This guide was developed to assist residents and businesses of Livingston County dispose of unwanted items in an environmentally friendly manner.

This guide was designed for informational purposes only. This guide is not an endorsement of the businesses mentioned herein. It is a good practice to always call first to confirm the business or organizations’ services.

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Howell, MI 48843-7581
Phone: 517-545-9609

www.livgov.com/dpw
E-mail: solidwaste@livgov.com

This guide is printable on-line.

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Disposing of ammunition in your regular trash puts your solid waste handlers at risk. Call your local Law Enforcement Department to make arrangements for a drop-off

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<td>State Police Post – Brighton</td>
<td>4337 Buno Road, Brighton, MI 48116</td>
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<td>Washtenaw County Sheriff’s Department</td>
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**APPLIANCES & LARGE ITEM DISPOSAL**

When you purchase a new appliance, ask the retailer if they will pick up the old one. If the appliance is in working order, contact community service organizations to see if they will accept it – you may even receive a tax deduction for the donation. For non-working appliances, call your trash hauler to verify if they will take your large item for disposal. Non-working appliances may have monetary value as scrap metal -- see **METAL** in this guide for a listing of scrap metal yards that may take appliances. Prior to disposal, Freon must be removed from refrigerators, air conditioners and dehumidifiers. Call businesses listed for prices, hours, and services.

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<td>4675 E Grand River, Howell MI</td>
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<td>Howard Van Valkenburg</td>
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<td>Call for prices and pick up information. Howard works alone and with large items. He may need assistance.</td>
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<td>AA1 L &amp; B Junk Haulers &amp; Special Pick Up</td>
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<td>517-468-3852 No website</td>
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<td>Accepts all appliances, including air conditioners and dehumidifiers. Small fee for freezers and refrigerators. No Microwave ovens.</td>
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<td>Louis Padnos Iron &amp; Metal Company</td>
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<td>517-372-6600 or <a href="http://www.padnos.com">www.padnos.com</a></td>
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<td>Accepts all metal. Accepts refrigerated appliances at no cost. No pick-up service. Call for info.</td>
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<td>D R Electric Appliances Sales and Service</td>
<td>116 W. Grand River, Howell MI</td>
<td>517-546-4960 or <a href="http://www.drelectricappliance.com">www.drelectricappliance.com</a></td>
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<td>Call for prices and pick-up. Fees to remove Freon.</td>
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<td>DTE Appliance Recycling (OPERATIONAL ONLY)</td>
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<td>Must be a DTE electric customer. Accepts operational refrigerator appliances. Call for info and restrictions.</td>
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<td>Miechiels Auto Salvage</td>
<td>405 S. National, Howell MI 48843</td>
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<td>Golden Refrigerant</td>
<td>31800 Industrial Rd., Livonia, MI 48150</td>
<td>800-292-6911 or <a href="http://www.goldenrefrigerant.com">www.goldenrefrigerant.com</a></td>
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<td>Fees for refrigerated appliances (they remove the Freon). No pick-up. Will provide tech to remove refrigerator at community events.</td>
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<td>Salvation Army (OPERATIONAL ONLY)</td>
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<td>Call to schedule a pick-up of certain operational household appliances – not all appliances are accepted. <a href="http://www.salvationarmyusa.org">www.salvationarmyusa.org</a></td>
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ARTS & CRAFTS SUPPLIES (including CHRISTMAS LIGHTS)

Call one of the organizations below to donate arts and crafts supplies or try schools, churches, day care programs, after school programs, senior centers, or hospitals. Please call first. *Christmas lights contain lead in the wires.

Advance Metal Alloys
3080 Toddiem Dr.
Howell, MI 48843
Phone: 517-546-3825 or www.advancemetalalloys.com
Accepts working and non-working Christmas lights*

Regal Recycling
645 Lucy Road
Howell, MI 48843
Phone: 517-546-3820 or www.regalrecycling.net
Accepts working and non-working Christmas lights*

J.D. Beavers Company
7676 Rushton Road
Brighton MI
Phone: 248-437-0094 or www.beaversco.com
Accepts working and non-working Christmas lights*

ASBESTOS

Asbestos is a hazardous material when the fibers are released into the air. Exposure to asbestos fibers can cause a variety of illnesses including lung cancer. You should consult with an environmental professional if you suspect that material in your home is asbestos. Asbestos from homes can legally be disposed with regular trash; however, it is very important to inform your waste hauler or label the containers to prevent exposure to the workers. OSHA and NESHAPs regulate businesses with asbestos-containing materials in their buildings. The following listings may provide assistance in sampling, testing, removal and disposal of asbestos.

APEX Research, Inc.
11054 Hi Tech Dr.
Whitmore Lake, MI 48189
Phone: 734-449-9990
www.apexresearch-inc.com
Will test samples for asbestos.

Performance Environmental Services, Inc.
30553 Wixom Rd. Suite 500
Wixom, MI 48393
Phone: 248-926-3800
www.perform-env.com
Asbestos sampling, testing, removal and disposal services

Nova Environmental Inc.
5300 Plymouth Rd.
Ann Arbor, MI 48105
Phone: 734-930-0995
www.nova-env.com
Asbestos sampling, testing. Commercial only.

AUDIO

See: CDs, Disks, Tapes, Albums, Records, Video Tapes, CDs, DVDs (See page 9)
AUTOMOBILES

Many salvage yards will buy or accept working or non-working cars, trucks, vans, boats, motorcycles, trailers and RVs, and parts for resale or recycling. Contact one of the following scrap metal recyclers (See Metal in this guide or the yellow pages.) for more information and instructions. In addition, the same items can be donated to various charity organizations, and you may be eligible for a tax deduction for the donation. Contact your favorite charity or try one of the organizations listed below to schedule a pick-up.

**America's Car Donation**
Phone: 800-513-6560
[www.donateacar.com](http://www.donateacar.com)
Will pick up running or non-running cars, trucks, vans, fleet vehicles, trailers, boats, RVs and more

**Habitat for Humanity Cars for Homes**
Phone: 877-277-4244
This donation program handles the entire transaction, but the money from what they do with the vehicle comes directly to Habitat for Humanity.

