Miscellaneous

Construction Debris:

Dispose of through your local hauler,

Freon Removal:

Contact any heating, ventilation & air conditioning contractor in the yellow pages. Fee.

Latex Paint: Place kitty litter, sawdust or other absorbent material in the can to soak up remaining paint. Once the can is completely dry it can be placed with regular garbage.

Metal Scrap:

Recycle at Swarthout's Recycling, Beaver Dams, 607-936-4998; or any scrap metal dealer.

Pallets:

Reuse or send back with shipper.

Medical Products

Hearing Aides: Mail to HEAR NOW, 6700 Washington Avenue South, Eden Prairie, MN 55344, I-800-769-2799.

Medication: Medications should be taken to the County Sheriff's Department in Watkins Glen where there is an anonymous lock box which is always available.

Syringes: Store used sharps in a designated container or coffee can with lid. Ask your doctor or pharmacy if they'll take used sharps for disposal.

Paper Products

Books, Hard Cover:

Yard Sale, donate to second-hand book store, or to your local library book sale. Or tear off hard cover and recycle paper pages.

Junk Mail:

Recycle with office paper. Shred first, if concerned about account numbers. To get off junk mail lists, contact Mail Preference Service, Direct Marketing Association, PO Box 643, Carmel, NY 15012-0643



Get Off Junk Mail Lists

Bills

Sign up for paperless billing

Shred bills if you are concerned about account numbers—then recycle!



WHAT DO I DO WITH THIS STUFF?

Tips for Reducing,
Reusing, Recycling and
Disposing of Items
That Don't Go To The
Recycling Center



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Auto Products

Antifreeze: Ask your auto supplier.

Batteries, automobile: Recycle at an auto supplier that sells batteries. There may be a charge if it is a brand they don't sell.

Gasoline, old: If it is unusable, save for a household hazardous waste collection day.

Oil, used: Recycle at an auto supplier that sells oil.

Tires: Recycle for a minimal fee at a supplier that sells tires. Fees are based on tire size.



Around the House

Appliances, large: Recycle at Swarthout's Recycling, Beaver Dams, 936-4998; Arrowhead Disposal, Beaver Dams, 535-5496; Champion's, Hector, 582-6485, or any scrap metal dealer.

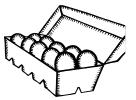
Appliances, small household: Dispose with regular trash or at local transfer station

Batteries, household: Recycle rechargeable Ni-Cd, Ni-MH, Ll-ion, and Pb batteries at Wal-Mart.

Cameras, Single-Use: Take to a developer who assures recycling.

Clothing: Tear up and use as dusting or cleaning cloths. Donate good clothing to St. James (535-2321), Catholic Charities (734-4898), Salvation Army (796-9005, 272-5323), or Trader K's (272-4011).

Egg Cartons: Your local farmer / egg supplier may reuse egg cartons. Recycle cardboard cartons with paperboard.



Eyeglasses: To reuse, look locally for Lions Club donation bins, or return old glasses to chain stores.

Fire Extinguishers: It is permissible for homeowners in NYS to dispose of singly. Or ship back to the manufacturer.

Furniture: Get it repaired, yard sale it, or donate good used furniture to Salvation Army (796-9005, 272-5323), or Red Cross—call first (734-3317). You may also dispose of through your local trash hauler

Hangers: Call your local dry cleaner (Cleaning Factory, 535-2134) or tailor, regarding reuse.



Mattresses: Dispose of through your local trash hauler,

Packing Peanuts: Ask your local packing store, such as Mailboxes Etc., if they will reuse. They will sometimes take packing wedges as well.

Plastic Bags: Recycle bags at Wal-Mart and Tops Groceries. Combine purchases, bring your own bag or ask for paper to reduce plastic bags in your home.

Plastic Utensils: Wash and reuse.

Propane Tanks: Return to your supplier, trading in for a new tank. Or recycle at Swarthout's Recycling, Beaver Dams, 607-936-4998; or any scrap metal dealer.

Smoke Detectors: It is permissible for homeowners to dispose of singly. Or ship via UPS ground to manufacturer.

Electronics

Cellular Phones: You can mail phone, battery and charger to Verizon Wireless Hopeline, c/o ReCellular Inc., 2555 Bishop Circle W., Dexter, MI 48130, I-800-426-2790 OR Call to Protect—c/o Motorola, I580 E. Ellsworth Rd., Ann Arbor, MI 48108.

Computers & Accessories: Save for annual county-wide recycling event organized by Schuyler County Planning Department ,607-535-8211 or contact your local municipality for other collection events or drop-off points



Recycle
Computers &
Components

Televisions: Save for annual county-wide recycling event organized by Schuyler County Planning Department, 607-535-8211 or contact your local municipality for other collection events or drop-off points

Diskettes: Check out www.greendisk.com to recycle your used computer disks.

Toner Cartridges: Send back to manufacturer,

Kid Stuff

Crayons:

Melt down to make new crayons. Ship old, broken crayons for recycling to LAF Lines Ltd., 16830 Edgewood Ave., Wayzata, MN 55391, I-800-561-9022. You'll get CRAZY CRAYONS in return.

Toys:

Yard Sale, Or check with Schuyler Hospital (607-535-7121) or Head Start (607-535-7131) to see if they'll accept "like new" used toys.