



419-3709074
U.S. Rubbishes

419-625-2004
Ruffin Refuse

419-626-2454
Republic Waste Services

419-684-9797
Cyclone Waste Services

Erie County Residents can call any Erie County Waste Hauler and ask for curbside recycling:

Curbside Recycling Options



419-625-2910
Sandusky Goodwill

419-433-7542
422 Cleveland Rd.

419-621-1877
Huron Goodwill

4210 Milan Rd.
TV 50" and under)

Best Buy (Tube TV 32") and under. Flat Screen Electronics/Computers

1640 Columbus Ave.
1419-504-0603

Maag's Automotive & Machine
Cooling Oil

5500 Milan Rd.
1419-624-6000

715 Crossings Rd.
1419-626-6493

Home Depot - At the Return's Desk or:

Special Material Recycling



Erie County Solid Waste Management District

554 River Road
Huron, Ohio
44839

Tiffini McNeely
District Coordinator

Phone: 419-433-7303 x2303
Fax: 419-433-6214

E-mail: TMcNeely@eriecounty.oh.gov



Propane Tanks

- Galloway Brothers
2717 Old Railroad Rd.
419-626-8492

Tires

Please contact the location ahead of time as there may be a recycling fee.

- Ebert's Garage
7804 S. Hayes Ave.
419-359-1353
- Erie County Landfill
10102 Hoover Rd.
419-433-5023
- J & J Automotive
704 W. Washington St.
419-627-8713



Toilets

- Heitsche Trucking
2342 Collins Road
Collins, Ohio 44826
419-663-8785

Toner & Ink Jets

- Goodwill Dollar Store
419 West Market Street
567-219-1569
- Staples
5500 Milan Road
419-626-8077

Vinyl Siding

- Return Polymers RPG Inc.
400 Westlake Drive
Ashland, Ohio
Call Ahead 419-289-1998



Yard Waste

- Barnes Composting Facility
Camp Road
419-433-5525



Household Hazardous Waste HHW

Gasoline, Pesticides, Fertilizers, Fluorescent Light Tubes, Varnish, Oil Based Paint, Mercury

- Contact: Tiffini McNeely to Register for the next available HHW Collection by email at TMcNeely@eriecounty.oh.gov or by phone at 419-433-7303 x2303

Latex Paint

- Habitat ReStore will recycle old latex, acrylic, or water-base paint for \$2 per can.
7602 Milan Road
419-621-2207
- Dry-out your old latex paint with kitty litter or saw dust and dispose of in your household trash.

Motor Oil

- Ebert's Garage
7804 S. Hayes Ave.
419-359-1353
- Griff's Engine & Machine Co.
710 Erie St.
419-625-0783
- Maag's Automotive & Machine Inc.
Also accepts transmission fluid and cooking oil.
1640 Columbus Ave.
419-626-1539

Pharmaceutical Drugs

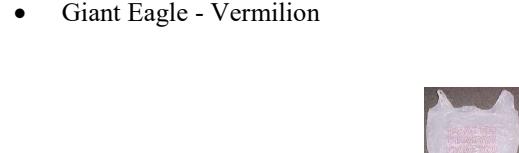
Drug Take Back Boxes are available at the following locations:

- Huron Police Station
- Sandusky Police Station
- Vermilion Police Station
- Erie County Sheriff's Office

Plastic Bags

Recycling locations for plastic bags can be found at the following:

- Walmart - Sandusky
- Kroger - Sandusky
- Giant Eagle - Vermilion



Florencetownship

- Church - 1508 South St. Wakeman
- Birmingham United Methodist

Vermillion Township

- 1340 W. Lake Rd.
- Grace United Methodist Church -

St Matthew Evangelical Lutheran

- 60
- AM Vet Post #22 - 1517 State Route

Paper Recycling Drop-Off

- The following drop-off locations offer paper recycling. Newspapers, magazines, office paper, re-mail only.

Residents

of Erie County Municipalities

Drop-Off Locations

and Maintenance

of these locations:

Municipalities

Drop-Off

Sites

City of Sandusky (West-Side)

- 419-627-5844
- Marguette Street, Sandusky

Services Complex

- 419-627-5844
- Marguette Street, Sandusky

Residues

- Residents of the following Erie County Municipalities

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Use the Following Drop-Off Recycling

What & How 2 Recycle?

PAPER/CARDBOARD RECYCLING

WHAT: Office paper, junk mail, newspaper, cardboard, and magazines are all types of paper that can be recycled.

HOW: Place loose office paper, junk mail, magazines and newspaper in recycling bins. Break down cardboard remove tape and staples.

RECYCLING PROCESS: Once sorted from other materials at a recycling facility, the paper/cardboard is baled. The paper/cardboard bales are sold to paper/cardboard processors. The processors empty the paper/cardboard bales into a large container called a vat (paper & cardboard recycling is the same process). The vat pulverizes the paper/cardboard and mixes the paper/cardboard with the water and chemicals. The "mushy" paper/cardboard is now called paper pulp. The pulp goes through several screens to remove large pieces, and a de-inking stage to remove ink and glue. Finally, the pulp goes through a rolling machine for the paper/cardboard to be flattened, dried, and is wound into giant rolls. The paper/cardboard rolls are sold to manufacturers who make different products with the paper (stationary, office paper, boxes etc.)