**American Lung Association**
Phone: 800-586-4227
[www.donateyourcar.com](http://www.donateyourcar.com)

**J.D. Beavers Company**
7676 Rushton Road
Brighton MI
Phone: 248-437-0094
[www.beaversco.com](http://www.beaversco.com)

**Autos For Animals**
Phone: 877-999-8322
[www.autos4animals.org](http://www.autos4animals.org)

**Miechiels Auto Salvage**
405 S. National
Howell, MI 48843
Phone: 517-546-4111
[www.miechielsautosalvage.com](http://www.miechielsautosalvage.com)

**Charity Motors**
Phone: 888-908-2277
[www.charitymotors.org](http://www.charitymotors.org)

**Purple Heart**
Phone: 888-414-4483
[www.purpleheartcars.org](http://www.purpleheartcars.org)
Register online and you will be contacted within 24 hours.
Accepts metals including vehicles. Call for more information

**Easter Seals Vehicle Donation Program**
Phone: 888-631-6833
[www.vehicledonation.com](http://www.vehicledonation.com)

**Regal Recyclers**
645 Lucy Rd.
Howell, MI
Phone: 517-546-3820
[www.regalrecycling.net](http://www.regalrecycling.net)
Accepts ferrous and non-ferrous scrap metal, including vehicles. Call for information regarding pick up and fees.

- Please call the vendors above, before you go. Check their times, prices and options. Some companies will offer money for the metal.
AUTOMOTIVE FLUIDS – Motor Oil and Antifreeze  (Gasoline and Vegetable Frying Oil on next page)

Used motor oil was banned from disposal in landfills in 2004. Residents who choose to change their own oil should store the oil in sealed, sturdy containers. Oil must not be mixed with gasoline, water, or any other additives. Some of the facilities listed below may also accept used antifreeze and/or oil filters. **Always call first.**

### BRIGHTON
- **Auto Value Brighton**
  - 4986 S. Old US 23, Brighton
  - **810-229-9529**
  - Used oil only.
  - No charge up to 5 gallons.

- **O'Reilly Auto Parts**
  - 110 W. Grand River, Brighton
  - **810-220-4444**
  - Used oil and oil filters only.
  - No charge up to 5 gallons.

- **Victory Lane-Brighton**
  - 9957 E. Grand River, Brighton
  - **810-229-0313**
  - Used oil, oil filters, antifreeze.
  - No charge up to 5 gallons.

### FENTON
- **Auto Zone -Fenton**
  - 3809 Owen Rd., Fenton
  - **810-714-3121**
  - Used oil only.
  - No charge up to 5 gallons

### FOWLERVILLE
- **Fowlerville Exit Sunoco**
  - 936 Grand Ave., Fowlerville
  - **517-223-9129**
  - Used oil, oil filters, empty oil containers, and antifreeze.
  - Charges apply.

- **Valvoline Instant Oil**
  - 2399 E. Highland Rd., Highland
  - **248-889-1337**
  - Used oil, oil filters, empty oil containers, and antifreeze.
  - No charge up to 5 gallons.

### HIGHLAND
- **Howell Auto Center**
  - 63 Schroeder Park Dr., Howell
  - **517-546-5470**
  - Used oil and antifreeze.
  - Fees apply.

- **Tractor Supply Co.- Howell**
  - 4601 Grand River, Howell
  - **517-548-7600**
  - Used oil only.
  - No charge up to 5 gallons.

- **Hydraulic Hose Mobile Services**
  - 3891 Burkhart, Howell
  - **810-772-9147**
  - Will accept any amount of used motor oil at no charge.

- **Victory Lane-Howell**
  - 3150 E. Grand River, Howell
  - **517-376-6433**
  - Used oil, oil filters, empty oil containers, and antifreeze.
  - No charge up to 5 gallons.

### HOWELL
- **Cruz-N**
  - 2861 E. Grand River, Howell
  - **517-545-0700**
  - Used oil, oil filters, and antifreeze.
  - No charge up to 5 gallons.

- **O'Reilly Auto Parts**
  - 1355 E. M36, Pinckney
  - **734-954-4192**
  - Used oil and oil filters only.
  - No charge up to 5 gallons.

### SOUTH LYON
- **Victory Lane**
  - 703 S. Lafayette, South Lyon
  - **248-486-4451**
  - Used oil, oil filters, empty oil containers, and antifreeze.
  - No charge.
## AUTOMOTIVE FLUIDS – Gasoline and Vegetable Frying Oil

### GASOLINE
Gasoline can be brought to Livingston County’s Household Hazardous Waste Collections. Visit the website for dates & info: [www.livgov.com/dpw](http://www.livgov.com/dpw).

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<td>Buck’s Oil Co. (Lynn Decker)</td>
<td>30110 Beverly Rd. Romulus, MI</td>
<td>H: 734-728-3280</td>
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<td>Accepts gas and diesel fuel. No charge for drop-off up to 10 gals. Between Middlebelt and Merriman Roads, Wayne County</td>
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### VEGETABLE OILS
Vegetable oils from turkey fryers, etc., can be brought to Livingston County’s annual Household Hazardous Waste Collections. Visit the website for dates & info: [www.livgov.com/dpw](http://www.livgov.com/dpw).

Please call for a required appointment 517-545-9609.

### BATTERIES

#### ALKALINE – Household Batteries
Batteries contain heavy metals that can be harmful to the environment if disposed of in a landfill or incinerator. Alkaline batteries are accepted at the Livingston County Household Hazardous Waste Collection events. NOTE: See the Solid Waste website for household battery drop off sites in Livingston County or see Page 8 of this guide.

#### AUTOMOTIVE, BOAT AND LAWN TRACTOR BATTERIES
Lead acid batteries were banned from disposal in landfills in Michigan in 2004. Please recycle them at one of the following locations. Retailers that sell car, boat, tractor, or other large batteries are required by law to accept old car batteries when a new car battery is purchased. Other places to take car batteries without a purchase are listed below.

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<td><a href="http://www.advancemetalloys.com">www.advancemetalloys.com</a></td>
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<tr>
<td>Auto Value Brighton</td>
<td>4986 S.Old US 23, Brighton</td>
<td>810-229-9529</td>
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<td><a href="http://www.batterysolutions.com">www.batterysolutions.com</a></td>
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<td>Auto Zone - Howell</td>
<td>2440 E. Grand River, Howell</td>
<td>517-546-4361</td>
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<td><a href="http://www.miechielsautosalvage.com">www.miechielsautosalvage.com</a></td>
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<td>Battery Solutions</td>
<td>248-446-3001 (800-852-8127)</td>
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<td><a href="http://www.batterysolutions.com">www.batterysolutions.com</a></td>
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<td>Hartland Towing and Garage</td>
<td>2895 Old US 23, Hartland</td>
<td>810-632-7611</td>
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<td>J.D. Beavers Company</td>
<td>7676 Rushton Road, Brighton MI</td>
<td>248-437-0094</td>
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<td><a href="http://www.beaversco.com">www.beaversco.com</a></td>
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<td>Regal Recyclers, Howell</td>
<td>170 Catrell, Howell, MI 48843</td>
<td>517-546-3820</td>
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<td><a href="http://www.recycleligivingston.org">www.recycleligivingston.org</a></td>
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<td>Recycle Livingston</td>
<td>170 Catrell, Howell, MI 48843</td>
<td>517-548-4439</td>
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**Note:** Hearing aid, camera, rechargeable, watch batteries, computer backups, laptops, telephones and other electronic batteries will be accepted at the Household Hazardous Waste Collections. During non-collection days you can take cell phones and small batteries (up to size D) to the battery buckets located throughout the County at most township halls, at some libraries and some post offices. See Page 8.
LIVINGSTON COUNTY SOLID WASTE PROGRAM
BATTERY COLLECTION LOCATIONS

Livingston County recognized a need to provide a convenient way to properly dispose of used household batteries and rechargeable batteries. We worked with local units of governments and other agencies to establish battery collection container drop-off locations throughout the county. Current participating locations are listed below.

