

Drop-Off Locations

These Sites are Generously Hosted and Staffed by our Partners for the convenience of all residents. If it takes two people to place the items in your vehicle, please bring two people to remove them.

Dropping off items outside of posted times is illegal and violators will be prosecuted.

Hours are strictly adhered to due to costs of operation. If your vehicle has not been emptied by closing time, then you must return or use another location for electronics recycling. We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause.

ALL ELECTRONIC ITEMS ACCEPTED

- Driver's License proving Will County Area Residency Required
- Limit of 2 TVs per vehicle

City of Lockport (Open May 2016)

17112 Prime Blvd, **Lockport, IL**
(first right East of I-355 overpass)
815-838-0549 x8
Hours:
Tuesday 6am-11am
Friday 6am-11am



Village of Romeoville Public Works

615 Anderson Dr, Romeoville, IL
815-886-7200
Hours: 1st & 3rd Tuesday of the month
5pm-7pm

Will County/City of Joliet

57 W. Marion St (Ottawa & Marion Parking Lot)
815-727-8834
Hours: 2nd & 4th Tuesday of the month
5pm-7pm

Village of Peotone Police (Open July 2016)

208 E. Main Street, **Peotone, IL**
815-478-3123
Hours: 1st & 3rd Wednesday of the month
5pm-7pm

New Lenox Township (Open July 27, 2016)

1100 S. Cedar Road, **New Lenox, IL**
815-485-6431
Hours: 2nd & 4th Wednesday of the month
5pm-7pm

Channahon Township with Families of Faith

24466 W. Eames St/Rt. 6, **Channahon, IL**
815-467-2569
Hours: 1st & 3rd Thursday of the month
5pm-7pm

City of Wilmington

1165 S. Water Street, **Wilmington, IL**
815-476-2175
Hours: 2nd & 4th Thursday of the month
5pm-7pm



Front Door Service is offered by
A-Team Recyclers \$40 per TV
815-630-4308

This program is the result of a contract with ERI that includes electronic manufacturer funding, a contract with A-Team Recyclers, along with local community and County funding. Thank you for participating.

Items Accepted (Broken or Obsolete)

- Personal Computers (PCs)
- Laptops, Notebooks, Tablets
- Monitors
- Keyboards
- Electronic Mice
- Modems
- Hard Drives
- CD ROM/Zip/Tape Drives
- Cords & Cables (power, USB, etc.)
- CDs, DVDs, Floppies, etc.
- UPS (Battery Backups)
- Printers (laser, ink jet, dot matrix, etc.)
- Televisions
- VCR, DVD, Laser Disc Players
- Portable Radio/CD Players
- Speakers/Stereo Systems
- CB's/Two-way radios
- Digital Clocks
- Microwaves
- Hair Dryers / Power Tools
- Cameras (film, magnetic tape, digital)
- String Lights (holiday lights on wires)
- Palm Organizers/Hand Held Games
- Video Game Players
- Joysticks/Game controls
- Typewriters/Word Processors
- Copy/Fax/Scanner Machines
- Calculators / Adding Machines
- Postage Machines / Paper shredders
- Telephones/Cell Phones/Pagers
- Answering Machines
- Digital Photo Frames
- Electric Razors
- Power Tools



Electronic Recycling



CONNECT TO RECYCLING

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Will County Residential Electronic Recycling Program

Recycling electronics protects water and air resources, while reducing items sent to local landfills and saving energy. Many computers are used only 3 to 5 years. It is often less expensive to purchase a new electronic item instead of repairing it. This increases the amount of waste generated and the amount of natural resources needed to make new products.



The EPA states that electronics contain hazardous materials, such as lead, mercury, and hexavalent chromium, batteries and color cathode ray tubes (CRTs). Televisions and CRT monitors may contain an average of 4 lbs of lead (depending on size). Mercury from electronics has been cited as a leading source of mercury in municipal waste.

Worldwide, an estimated 20-50 million tons of electronic waste is generated annually, and an estimated 85% of it ends up in landfills. Recycling electronics:

- avoids air, water and land pollution.
- reduces the need to extract valuable and limited resources from the earth.
- reduces the energy and other resources used in new product manufacturing.

