recycled.



e-Stewards

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ListenUp

funding for our electronics recycling program

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drop-off centers

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	Aluminum Cans and Foil	Steel Cans & Metal Jar Lids	Glass Bottles & Jars	Milk Cartons / Drink Boxes	Plastic Bottles (#1, #2 & #5)	Plastic Screw-Top Jars (#1)	Plastic Tubs & Cups (#2 & #5)	Cardboard & Brown Paper Bags	Office Paper / Opened Mail	Magazines / Catalogs	Newspaper	Phone Books	Large Paperboard Items	Small, Low-Grade Paper Items
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Clusters of shaded check marks indicate these items are commingled (mixed) together.														
ALLENSPARK State Hwy. 7 & County Road 84 • 303-747-2107 Winter hours: Sat - Sun, 10 - 4 pm; Mon, Wed, Fri, 9:30 - 2:30 pm	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
BOULDER Boulder County Recycling Center 1901 63rd St. between Arapahoe and Valmont 303-444-6634 or 720-564-2220 • Open 24 hours	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
BROOMFIELD City of Broomfield Recycling Center 225 Commerce St. • 303-404-2839	Guidelines are changing. Please call 303-404-2839													
ERIE 1149 Telleen Ave. (next to Public Works Shop) Open 24 hours • 303-926-2731	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
JAMESTOWN Behind the post office • 303-444-6634 2nd Saturday of each month, 12-2 pm	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
LAFAYETTE CLOSED AS OF NOVEMBER 2009														

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Hazardous Waste For disposal of paint, solvents, non-alkaline batteries and other household hazardous waste, call the Boulder County Household Hazardous Waste Hotline at 303-441-4800.														
LONGMONT Longmont Recycling Center 303-772-7300 • 140 Martin St. • Open 24 hours	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
LOUISVILLE CLOSED AS OF NOVEMBER 2009														
LYONS 426 Railroad Ave. (east of library) • Open 24 hours 303-444-6634 or 720-564-2220	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
NEDERLAND 286 Ridge Road (east of Peak to Peak Hwy.) 303-258-7878 Open 8 am - 4 pm; Closed Wednesdays and holidays.	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
NIWOT At Trailhead (north of Hwy. 52 on N. 79th St.) 303-444-6634 or 720-564-2220	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
SUPERIOR 206 W. Coal Creek Dr. (behind Cherryvale Fire Hall in alley) • 303-444-6634 • Open 24 hours	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
WARD Near the old Catholic church • 303-444-6634 2nd Saturday of month, 9 am - 11 am	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

For residents without a community curbside program, subscription curbside recycling is available in most areas throughout the county. For more information, call your local trash haulers (see p. A).

Please note: The Lafayette/Louisville Glen Huey Recycling Center has been replaced with curbside recycling services in those communities. Please see p. A for information on how to sign up for service.

Scrap Metal is accepted at the Boulder and Longmont Drop-off Centers. Note: In both locations, small scrap metal items are accepted 24 hrs/day. Large scrap metal items must be dropped off in Boulder at the scalehouse Monday - Friday, 7:30 am - 3 pm, and in Longmont between 8 am - 4 pm (seven days a week). Call 303-444-6634 or 720-564-2235 for more information in Boulder or 303-772-7300 in Longmont.

Maps to Recycling Centers