Please be sure to call first, as every agency has different office hours. Also, please respect the generosity of these organizations by only recycling during office hours, and only bringing in size “D” batteries and smaller batteries. Please do not put bags, containers, debris, or items other than batteries in the collection buckets.

Absolutely no automotive or large batteries at these sites.

Please see HHW collection events for larger batteries or call Solid Waste at 517-545-9609.

Battery Drop Off Locations for Livingston County (Size D Batteries or smaller)

City of BRIGHTON
• Brighton District Library - 100 Library Drive, Brighton , MI 48116 PH: 810-229-6571
• City Building - 200 N. First Street, Brighton, MI 48116 PH: 810-227-1911
• Dept. Public Services – 420 S. Third St., Brighton, MI 48116 PH: 810-225-8004

COHOCTAH TOWNSHIP
• Cohoctah Township Hall – 10518 Antcliff Rd., Fowlerville, MI 48836 PH: 517-546-0655

CONWAY TOWNSHIP
• Conway Township Hall - 8015 N. Fowlerville Rd., Fowlerville, MI 48836 PH: 517-223-0358

DEERFIELD TOWNSHIP
• Deerfield Township Hall - 4492 Center Rd. Linden, MI 48451 PH: 517-546-8760

GENOA TOWNSHIP
• Genoa Township Hall – 2911 Dorr Rd., Brighton, MI 48116 PH: 810-227-5225
• Livingston County East Complex – 2300 E. Grand River, Howell, MI 48843 PH: 517-546-9609

GREEN OAK TOWNSHIP
• Green Oak Township Hall – 10001 Silver Lake Rd., Brighton, MI 48116 PH: 810-231-1333

HANDY TOWNSHIP / VILLAGE OF FOWLERVILLE
• Handy Township Hall – 135 N. Grand, Fowlerville, MI 48836 PH: 517-223-3228
• Fowlerville Library – 131 Mill Street, Fowlerville, MI 48836 PH: 517-223-9089
• Village of Fowlerville Hall – 213 S. Grand, Fowlerville, MI 48836 PH: 517—223-3771

HAMBURG TOWNSHIP
• Hamburg Township Hall -10405 Merrill Rd. Hamburg, MI 48139 PH: 810-231-1000

HARTLAND TOWNSHIP
• Hartland Township Hall - 2655 Clark Rd. Hartland, MI 48353 PH: 810-632-7498

HOWELL TOWNSHIP
• Howell Township Hall – 3525 Byron Rd., Howell, MI 48855 PH: 517-546-2817

City of Howell
• City Hall – 611 E. Grand River, Howell, MI 48843 PH: 517-546-3500
• Dept. of Public Works – 150 Marion St., Howell, MI 48843 PH: 517-546-7510
• Post Office – 325 S. Michigan Ave., Howell, MI 48843 PH: 517-546-2582
• Carnegie Library – 314 W. Grand River, Howell, MI 48843 PH: 517-546-0720
• Recycle Livingston - 170 Catrell, Howell, MI 48843 PH: 517-548-4439 (non-profit organization)

IOSCO TOWNSHIP
• Iosco Township Hall - 2050 Bradley Rd., Webberville, MI 48892 PH: 517-223-9545

MARION TOWNSHIP
• Marion Township Hall – 2877 W. Coon Lake Rd. Howell, MI 48843 PH: 517-546-1588

OCEOLA TOWNSHIP
• Oceola Township Hall - 1577 N. Latson Rd. Howell, MI 48843 PH: 517-546-3259

PUTNAM TOWNSHIP / VILLAGE OF PINCKNEY
• Putnam Township Hall – 131 S. Howell St. Pinckney, MI 48169 PH: 734-878-3131
• Pinckney Village Hall – 220 S. Howell St. Pinckney, MI 48169 PH: 734-878-6206

TYRONE TOWNSHIP
• Tyrone Township Hall - 10408 Center Rd., Fenton, MI 48430 (810) 629-8631

UNADILLA TOWNSHIP
• Unadilla Township Hall - 126 Webb St., Gregory, MI 48137 PH: 734-498-2502

Guide to Reuse, Reduce, Recycle and Safe Disposal  (Livingston County does not endorse any particular company or service.)
BUILDING MATERIALS & CONSTRUCTION DEBRIS

Materials such as drywall, lumber, shingles, sinks, light fixtures, hardware, doors, windows, etc., may have use after you are finished, if in good condition. Consider donating the items to a community organization before discarding these materials. See Landfills, Dumps, and Transfer Stations (in this guide) for a listing of facilities that accept demolition debris generated during renovation or construction projects. Also, see the Solid Waste Website – www.livgov.com/dpw: Where can I take large items or construction debris.

American Concrete Products
517-546-2810 or www.americanconprod.com
4944 Mason Rd, Howell, MI
Concrete and asphalt items.

HABITAT FOR HUMANITY
810-220-9986
WILL TAKE ITEMS THAT CAN BE USED FOR CONSTRUCTION.
✓ Please no debris.

MCB Recycling- Eaton County
800-968-3211
Potterville/Westland, MI
Accepts foam carpet padding, upholstery foam, and foam seat cushions for recycling. Call for info.

GBM Recycled Concrete Co.
810-522-6474 or www.gbmrecycledconcrete.com

Materials Unlimited
734-483-6980
2 W. Michigan Ave, Ypsilanti MI

Recycle Ann Arbor - Reuse It Center
734-222-7880 or www.recycleannarbor.org
2420 S Industrial, Ann Arbor MI
Accepts Building Materials – Call First

CDs, DISKS, TAPES, ALBUMS, RECORDS, VIDEO TAPES, DVDs

Outdated music can be donated to a community organization or traded at a used music store. Reuse old rewritable CD’s by taping over them. Recycle these items through one of the organizations listed below.

Edgewise Media(Media Distributors)
800-359-4601 or www.mediedistributors.com
4514 W. Van Owen, Burbank CA 91505
Accepts magnetic media for recycling. Call for information. Tapes for a fee per pound.

