

The Environmentally Conscious Oswego Commission's *Where to Reuse & Recycle Quick Guide*



Item	Location	Contact
Aerosol Products	Naperville Fire Station #4, 1917 Brookdale Rd at Rt. 59 – Sat. & Sun. 9-2	630.420.4190
Aluminum Can Buy Back	Fox Valley Iron & Metal 637 N. Broadway, Aurora; SS Metal 336 E. Sullivan, Aurora	Fox Valley 630.897.5907 SS Metal 630.844.3344
American Flags	American Legion, 19 W. Washington, Oswego	630.554.8751
Antifreeze	Naperville Fire Station #4, 1917 Brookdale Rd at Rt. 59 – Sat. & Sun. 9-2	630.420.4190
Athletic Shoes	Nike Reuse-A-Shoe Program Curves Workout	www.nikebiz.com or Curves; 4 E. Merchants Dr. Oswego: 844.1147
Batteries-Car	Keith's Car Care	630.554.8911
Batteries-Lithium, Rechargeable	Radio Shack	1568 Douglas Road, Montgomery; 630.859.8393
Batteries-Household	Batteries Plus: accepts ALL types; Best Buy, Rt. 34	115 E. Ogden Ave. Naperville, IL. 630.355.6822 630.551.3233
Bicycles	Salvation Army	1800 Douglas Rd, Montgomery; 630.897.4855
Binoculars, Cameras, Field Equipment	American Birding	www.americanbirding.org/bex
Blankets, Comforters, Quilts	Warm Wishes Blanket Collections	rdgorski@ameritech.net ; 630.881.4906
Books (Gently Used)	SCARCE Book Rescue	630.545.9710
Bubble Wrap & Air Pillows	Fox Valley EBay Sellers Club	630.640.7382; sheriko@sbcglobal.net
Building Materials	Habitat for Humanity ReStore	800 N. State St. Elgin, IL (Rt. 31) 847.742.9905
Cardboard	City of Naperville Drop Off Recycling	1600 W. Jefferson St., Naperville 630.420.4190
Carpeting	Guarantee General Store, Wheaton	630.668.0248
Cell Phones	Oswego Police Department	3525 Route 34; Oswego, IL 60543; 630.554.3622
CFL Bulbs	Ace Hardware Stores	630.554.5599
Clothing & Household Goods	Kendall County Pantry, Purple Hearts, Salvation Army, AMVETS 312.663.0707	Kendall CP 630.553.7259, Purple Hearts 708.396.8995, Salvation Army 312.738.4360,
Crayons	LAF Lines, Ltd.	800.561.0922, www.crazycrayons.com
Electronics	Electronics Recycling behind Public Works Bldg. – 2 nd & 4 th Saturday of the month from 8:00 am to 11:00 am	100 Theodore Drive, Oswego 630.554.3622
Electronics – Computer Games, DVDs, Gaming Systems	EB Games, 2948 Rt. 34, Oswego or Vintage Tech 1105 Windham Parkway Romeoville, IL	EB Games: 630.554.6450 Vintage Tech: 866.435.9223
Eyeglasses & Hearing Aids	Lions Club & Oswego Public Library	Lions 630.554.3158/Library 630.554.3150
Fire Extinguishers	Aurora Tri-State Fire Protection	1080 Corporate Blvd, Aurora; 630.978.0600
Florescent Tubes/Bulbs	Naperville Fire Station #4, 1917 Brookdale Rd at Rt. 59 – Sat. & Sun. 9-2	630.420.4190
Gasoline	Naperville Fire Station #4, 1917 Brookdale Rd at Rt. 59 – Sat. & Sun. 9-2	630.420.4190
Gift Bags	Salvation Army	1800 Douglas Rd, Montgomery; 630.897.4855
Glass Bottles & Jars	Village of Oswego, curbside recycling	630.554.3622
Hair (human only)	Locks of Love	888.896.1588 – www.locksoflove.org
Home Furnishings	Habitat for Humanity ReStore	800 N. State St. Elgin, IL (Rt. 31) 847.742.9905
Home Health Care	Call the RCRA Hotline for disposal tips	M-F 10:0 am-3:00 pm EST 800.424.9346