PAPER/CARDBOARD PROCESSORS:

- Sandusky Steel, Sandusky
- Republic Services

WHAT BIN?: Please see Where 2 Recycle on the inside of this brochure to determine if your location has multiple bins or just one bin and where the materials should be placed.



What & How 2 Recycle?

PLASTIC RECYCLING

WHAT: Plastics that are coded #1-#7 (see below) are recyclable in Erie County with the exception of Styrofoam #6 (please see Other Recyclables to learn how to recycle this material). Food and beverage containers/bottles, soap and detergent containers/bottles only at Erie County Drop-off Locations..

HOW: To recycle plastic please remove labels and rinse the containers thoroughly. **Optional:** remove the cap and try to compress all the air out of the container and screw the cap back on to hold shape. This saves room in your recycling container.

NOT ALL PLASTICS ARE ALIKE: All plastic has a coding number from #1-#7 that can be found on the bottom (usually) of the item located inside a recycling symbol. The code identifies the resin used to make a particular container or bottle. The code allows both the consumers and the recyclers to identify and sort containers. For a better understanding of plastic coding here are the numbers and examples of



the products



that included



- #1 - Polyethylene Terephthalate (PET): water bottles, soda bottles, peanut butter jars.



- #5 - Polypropylene (PP): bottle lids, straws, food containers, and aerosol caps.



- #6 - Polystyrene (PS): container packing, packing peanuts, and "to go" items such as cups and plates.



- #7 - All Other Resins and Layered Multi-Material (Other): everything else.



RECYCLING PROCESS: Your plastic is taken to a recycling facility where it is sorted and baled by number. Some plastics are also sorted by color. The plastic bales are then sold to plastic processors which take the material and shred them to a flake. The flake is washed to remove labels, chemicals, and other impurities. Plastic flake that is to be used by the food industry must undergo several washes to be approved by FDA standards. The flake is then melted and extruded to form pellets that are then sold to plastic manufacturers. Plastic manufacturers either use the recycled flake or mix the recycled flake with virgin flake depending upon specs and melt the flake. Once melted, the plastic can be extruded, injection molded, or molded into whatever shape the manufacturer makes and sells.

PLASTIC PROCESSORS:

- Evergreen Plastics, Clyde
- Republic Services
- Phoenix Technologies, Bowling Green

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METAL RECYCLING

WHAT: Aluminum, steel, and bi-metal cans from food containers and/or beverage containers are accepted.

HOW: To recycle metal please remove labels and rinse the containers thoroughly if possible.

RECYCLING PROCESS: Your metal cans and containers are separated by type of metal at the recycling facility or scrap metal company, some of which can be done magnetically. Some of the metal requires a thin layer of tin to be removed from the other metal such as steel. Recycling facilities and/or scrap metal companies sell the metal to processing facilities. The processing facilities melt the metal into flat sheets. The processing plant may also be a manufacturing plant in which case they will turn the sheet of metal into products such as cans.

METAL PROCESSORS:

- Sandusky Steel & Supply Co., Sandusky
- Galloway Brothers, Sandusky
- Norwalk Waste Materials, Norwalk

WHAT BIN?: Please see Where 2 Recycle on the inside of this brochure to determine if your location has multiple bins or just one bin and where the materials should be placed.

GLASS RECYCLING

WHAT: Glass jars and bottles from food and beverages are accepted. All types of colors of glass are accepted.

HOW: To recycle glass please remove labels and rinse the containers thoroughly.

RECYCLING PROCESS: Your glass jars and containers are separated by color at the recycling facility. Glass is then sent/sold (depending on quality and markets) to processing plants for further sorting by color and size. Processors then sell the glass to manufacturers in the area who recycle the glass into new containers and bottles for food and beverages and/or fiberglass insulation.

GLASS PROCESSORS:

- Strategic Materials, Cleveland
- Rumpke, Dayton
- Dubak Glass, Upper Sandusky

WHAT BIN?: Please see Where 2 Recycle on the inside of this brochure to determine if your location has multiple bins or just one bin and where the materials should be placed.

Glass is not currently accepted at the Margaretta Township Drop-Off Location

Special Material Recycling

For a complete listing of all the special material recycling locations please go to www.ErieCountyRecycles.org and click on How, What, Where, to Recycle then click on Special Material Recycling.

Antifreeze

- Advanced Auto Parts
2238 Campbell St.
419-624-8950
- Bob's Auto Wrecking & Recovery Inc.
12602 St. Rt. 13
419-499-2005

Appliances

- Galloway Brothers
2717 Old Railroad
419-626-8492
- Sandusky Steel and Supply
1943 Milan Rd.
Sandusky
419-626-4245

Batteries

- Sandusky Goodwill
924 E. Perkins Ave.
419-625-2910
- Lowe's
5500 Milan Rd.
419-624-6000



Cell Phones

- Best Buy
4210 Milan Rd.
419-621-1877
- Staples
5500 Milan Rd.
419-626-8077

Clothing

- Sandusky Goodwill
924 E. Perkins Ave.
419-625-2910



Huron Goodwill

- Huron Goodwill
422 Cleveland Rd.
419-433-7542
- Salvation Army
3333 Columbus Ave.
419-626-3862