Green Disk
800-305-3475 or www.greendisk.com
2200 Burlington, Columbia, MO 65202
Accepts used floppy disks, CDs, DVDs and videotapes for recycling.
Fees Apply – call or go online for services available

Girl Scouts HVC - Camp Linden
810-735-5427
5285 Hogan Rd., Linden, MI 48451
G - Rated, kid-appropriate movies and music.
Call first.

Recycle Livingston
517-548-4439 or www.recyclelivingston.org
170 Catrell, Howell, MI 48843
CELLULAR PHONES

Every charged cellular phone, even without a service agreement, can dial 911, so an old phone can be given to a new user for emergency purposes only. Also, several organizations accept donated cellular phones. See Livingston County Solid Waste website for dates of the HHW collection events. Ask businesses (or your phone provider) for information about a tax deduction for phones and accessories and if there are shipping charges.

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CLOTHING AND SHOES

Clothing you no longer need can be sold or donated. You can call your local community center or religious institutions to find out if they need used clothing or call one of the organizations listed below. Clothing can also be sold at rummage sales. If you donate used clothing, make sure the clothing is clean and in good condition.

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<td>Will accept all clean nonusable fabric/cloth</td>
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<td><a href="http://www.mophsf.org">http://www.mophsf.org</a></td>
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<td>Register online and you will be contacted within 24 hours.</td>
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COMPUTERS, ELECTRONICS, TELEVISIONS

With the rapidly growing market, computers and other electronic equipment are quickly becoming a large part of the waste stream going to landfills. Older equipment can be upgraded or repaired rather than disposed. Some equipment can be returned to the manufacturer. The listing below includes companies that accept computers and other electronics from the general public and businesses. Some have nominal charges. Call first.

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<td>248-446-3001 (800-852-8127)</td>
<td><a href="http://www.batterysolutions.com">www.batterysolutions.com</a></td>
<td>Accepts small electronics like cell phones, iPods, tablets, etc. (No Televisions) Call or see website for information.</td>
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<td>Recycle Ann Arbor</td>
<td>734-971-7400 – Call for information</td>
<td>2950 E. Ellsworth, Ann Arbor, MI</td>
<td><a href="http://www.recycleannarbor.org">www.recycleannarbor.org</a></td>
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<td>Best Buy</td>
<td>810-225-8773</td>
<td>Brighton MI 48116</td>
<td>Please call for information.</td>
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<td>J.D. Beavers Company</td>
<td>248-437-0094</td>
<td>7676 Rushton Road, Brighton MI</td>
<td><a href="http://www.beaversco.com">www.beaversco.com</a></td>
<td>Takes electronics computer peripherals, wires, cables, etc. No CRT Monitors Call for information or check website. Does not take TVs.</td>
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<td>Recycle Livingston</td>
<td>517-548-4439</td>
<td>170 Catrell, Howell, MI 48843</td>
<td><a href="http://www.recyclelivingston.org">www.recyclelivingston.org</a></td>
<td>Non-Members pay a nominal charge above the member rate. Please call or visit their website.</td>
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<td>Staples</td>
<td>810-227-3980</td>
<td>8063 Challis Rd., Brighton, MI</td>
<td>48116</td>
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<td>Louis Padnos of Lansing</td>
<td>517-372-6600</td>
<td>1900 W. Willow St., Lansing, MI</td>
<td><a href="http://www.padnos.com">www.padnos.com</a></td>
<td>Charges per pound fees to recycle televisions.</td>
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✓ Company policies can change at any time. For current information always call before you go.

DUMPS

See Landfill & Transfer Stations on page 13

EYEGlasses & HEARING AIDS

The Lions Clubs of Michigan, www.lionsofmi.com run an extensive eyeglasses and hearing aid redistribution program. Look for their boxes in numerous locations throughout the county. They will make sure the items are reused.
**FIRE EXTINGUISHERS**

Please refer to the companies below for recharging and proper disposal of fire extinguishers. Please CALL FIRST.

- **Fire Protection Plus**
  9456 Fowlerville Road, Fowlerville
  517-548-3928
  [www.fireprotectionplusinc.com](http://www.fireprotectionplusinc.com)

- **Fire Systems of MI**
  26109 Grand River
  Redford, MI 48240
  517-545-3417

- **J.D. Beavers Company**
  7676 Rushton Road, Brighton MI
  248-437-0094
  [www.beaversco.com](http://www.beaversco.com)

**FLUORESCENT BULBS AND TUBES**

Bulbs and tubes can be brought to the Livingston County Household Hazardous Waste events (see pg 11), or contact:

- **Home Depot – Howell**
  517-548-3742

- **Recycle Ann Arbor**
  734-971-7400
  2950 E. Ellsworth, Ann Arbor, MI
  Accepts compacts and long tubes

- **Lowes – Howell**
  517-548-3475
  Accepts CFL’s only (Compact Fluorescent Lames – NO long tubes

- **Cleanlites Recycling, Inc.**
  665 Hull Road, Mason, MI 48854
  517-676-0044 or [www.usalamp.com](http://www.usalamp.com)
  Accepts 4, 6, and 8-foot bulbs

**FOOD ITEMS**

Contact the many community supportive organizations and/or religious institutions to find out if they accept donations of food or contact one of the organizations listed below. Call for information on what to donate or to volunteer.

- **FAMILY IMPACT CENTER**
  735 N. Grand Ave.
  Fowlerville, MI 48836
  517-223-4428
  [www.familyimpactcenter.org](http://www.familyimpactcenter.org)

- **GLEANERS COMMUNITY FOOD BANK**
  5924 Sterling Dr.
  Howell, MI 48843
  313-923-3535 or 866-453-2637 Ext 335
  Pantry by appointment only – 517-548-3710
  [www.gcfb.org](http://www.gcfb.org)

**FURNITURE & LARGE ITEMS – DONATION OR DISPOSAL**

Damaged furniture that cannot be easily repaired can be taken to nearby landfills or transfer stations for a fee. (See page 12) Some local municipalities hold annual clean-ups where large items can be disposed for little or no cost. Contact your city, township or village for more information. You can also contact your trash hauler to find out if they will pick up the item curbside. **Most places will not take used mattresses for donation.**

- **Goodwill of Fenton**
  810-750-1510
  3150 Owen Road, Fenton

- **Goodwill of Lansing**
  517-323-1167 or 517-393-4908
  Lansing, MI

- **Habitat for Humanity ReStore**
  810-220-9986
  7198 Grand River, Brighton
  *Undamaged furniture only. Can arrange pick up of large items.

- **Love Inc.**
  517-552-3620
  820 E. Grand River, Howell
  *Furniture donations should be small pieces only

- **The Salvation Army**
  810-534-5060
  7000 Grand River Ave, Brighton
  [www.salvationarmyusa.org](http://www.salvationarmyusa.org)
  *Accepts donations. No Mattresses. Call if pickup needed

*Livingston County does not endorse any particular company or service.*
HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE

Some household hazardous waste items can be harmful if they are thrown in the trash, dumped down drains or spread on the ground. The best way to reduce waste is to buy only what you need and to use what you buy. The following are three options to safely discard of unwanted hazardous materials such as cleaners, oil-based paint products, mercury, lawn and garden chemicals, automotive products, and many other items.