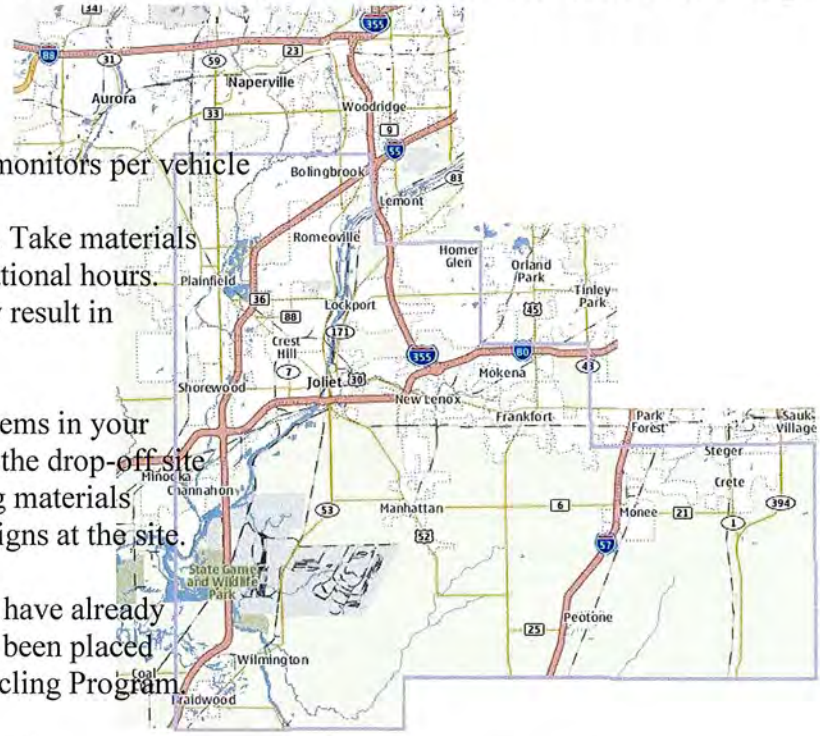
Many of the components recovered can be used in new items, saving more energy than recycling alone!

Banned from Illinois Landfills as of Jan. 1, 2012: Televisions, Computers, Monitors, Printers and electronic keyboards, facsimile machines, videocassette recorders, portable digital music players, digital video disc players, video game consoles, small scale servers, scanners, electronic mice, digital converter boxes, cable receivers, satellite receivers and digital video disc players.

Recycling Instructions

- Bring only residentially generated electronic items. No Business electronics can be taken. Businesses are encouraged to call Will County or go to their website for recycling/reuse information.
- Clean off any personal information on hard drives (**Reformatting the hard drive** or rewriting the disc is recommended.)
- Please bring a valid ID.
- Limit of two (2) televisions or monitors per vehicle
- Hours of operation vary by site. Take materials to the drop-off **ONLY** during operational hours. Dropping items any other time may result in prosecution for illegal dumping!
- If it takes two people to place items in your vehicle, please bring two people to the drop-off site to assist with unloading and placing materials carefully in boxes as indicated by signs at the site.
- **DO NOT TAKE** any items that have already been dropped off. Once items have been placed in the box they are part of the Recycling Program.
- Service is available to residents of:

Aurora	Beecher	Bolingbrook	Braceville	Braidwood	Channahon
Coal City	Crest Hill	Crete	Diamond	Elwood	Frankfort
Godley	Homer Glen	Joliet	Lemont	Lockport	Manhattan
Minooka	Mokena	Monee	Naperville	New Lenox	Orland Park
Park Forest	Peotone	Plainfield	Rockdale	Romeoville	Sauk Village
Shorewood	Steger	Symerton	Tinley Park	Unv. Park	Wilmington
Woodridge	(Each community is included in its entirety, including parts outside Will)				



THANK YOU FOR RECYCLING



Protect Your Personal Data when Recycling

Computers often contain highly personal information from bank data to tax records. Before donating your computer or bringing it to a recycling program of any kind, clean the hard drive.

Reformat the hard drive or purchase a program that writes over the hard drive. The process can be slow, because such a program writes to the disk repeatedly. Prepare to run it overnight.

It is the duty of the user of the recycling program to ensure data erasure. Will County assumes no responsibility to protect any electronic data remaining in electronics deposited in the electronic recycling program. If you need more detailed instructions, see the Will County website, e-mail or call the County Land Use – Resource Recovery & Energy offices.

Either way, please be aware that the contracted electronic recycling company cleans the hard drives of all types of computers with Department of Defense approved software.

If the hard drive is damaged and cannot be cleaned with software, it is wiped clean with a magnet and shredded for recycling.

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