

# Beyond the Cart

Where it Goes When it Doesn't Go in the Carts

## Special Item Collection

### Schedule a Pickup at Your Home

(fees apply)

[seattle.gov/SpecialItems](http://seattle.gov/SpecialItems)  
or (206) 684-3000

Bill payer or utility account holder must schedule

#### Large Furniture:

Couches, tables, and mattresses

**Appliances:** Refrigerators, freezers, washers, and dryers

#### Electronics:

TVs, monitors, computers, printers, and other electronics

**Batteries, Fluorescent Light Bulbs, & Small Gas Canisters**

#### Special Items Box:

Recycle many small special items at once. 2'x2'x2' max size, under 60 lbs.

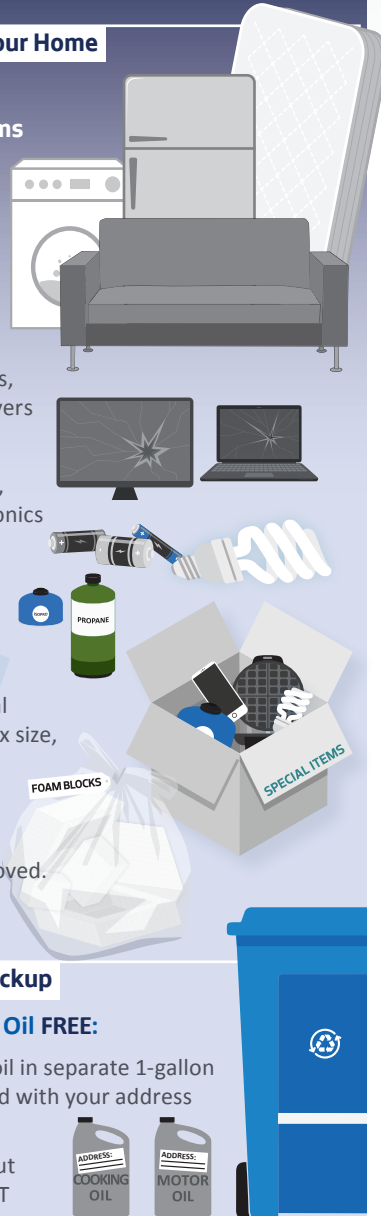
#### Foam Blocks FREE

Place in a clear or white plastic bag with tape removed. Label bag 'foam blocks.' Up to two 32-gallon bags

### No Need to Schedule Pickup

#### Used Motor & Cooking Oil FREE:

- Put cooking and motor oil in separate 1-gallon plastic containers labeled with your address
- Set out up to 2 gallons per collection day, set out NEXT TO RECYCLE CART



## SPU SOLID WASTE FACILITIES

### Transfer Stations

#### Hours & Information:

[Seattle.gov/TransferStations](http://Seattle.gov/TransferStations) or (206) 684-8400

#### North Transfer Station

1350 N. 34th Street Seattle, WA 98103

#### South Transfer Station

130 S. Kenyon Street Seattle, WA 98108

### DROP OFF OPTIONS

#### Batteries & Cell Phones

##### NOT ALLOWED IN THE GARBAGE

**FOR RECYCLING:** Bring alkaline, button, cellphone, laptop, lead-acid, rechargeable, and car batteries to SPU Transfer stations or [HazWasteHelp.org](http://HazWasteHelp.org) sites (free)

More battery recycling info: [Seattle.gov/utilities/batteries](http://Seattle.gov/utilities/batteries)

#### Furniture & Household Goods

##### FOR DONATION & REUSE:

Thrift stores, Craigslist, BuyNothing Project App & Groups

##### FOR DISPOSAL:

SPU Transfer Stations (fees apply)

#### Mattresses

##### FOR DISPOSAL:

SPU Transfer Stations (fees apply)



#### Clothes & Textiles

For donation, reuse, or recycling at thrift stores, drop boxes, or collection trucks (free)

Damaged items accepted at participating thrift stores  
[KingCounty.gov/ThreadCycle](http://KingCounty.gov/ThreadCycle)

### Household Hazardous Waste (FREE)

#### HOURS & INFORMATION: [HAZWasteHelp.org](http://HAZWasteHelp.org)

Drop off pesticides, chemicals, oil-based paint, and anything marked "CAUTION", "WARNING", "DANGER", or "POISON"

#### North Facility

12550 Stone Ave N. Seattle, WA 98133

#### South Facility

8100 2nd Ave S. Seattle, WA 98108

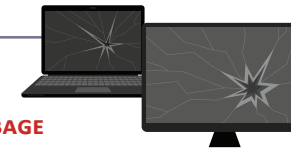


#### Electronics

##### NOT ALLOWED IN THE GARBAGE

**FOR RECYCLING & REUSE:** [EcycleWashington.org](http://EcycleWashington.org)

TVs, computers, monitors, and other electronics accepted at [EcycleWashington.org](http://EcycleWashington.org) sites (free). For other items, fees may apply



#### Fluorescent Light Bulbs

**FOR RECYCLING:** [LightRecycle.org](http://LightRecycle.org) (free)

Unbroken tubes, compact fluorescent (CFLs), and mercury bulbs accepted  
Incandescent and LED bulbs go in the garbage



#### Paint

**FOR RECYCLING & SAFE DISPOSAL:**  
[paintcare.org/drop-off-sites](http://paintcare.org/drop-off-sites)



#### Medicines

##### FOR SAFE DISPOSAL:

[seattle.gov/utilities/medicines](http://seattle.gov/utilities/medicines) (free)

DO NOT flush down the toilet or put in the garbage



#### Syringes

##### FOR SAFE DISPOSAL:

[seattle.gov/utilities/sharps](http://seattle.gov/utilities/sharps) (free)

Put syringes in a hard plastic bottle or container



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# Where Does it Go?

How to Sort your Compost, Recycling, & Garbage

[seattle.gov/utilities/wheredoesitgo](http://seattle.gov/utilities/wheredoesitgo)  
(206) 684-3000



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## Food & Compost

### All Food Waste



### Food Soiled Paper



### Certified or Labeled Compostable



### Yard Waste, Plants & Untreated Wood



**NO** PLASTIC, METAL, AND GLASS

## Recycle

MUST BE EMPTY, CLEAN, AND DRY

### Plastic Containers, Bottles & Tubs



### Other Plastics



Loose lids must be 3 inches or wider.

### Paper



### Cardboard (Flattened)



### Glass Bottles & Jars



### Metal



**NO** FOOD, LIQUID, OR PLASTIC BAGS

## Garbage

### Non-Recyclable Plastic & Paper



Recycle clean plastic bags, details: [Seattle.gov/utilities/plasticbags](http://Seattle.gov/utilities/plasticbags)

### Foam



Recycle blocks with Special Item Collection.

### Kitchen Grease



Can it, cool it, trash it.

### Non-Recyclable Materials



**NO** FOOD & YARD WASTE, RECYCLABLES, AND HAZARDOUS WASTE

## Reuse

### Choose Reusable & Bring your Own



### Repurpose



REUSE WHAT YOU HAVE & USE FEWER DISPOSABLE ITEMS



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When in Doubt, Find Out: [seattle.gov/utilities/wheredoesitgo](http://seattle.gov/utilities/wheredoesitgo) or (206) 684-3000

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