LIVINGSTON COUNTY RESIDENTIAL HHW COLLECTIONS

E-mail: solidwaste@livgov.com
Website: www.livgov.com/dpw
Phone: 517-545-9609

Information on collection events is on the website. Event dates are typically updated in March. A list of accepted items is also on the website, and includes: household cleaners, mercury, automotive fluids, oil-based paints, pool or lawn and garden chemicals, and much more. Currently this is a FREE service for Livingston County residents only.

You must make an appointment to participate.
Please call: 517-545-9609

✓ Watch our website for other special events. To be added to the list of those who receive e-mail updates about upcoming events, please email us at solidwaste@livgov.com.

The two businesses listed below will accept residential and commercial customers.

US Ecology (EQ Industrial Services, Inc.)
www.usecology.com HHW Hotline: 313-923-2240
Call for prices and arrangements for drop off. Accepts household hazardous waste, oil based paint, used motor oil, etc. - NO GAS

Environmental Recycling Group (ERG)
http://ergenvironmental.com PH: 734-437-9650
13040 Merriman Rd. Suite 200, Livonia, MI 48150
Please call first.

MDEQ HOTLINE for questions on disposal of hazardous items:
800-662-9278

LANDFILLS, DUMPS & TRANSFER STATIONS

If the item you no longer need or want cannot be reused or recycled by any of the organizations listed in this guide, you still have a few options for disposal. Contact your trash hauler to determine if they will accept the item curbside or if they provide roll-off containers for items like construction debris. Many local units of government also sponsor one-day collections, usually in the spring or fall, where residents can dispose of unwanted items – contact your respective city, village or township for details. Lastly, you can load the items up and take them to the nearest landfill, transfer station or processing facility. Call first for hours, prices, and restrictions.

Arbor Hills MSW Landfill - Advanced Disposal
888-443-1717
10690 W. Six Mile Rd., Northville, MI 48167
www.advanceddisposal.com

Monroe’s Recovery Facility & Recycle Ctr.
810-231-1055 or 810-231-3379
10025 Industrial Drive, Whitmore Lake 48189
Hamburg Township
www.monroerubbish.com

Chelsea Transfer Station
734-475-7955
8027 Werkner Road, Chelsea, MI
www.city-chelsea.org

Waste Management Williamston Transfer Station
517-655-4106
(Customer service: 866-797-9018)
2450 Grand River, Williamston, MI
www.wm.com

Citizens Disposal Landfill
810-655-4207
2361 W. Grand Blanc Road, Grand Blanc, MI

Please call for times and prices.
**LAWN & GARDEN EQUIPMENT**

Working lawn equipment can be donated to a community organization or sold at a rummage sale. The following will accept working or non-working lawn mowers and other equipment and may even pick up for you. Non-working equipment can also be recycled, see Metal in this guide.

- **J.D. Beavers Company**
  - 248-437-0094
  - [www.beaversco.com](http://www.beaversco.com)
  - 7676 Rushton Road, Brighton MI
  - Accepts all motorized equipment

- **Girl Scouts HVC - Camp Linden**
  - 810-735-5427
  - 5285 Hogan Rd., Linden, MI

**MERcury**

Mercury is a highly toxic metal that emits a colorless and odorless gas. Polluted water and soils are what cause fish advisories in many water bodies. NEVER vacuum or sweep spilled mercury! For questions about Mercury spills, please call the Livingston County Environmental Health Department at 517-546-9858. Mercury can be transported safely, if double bagged in sealed plastic bags.

Contained quantities of Mercury can be brought to the Livingston County HHW collection event.

Please **double bag** and seal in plastic bags for transporting. Call for info: 517-545-9609.


See **Thermostats Pages 21 / 22** for locations to drop off used thermostats. Double bag Mercury thermostats and thermometers before transporting to recycle. Try to leave the thermostat unit intact, double bag in sealed plastic bags.

Livingston County Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) collection events are posted on the Solid Waste website. [www.livgov.com/dpw](http://www.livgov.com/dpw). Mercury will be collected at the HHW events.

**METAL**

Metals are the most commonly recycled commodities around the world. Larger items such as appliances, aluminum siding, cars, and tools contain a variety of recyclable metals. See the “scrap metal” section of the Yellow Pages or try one of the organizations listed below. Refer to Automobiles in this guide for organizations that take donated vehicles. Call for information.

- **Advance Metal Alloys**
  - 517-546-3825  [www.advancemetalalloys.com](http://www.advancemetalalloys.com)
  - 3080 Toddlem, Howell, MI

- **Recycle Livingston**
  - 517-548-4439  [www.recyclelivingston.org](http://www.recyclelivingston.org)
  - 170 Catrell, Howell, MI  48843

- **J.D. Beavers Company**
  - 248-437-0094  [www.beaversco.com](http://www.beaversco.com)
  - 7676 Rushton Road, Brighton MI

- **Regal Recycling**
  - 517-546-3820  [http://regalrecycling.net](http://regalrecycling.net)
  - 645 Lucy Rd., Howell, MI  48843

- **Miechiels Auto Salvage**
  - 517-546-4111  [www.miechielsautosalvage.com](http://www.miechielsautosalvage.com)
  - 405 S. National, Howell, MI
NEWSPAPER
Some trash haulers will also take newspaper for recycling or you can take it to Recycle Livingston with the rest of your recyclable materials.

Recycle Livingston
517-548-4439  www.recyclelivingston.org
170 Catrell, Howell, MI
If you are not a member, they offer non-member car fee. Please call for information.  May be closed for inclement weather.

OFFICE SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT
Just about any non-profit organization will accept office supplies for donation and many will take equipment or furniture. You can call Recycle Livingston or any other community organization, religious group, or senior center.

ARC of Livingston
517-546-1228  www.arclivingston.org
2980 Dorr Rd., Brighton, MI 48843
Accept certain office supplies. Call for info.

J.D. Beavers Company
7676 Rushton Road, Brighton MI
248-437-0094  www.beaversco.com
J.D. Beavers will accept all metal furniture and office equipment including, wires, cables, cell phones, monitors (no CRT), computer, printers, appliance, scrap metal, etc. Call for information and details.

Staples
810-227-3980  Please call for information
Or look for recycling on Staples.com
8063 Challis Rd., Brighton, MI 48116
Staples will accept computers, monitors and printers. There is a daily limit. Call for details. Staples offer a Trade-In on purchases on certain items and a ‘Save’ program for other office equipment. Staples also offers recycling of printer ink cartridges with a reward program, and recycles rechargeable batteries. Please call for current information.