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Ink Jet/Laser Cartridges	Oswego Village Hall, 100 Parkers Mill. Cartridge World	630.554.3618 Mon -Fri; 8 am-4 pm; \$0.25 /lb. 4722 Caton Farm Rd. Plainfield. 815.267.7571
Insecticides	Naperville Fire Station #4, 1917 Brookdale Rd at Rt. 59 – Sat. & Sun. 9-2	630.420.4190
Keys	Lions Club (drop boxes)	630.554.3158
Latex Paint	Earth Paints Collection Systems Ace Hardware	132 Allen Ave, Grayslake, IL: 847.231.6044 4500 Rt. 71, Oswego; 630.554.5599
Lawn/Hobby/Pool Chemicals, pesticides	Naperville Fire Station #4, 1917 Brookdale Rd at Rt. 59 – Sat. & Sun. 9-2	630.420.4190
Musical Instruments	Salvation Army	800 N. State St. Elgin, IL(Rt. 31) 847.742.9905
Oil Paints	Naperville Fire Station #4, 1917 Brookdale Rd at Rt. 59 – Sat. & Sun. 9-2	630.420.4190
Oil	Firestone Auto: 2610 Rt. 34, Oswego	630.551.4718
Packing Peanuts; padded envelops; bubble wrap	Fox Valley Ebay Sellers Club	630.640.7382; sheriko@sbcglobal.net
Personal Care Items	DuPage County PADS; 630.682.3846	705 W. Liberty, Wheaton, IL 60187
Plastic Bags	Dominick's, Jewel, Meijer, Wal-Mart	
Plastic Containers (#1-7, except #6)	Village of Oswego, curbside recycling toters.	
Pop Tabs	Ronald McDonald House, 622 Deming, Chicago	Ronald McDonald House 773.348.5322
Pet supplies, slightly used sheets/towels	Check with local Vet Clinic or Animal Hospital	Fox Valley Animal Welfare 630.892.9445
Prescription drugs (old)	Fox Metro Drop Box; 682 Route 31 Yorkville Police Department	Fox Metro; 630.892.4378 Yorkville Police Department; 630.553.4340
Propane Tank Exchange (empty)	Walgreens	Orchard Rd. location 630.551.0367 Chicago Rd. location 630.551.4587
Refrigerator/Freezer/AC unit	Commonwealth Edison Recycling Rebate Program; \$25/appliance	866.444.8901
Scrap Metal	S&S Metal Recyclers II,	336 E. Sullivan Rd., Aurora. 630.844.3344
Smoke/Carbon Detectors	First Alert (\$1 fee)	630.851.7330
Styrofoam	Dart Container Corporation	310 Evergreen Dr., North Aurora; 630.896.4631
Thermometers/Thermostats	Naperville Fire Station #4, 1917 Brookdale Rd at Rt. 59 – Sat. & Sun. 9-2	630.420.4190
Tires, Motor Oil, Gasoline	Keith's Car Care, 78 Stone Hill, Oswego Holmes Auto Repair, 5000 Rt. 71, Oswego Discount Tire Co, 230 Douglas Rd., Oswego	Keith's 630.554.8911 Holmes 630.554.8411 Discount Tire 630.906.7131
Tyvek Envelopes	Shirley Cinburke	800.222.5676
Video Tapes and cases	Plastic Recycling Inc.	317.780.6100

More questions? Useful Organizations to contact:

EARTH 911: 630.741.0736, www.earth911.org
AM VETS: 708.388.7800, www.amvets.com
Goodwill: 312.497.2900, www.goodwill.org
Purple Hearts: 708.396.8998, www.purplehearts.org
Salvation Army: 773.477.1300, www.salvationarmy.org
Habitat for Humanity: 847.742.9905
People Computer Resource Center: 630.784.9372
Kendall County Health Department: 630.553.9100
Allied Waste Systems: 630.892.9294
Waste Management: 800.747.2278