# **RECYCLING RESOURCES: MEMPHIS**

**RECYCLE ALMOST ANYTHING, ANYTIME** 

## **RECYCLING GUIDE**

#### **Items Accepted Curbside**



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# FOOD SCRAPS

+ Start a backyard compost pile (Visit tectn.org for steps on how to start one) + Sign up for compost collection with local companies:

**Atlas Organics** 

#### CLOTHING, TEXTILES, SHOES

+ At a thrift store + Donate to a homeless shelter + Mail in with ReTold

Recycling\* (Best for materials too worn for donation)

+ Mail in shoes with Got Sneakers



# **RECYCLING CONVENIENCE CENTERS**

#### WHAT'S ACCEPTED

- Paper & Cartons
- Plastic bottles, containers, tubs, buckets, produce containers
- Aluminum & steel cans, foil and tin trays
- Glass Bottles, jars, containers
- **NO CARDBOARD!** (Curbside only)



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#### SCRAP METAL

+ Worley Brothers Scrap Iron and Metal

recycler to pick up from



#### **ELECTRONICS**

- + At an HHW site
- + At Best Buy

#### **CABLES & CORDS**

+ At Best Buy



# \* FEE MAY APPLY

#### **STYROFOAM**

+ Drop off at BDC Business Hub, 2690 Yale Ave, Memphis TN 38112

Items must be clean -

- Egg Cartons
- Meat Trays
- Coolers
- Sheets of Styrofoam
- Takeout containers, cups



# BATTERIES

+ Alkaline: Through a Call2Recycle or Terracycle Mail-In Box\*

+ Rechargeable batteries: At Lowes, Home Depot, or Batteries + Bulbs





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+ Find a scrap metal

you

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#### MATTRESSES

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## INK CARTRIDGES

+ Take to Target + Take to Office Depot + Mail in with Planet Green Recycle - Print your FREE shipping label using Program ID: 32322





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#### PAPER SHREDDING

+ Take to Office Depot\* + Use Direct-Shred paper shredding services\*



TIRES

+ Place up to 4 tires at

curbside for city pickup

every other week. Call 311

with concerns. Call 901-

636-4410 with questions.

+ Call ahead to drop off with *Liberty Tire:* 3000 Elvis

Presley Blvd.

+ Take to the Collins

Convenience Center: 304

Collins St.

#### **MEDICATIONS**

 + Take to a local drop off site
- Save transparent medication bottles for select animal rescue groups or veterinary clinics to reuse



SHELBYTNHEALTH.COM/384/PRESCRIPTION-DRUG-TAKE-BACK-PROGRAMS

#### OTHER RESOURCES

+ Utilize online resource, *Terracycle* for recycling hard-to-recycle materials. Their website offers free collection of some items.

+Visit Nashville refill stores online. Both *Sage Refill Market* and *The Good Fill* offer refills, package free, and zero waste items.



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