PACKAGING OR SHIPPING MATERIALS
To reduce waste, use shredded paper or newspaper when packing. Some packing peanuts are now biodegradable and dissolve with water or sunlight. The packing stores listed below will take packing peanuts and some other material for reuse. Recycle your cardboard boxes and Styrofoam packing (not peanuts) at Recycle Livingston.

Recycle Ann Arbor -
734-971-9676  www.recycleannarbor.org
2950 East Ellsworth, Ann Arbor MI
Accepts polystyrene containers for recycling. Call for hours and prices.

The UPS Store
810-750-2920  -
17195 Silver Parkway, Fenton MI
Packing peanuts (styrofoam only)

The UPS Store
810-229-5057  
9864 E. Grand River, Brighton, MI
Accepts Bubble Wrap and Air Pillows.

The UPS Store
517-552-9630
903 S. Latson, Howell, MI
Accepts for reuse bubble wrap, packing peanuts, foam, and cardboard boxes.
PAINT – LATEX AND OIL-BASED PAINTS

Buy only as much paint as you need. You can share leftover paint with neighbors or community organizations like theatre groups. Please call these vendors for current information and prices.

✓ Dried latex paint is not considered hazardous to the environment. Place dried out paint cans next to your regular trash. Do not put the lids back on the cans. Trash haulers cannot collect closed paint cans/buckets or wet latex paint.

A faster way to dry latex paint: In a well-ventilated area - Line a large cardboard box with a heavy duty plastic garbage bag. Pour the latex paint into the bag in the box. It will dry faster because you are exposing it to more air. Stir it occasionally. You can add kitty litter, shredded paper, or a drying product to accelerate the drying. Please be mindful that the paint is out of harm’s way for children and pets. Tie up the bag once the paint is totally DRY and put it out next to your trash for pick up.

Recycle Livingston  
517-548-4439  
*Will charge you a small fee to send the unwanted latex paint to an e-paint vendor to be reformulated and reusable.

Re-Store (Habitat for Humanity)  
810-220-9986  
*Will charge you a small fee to send the unwanted latex paint to an e-paint vendor to be reformulated and reusable.

Monroe’s Material Recovery  
810-231-1055  
Charges a fee to dry out and dispose of latex or oil based paint.  
10025 Industrial Drive, Whitmore Lake (Hamburg Twp)

Oil-based paints and aerosol paints can be brought to one of the Livingston County Residential Household Hazardous Waste collection events or taken to HHW vendors:  
See: Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) on Page 13 or visit website: www.livgov.com/dpw

PESTICIDES/HERBICIDES – Disposal of residential and commercial containers

The Michigan Department of Agriculture manages two programs targeting farm quantities of pesticides, herbicides, other agricultural chemicals, and their containers. The following locations will accept pesticides, herbicides, and any other lawn/garden chemical from any end user, including residences and farmers.

See: Household Hazardous Waste in this guide for commercial companies that will take these items for a charge.

Ingham County Health Dept.  
517-887-4529  
Lansing, MI Accepts pesticides(in county), herbicides, and mercury(in county) from farms or homeowners at no charge through the MDA Clean Sweep Program. Call with large quantity.  
2017 Drop offs Tues/Thurs, May thru Sept. No appt.

Livingston County – Residential HHW Collections  
517-545-9609  
Email: solidwaste@livgov.com  
Accepts household quantities of pesticides, herbicides, and other household hazardous waste during collection days. Please call for an appointment. Email Us to be added to Collection Date Email Campaign.

Visit the website www.livgov.com/dpw for information about schedules and description items collected at events.

Macomb County Health Dept.  
586-469-5256  
43525 Elizabeth Road Mount Clemens, MI  
Accepts pesticides, herbicides, and mercury from farms or residents at no charge through the MDA Clean Sweep Program.
PESTICIDES/HERBICIDES – Disposal of residential and commercial containers (CONTINUED)

NOTE: This next program is ONLY for FARMERS and NOT individual homeowners.
The second program operated by the Michigan Department of Agriculture is for empty agricultural chemical containers. The containers must be empty, tripled rinsed and placed in the bag provided by the organizations listed below.

Cygnet Enterprises
810-744-0540
1860 Bagwell Street, Flint, MI

G. Phillips & Sons
248-961-3360
Email: Sbruinsma@gphillipsandsons.com
www.gpsagrecycle.com
State of Michigan Pesticide Recycling Program
Call or look on website for additional information

PET ITEMS AND SUPPLIES
Boarding kennels or veterinarians may accept pet food and pet supplies such as collars, cages, carriers, leashes, bowls, blankets, and other bedding, or you can contact one of the organizations listed below.

Always Hope Animal Rescue
810-220-7387
www.alwayshopeanimalrescue.org

Last Chance Rescue
517-548-5720

Humane Society of Livingston County
517-552-8050
www.humane-livingston.org
2464 Dorr Road, Howell, MI 48843
Accepts: Bedding/linens/towels, dog or cat food, office equipment/supplies and pet equipment/supplies.

Livingston County Animal Shelter
517-546-2154
418 S. Highlander Way, Howell, MI
PHARMACEUTICALS and over-the-counter medicines

Do not flush or pour medicines down the drain. Items that are poured down the drain end up in our watersheds and many water treatment plants are unable to filter out these chemicals.

For local disposal: a program called “Big Red Barrel” has many Livingston County locations where you can drop off prescriptions or over the counter medicines for disposal. NO QUESTIONS ASKED. See the Solid Waste website www.livgov.com/dpw for up-to-date link to the flier. Go to: Big Red Barrel Program Website: http://livingstoncountycommunityalliance.org

“Big Red Barrel” Locations as of 1-2017:

*Brighton City Police Dept.  *State Police Post, Brighton Post – Buno Road
*Green Oak Township Police Dept.  or any State Police Post
*Hamburg Police Department  *Unadilla Township Police Dept.
*Howell City Police Dept.  *Unadilla Township Police Dept.
*Livingston County Jail, Highlander Way, Howell  *Village of Fowlerville Police Department
(Accepts liquid meds, double-bagged in plastic bags.)  *Village of Pinckney Police Department

BIG RED BARREL GUIDELINES

• Bring pills in their original containers and a resealable plastic baggie to any Big Red Barrel location. (By law, all prescription medication needs to be in its original packaging at all times.)
• Dump the pills into the plastic baggie. Seal the baggie. Discard the empty pill bottle. *Remember to remove your personal information before throwing the empty bottle away!*
• Place the baggie, with the medication inside of it, into the barrel.
• Congratulations! You’ve properly disposed of your medication!
• If you do not have a resealable plastic baggie, you may dump the medication directly into the barrel.
• Please do not discard the bottle into the barrel.

To dispose of liquid medication:

• Before you visit the Big Red Barrel, pour the liquid medication onto paper towels until all of the liquid medication is absorbed by the paper towel. We do this to avoid the potential for a bottle to break and having it spill liquid medication inside the barrel.
• Place the paper towels into a resealable plastic baggie.
• Bring the baggie, along with the empty bottle of medication, to a Big Red Barrel site. You may be asking “If, by law, all prescription medication needs to be in its original packaging at all times, why does the liquid medication get dumped into a paper towel before I reach the barrel? Wouldn’t I be breaking the law?” In order to avoid a sticky mess and the likelihood that police departments will not readily have rolls of paper towel on hand, please have the empty bottle available for any inspection that law enforcement may want.
• Place the plastic baggie into the barrel. Discard the empty bottle. *Remember to remove your personal information before throwing the empty bottle away!*

Please do not discard the empty bottle into the barrel.

As a last resort – mix drugs (do not crust) with dirt, kitty litter or unused coffee grounds, seal drugs in plastic bag, place plastic bag in trash. Take empty prescription container and black out/scratch out any personal information and recycle or throw away. For more information, call the DEQ information line at 800-662-9278.
PLASTICS RECYCLING (INCLUDING PLASTIC SHOPPING BAGS)

Recycle Livingston
517-548-4439  www.recylelivingston.org
170 Catrell, Howell, MI  48843

Shopping Bag Recycling - You can recycle plastic bags at various grocery and retail establishments and at Recycle Livingston. Many dry cleaners will recycle plastic clothing bags and metal hangers. Please respect these organizations that are trying to reduce waste by not contaminating their load with bags that are not acceptable.

PRINTER CARTRIDGES

Refillable printer cartridges are available for most printers. In addition, many refurbished printer cartridges are available and are less expensive than new ones. All used printer toners and ink cartridges are recyclable. Many of them have cash value. Look in the Yellow Pages for a printer supply store near you.

Staples
810-227-3980
Please call for information
Or look for recycling on Staples.com
8063 Challis Rd., Brighton, MI  48116

PROPANE TANKS

Any tank under pressure, such as propane, helium, or butane, can cause injury to sanitation workers and equipment if they explode. Propane tanks that are not equipped with the overfill protection device (OPD) cannot be refilled. A quick way to tell if your tank has the device is to look at the valve – if it is triangular, it is ok; if it is round, then it must be upgraded or recycled. Visit www.usemichiganpropane.com for a list of participating retailers or contact one of the organizations listed below. Call first for possible pricing and tank requirement.

Corrigan Propane
800-327-8645
775 N. 2nd St, Brighton, MI

J.D. Beavers
248-437-0094
7676 Rushton, Brighton
www.beaversco.com
Tanks must be de-headed

Regal Recycling
517-546-3820
645 Lucy Road
Howell, MI 48843
www.regalrecycling.net
Valves removed

Hamiltons Propane
855-244-6015
300 S. Ortonville Road, Ortonville, MI

Parkers Propane
517-292-8563
3985 Tower Dr, Howell, MI

Suburban Gas Service
810-750-7101
7119 Old US 23, Fenton, MI

Only one pound cylinders for camping stoves, etc., can be recycled at the Household Hazardous Waste collection events. Please refer to the website for current dates, locations and please call for an appointment to participate in this free program offered by Livingston County. www.livgov.com/dpw
RECYCLING CENTERS

Nearby recycling centers are listed below. Call first to verify hours, cost, and how materials should be prepared. Contact your trash hauler to see if curbside pick-up is available.

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SHARPS - Needles, Injectors, and Lancets

“Sharps” is a broad term used to describe syringes with attached needles, injectable pens and lancets. When disposed with the regular trash, they can be harmful to sanitation and recycling workers. To reduce the dangers of sharps, you may choose to purchase a pre-paid mail container, sold at most pharmacies. Place used needles in the container and take the full container to one of the locations listed below or ask your pharmacy or doctor if they will accept used sharps. Livingston County will also accept sharps in a liquid laundry detergent bottle with the lid taped shut and labeled ‘SHARPS’.

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**Livingston County Solid Waste Program** through the Drain Commissioner’s Office offers a collection of sharps, injectables, and lancets type items. **Some items are taken at the counter. (Free Service offered by the County.)** **Please call 517-545-9609 for more information.**

**Livingston County Household Hazardous Waste Collection Scheduled Events** (Solid Waste Program) will take sharps. Please call or visit our website for dates of events and items collected. Appointments are **required** to participate in the free collection events. Website: www.livgov.com/dpw Email: solidwaste@livgov.com
SMOKE DETECTORS & CARBON MONOXIDE DETECTORS

Smoke detectors contain a very small amount of radioactive material. Some manufacturers will accept their smoke detectors for recycling. Following are some common manufacturers. Send the used smoke detector using regular ground mail in a padded envelope. For additional questions, contact the Nuclear Regulatory Commission at 360-829-5500. Non-radioactive smoke detectors are available that rely on ionized air and are less sensitive to humidity and cooking smoke. The Household Hazardous Waste collection will also take them when presented. Please make an appointment to participate at the County’s HHW Collection, please call 517-545-9609. Check USPS.com website under smoke alarms for additional options.

Firex c/o Disposal
28C Leigh Fisher Blvd.
El Paso, TX 79906
800-445-8299
www.firexsafety.com
Accepted by Kidde

Kidde
1016 Corporate Park Drive
Mebane, NC 27302
Accepts only Kidde Brand
800-880-6788

First Alert/BRK
800-323-9005 Ext. 2
Customer Service Dept.
3920 Enterprise Court
Aurora, IL 60504
Accepts up to four device of First Alert/BRK brand at a time. Call ahead for mailing instructions.

The Livingston County Household Hazardous Waste Collection events will also collect these items. You must have an appointment to participate in this program. www.livgov.com/dpw Call: 517-545-9609

**New Free Service** If units are double bagged in plastic, Livingston County Drain Commissioner’s office will collect them at the counter. 517-545-9609

Honeywell (Returned Goods)
Dock 4-MN 10-3860
1985 Douglas Drive North
Golden Valley, MN 55422
Accepts only Honeywell Brand
800-328-5111
www.ecustomercare.com

THERMOSTATS AND MERCURY THERMOMETERS (THERMOMETERS ONLY ACCEPTED BY LIVINGSTON COUNTY)

Most thermostats contain a small amount of mercury. When removing thermostats, use caution not to break the mercury bead. Double bag the item in a zipper type plastic bag before transporting. The following organizations will accept a used thermostat or you can contact the manufacturer to find out if they recycle used thermostats. Used thermostats can also be taken to the places listed under Household Hazardous Waste on page 11. For additional locations go to www.thermostat-recycle.org

Accutemp Heating and Cooling
517-548-1555
1085 Grand Oaks
Howell, MI 48843

Robertson & Morrison
734-662-3141
4721 Runway Blvd, Ann Arbor, MI 48108
Accepts mercury thermostats

Lakeside Service Company Inc.
810-227-2719
4367 South Old US 23, Brighton, MI 48114
Accepts mercury thermostats
THERMOSTATS AND MERCURY THERMOMETERS (THERMOMETERS ONLY ACCEPTED BY LIVINGSTON COUNTY) CON’T

Livingston County HHW Collections  E-mail: solidwaste@livgov.com
Phone: 517-545-9609  Website: www.livgov.com/dpw
Currently this is still a Free service for Livingston County residents only.

☐ For disposing of unbroken thermometers or thermostats, please double bag in sealed plastic bags. These items can be brought to Livingston County Drain Commissioner’s office during regular business hours.

These events are sponsored by Livingston County Commissioners and Livingston County Drain Commissioner. Please call for info:  517-545-9609  (3/2017)

TIRES

In 2004, whole tires were banned from disposal in Michigan landfills. Piles of old tires can cause fires or serve as the breeding grounds for mosquitoes. Most service stations will recycle your old tires when you purchase new ones. Also, many will accept used tires from the general public as a goodwill service. Reference your Yellow Pages, for a location close to you. Please call ahead to verify that they offer this service and if there are any fees, limits, or if the rim has to be removed.

Recycle Livingston collects tires 1 day per year – check website or call for additional information:
www.recyclelivingston.org
517-548-4439
170 Catrell, Howell, MI 48843

Watch our website for information about a possible 2017 Tire Collection event
Website: www.livgov.com/dpw
Phone: 517-545-9609

TOOLS

Many community groups and non-profit organizations will accept donations of tools for use at their facility. Contact your favorite charity, non-profit group or one of the organizations listed below to donate working tools.

Camp Fire SE Michigan
248-382-8382
www.campfiresem.org
9750 Milford Rd.
Holly, MI 48442

J.D. Beavers
248-437-0094
7676 Rushton, Brighton
www.beaversco.com
Visit website or call for info.

Re-Store
810-220-9986
7198 Grand River in Brighton
Call first.

Accepts maintenance tools in good condition that will be useful at the camp. Call first.
Please contact your township, village or city for information regarding whether you need to secure a trash hauler on your own or if a company may have contracts with your municipality. The following is a list of some trash hauling companies that currently provide service to Livingston County or check your Yellow Pages for more. Some of the companies provide recycling and yard waste composting service. This is not intended to be a complete list of available haulers, nor is this an endorsement of any one company or service.

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The following municipalities have contracts* with haulers (*this could change at any time).

**City of Howell, City of Brighton, Village of Pinckney, Village of Fowlerville, and Genoa Township.**

- **Advanced Disposal**  
  734-213-6755  [www.advanceddisposal.com](http://www.advanceddisposal.com)  
  Serving Brighton, Green Oak, Hamburg, Hartland, Howell, and Putnam Townships. Up to 5 cans

- **Alchin’s**  
  517-223-7119  [www.alchinsdisposal.com](http://www.alchinsdisposal.com)  
  Serving Cohoctah, Conway, Deerfield (limited), Handy, Howell, Iosco, Marion, and Oceola (limited) Townships. Needs one day notice for paint cans (must be dried and open – call for directions)

- **Dougie’s Disposal**  
  810-991-1579  [www.dougiesdisposal.com](http://www.dougiesdisposal.com)  
  Serving Hartland, Tyrone, Deerfield Townships.

- **GFL Environmental (formerly Rizzo/Duncan)**  
  248-437-8600  [www.gflusa.com](http://www.gflusa.com)  
  Customer Service number:  586-772-8900  
  Serving Genoa Township residents with an exclusive contract. Also serves residential customers in all other townships in Livingston County.

- **Granger**  
  517-372-2800  [www.grangernet.com](http://www.grangernet.com)  
  Serving Village of Pinckney – Limited service in Putman, Unadilla, Iosco, Handy.

- **Republic Services**  
  800-685-7382  [www.republicservices.com](http://www.republicservices.com)  
  Serving Brighton, Cohoctah, Deerfield, Genoa (non-residential), Green Oak, Hamburg, Hartland, Howell, and Tyrone Township and the Villages of Fowlerville and Pinckney

- **The Garbage Man, LLC**  
  810-225-3001  [www.thegarbagemanllc.com](http://www.thegarbagemanllc.com)  
  Serving Brighton, Green Oak, Hamburg, Hartland, Howell, Marion, Oceola and Putnam Townships

- **Waste Management**  
  734-449-8887  [www.wm.com](http://www.wm.com)  
  Serving Brighton, Cohoctah, Deerfield, Green Oak, Hamburg, Hartland, Howell, Marion, Oceola, Putnam and Tyrone Townships.

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TYVEK

Tyvek is a very strong plastic and fiber material used for envelopes and certain protective clothing. The following organizations accept Tyvek for recycling.

Dave Welch – Tyvek Recycling Specialist
CRP-Bldg. 705
974 Centre Road
Wilmington, DE  19805-0705
(Sponsored by DuPont)
Accepts Tyvek envelopes. For fewer than 25 envelopes; turn one inside out and stuff with other envelopes. For more than 25, call 800-44 TYVEK.

Non Envelope Tyvek Products
Ask when you purchase for recycling options.

VIDEOTAPES

See:  CDs, Disks, Tapes, Albums, Records, Video Tapes, CDs, DVDs

YARD WASTE

Yard waste is banned from landfills and incinerators in Michigan. Grass cycling is an easy and effective way to reduce yard waste. By leaving the grass clippings on the lawn after mowing, you eliminate the need for bagging and reduce the need for fertilizers since the grass clippings provide valuable nutrients and water. Leaves, brush, and pruning can be composted at home. Composting is a natural and simple process of recycling yard waste back into the soil. Visit the Livingston County Solid Waste Program Website for more information on backyard composting.

Some communities and trash haulers offer curbside pick-up of yard waste. Contact your local municipality or trash hauler for more information. There are also two compost farms in the County where you can drop off yard waste for a fee.

Johnston Farm and Composting
Phone:  517-546-6271
www.johnstonfarm.com
5292 Center Rd., Linden, MI  48451

*Accepts leaves, grass clippings, brush, woodchips, soil and some stumps.
Call for prices and hours.

Tuthill Farms and Composting, Inc.
734-449-8100
www.tuthillfarms.com
10505 Tuthill Road, South Lyon

*Accepts leaves, grass clippings, brush, woodchips, manure, food waste, Christmas trees, wreaths, and lake weeds.
*They do not accept stumps or construction material, trash, plastic or treated lumber.

Please check website for seasonal days/hours of operation, prices, and other information.

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