

Hours of Operation (subject to change, call to verify hours)

Monday
12pm – 4pm

Wednesday
12pm – 6pm

Saturday
9am – 3pm

For Lorain County Residents, Businesses and Non-Profit Organizations Only (participation restrictions apply by material delivered, see below)

To prove residency in Lorain County, you will be required to identify yourself with a valid driver's license or other acceptable form of photo ID or proof of residency

Materials Accepted (See Reverse for Restrictions)

Household Hazardous Waste (residents only)

- Acids & Caustics Household Cleaners, Oven Cleaners, Vinegar
- Aerosol Cans
- Adhesives, Alcohol, Lighter Fluid, Paint Thinner, Solvents, Glues, Sealers, Roofing Products
- Antifreeze, Transmission Fluid, Hydraulic Fluid, Gasoline, Kerosene, Diesel Fuel, Brake Fluid, Power Steering Fluid
- Automotive Freon (16oz or smaller)
- Barbeque Propane Tanks (<33lbs)
- Helium Tanks
- Herbicides, Pesticides Insecticides & Lawn Fertilizers
- Fire Extinguishers
- Lead Acid Automotive Style Batteries
- Latex and Water Based Paints, Stains, Shellacs and Varnishes
- Mercury & Mercury Containing Devices Such as Thermostats, Thermometers
- Oil and Solvent Based Paints, Stains, Shellacs and Varnishes
- Oxygen & MAPP Gas Cylinders
- Pool Chemicals & Oxidizer Household Cleaners & Bleach
- Rechargeable Household Style Batteries and Button Batteries
- Road Flares
- Smoke Detectors
- Used Oil Filters

Cooking Oils (residents only)

- All Vegetable-Based Oils

Electronic Waste (residents and business)

- Cell Phones & Accessories
- CRT TV's Up to 27" ONLY (measure diagonally)
- Data Terminals & Modems
- Desktop Office Equipment Corded & Cordless Phones
- Diskette Drives & CD Drives
- Electronics Manuals & Books
- Video Monitors (CRT)
- Flat-Screen TV's, Any Size (NO Consoles or Cabinets)
- Flat-Screen Monitors
- Film and negatives
- Mice, Keyboards & Joysticks
- Microwave Ovens
- Personal Computers (CPU)
- Printers, Plotters & Scanners, Hard Drives & Tape Drives, Computer Speakers
- Printer & Toner Cartridges
- Radios, Tuners, & Amplifiers
- Servers & Network Hardware, Backup Power Systems Cables & Circuit Boards, Tapes/Diskettes/CD's Software
- Turntables & Vinyl Records, DVD & Blu-Ray Players Cable Boxes & Satellite Dishes
- VHS Tape & CD Players, Speakers

**Fluorescent Lamps & Ballasts
(residents and businesses)**

- All U-Shaped, Circular, Odd-Shaped Lamps and CFL Lamps
- High Intensity Discharge Lamps - HPS/MH/MV Ballasts & Transformers from All Fluorescent Light Fixtures
- Neon Lights & Signs (Tubing Only)
- Straight Fluorescent Tubes (All Lengths including Green- Tipped Tubes, Must Fit into Boxes)

**Scrap Tires
(residents only)**

- **Up to 10** Auto, Pickup Truck, Bicycle or Motorcycle Tires, Up to 20" Rim Diameter, On or Off Rim

**Papers to Be Shredded
(residents only)**

- Up to 5 Grocery Bags of Personal & Confidential Paper Documents Accepted and Securely Shredded

**General Recyclables
(residents and businesses)**

- Paperback & Hardback Books
- Corrugated Cardboard, Paperboard Items, Newspapers, Magazines, Phone Books, Junk Mail, Miscellaneous Paper
- Steel/Bimetal Cans Aluminum Cans
- Food and Beverage Glass Bottles & Jars (with lids)
- Plastic Food & Beverage Containers Numbers 1 through 7

Participant Restrictions

Businesses, Non-Profits, Government Units, Schools and other Organizations are prohibited by the Ohio EPA from dropping off any hazardous waste material (except electronics, fluorescent bulbs and general recyclables).

Materials Not Accepted

- Alkaline household batteries
- Ammunition, Explosives and Fireworks (contact local law enforcement)
- Appliances of all types (except microwaves)
- Asbestos in any form (loose or encapsulated) (call Republic Services)
- Biomedical/Infectious Waste
- Carbon dioxide cylinders/unknown cylinders/pesticide or insecticide cylinders, scuba tanks, larger than 160z freon cylinders
- Construction & Demolition Debris—Shingles, Lumber, Railroad Ties, Carpeting, Floor Tiles, Drywall, Metal and Vinyl Siding, etc.
- Dishware, ceramics, glass ware, mirrors
- Non-fluorescent lamps (incandescent lamps, spotlights, headlights, etc.)
- Prescription Medications (contact local law enforcement)
- Radioactive Materials (except smoke detectors)
- Tires with a rim diameter greater than 20"
- Trash and general refuse
- Tube TV's greater than 27"
- Un-Enclosed TV Picture Tubes or TV Chassis with Exposed Picture Tubes
- Used motor oil (see separate flyer on disposal options)

For information about all aspects of solid waste management in Lorain County, please call or visit our website:

Lorain County Solid Waste District Information Line: 440-329-5440
Lorain County Government Website: www.loraincounty.us/solidwaste

Recycling Tips for Your Home & Office

Lorain County Solid Waste Management District

HELP REDUCE YOUR CARBON FOOTPRINT

A recent trend has recently developed among environmentally conscious individuals, who are making choices for their future in a new way. They are making choices based on whether or not products and services are earth-friendly. This grass-roots based movement has become known as "going green".

We have suggested the following recycling tips to help YOU "go green" and think about how YOU could make different choices to reduce your carbon footprint, or negative impact on the environment.

- Repurpose old items. Instead of throwing something away, try thinking about a new way it could be used. This may involve some creativity.
- Think before you throw away. The items you throw away can often be recycled. Start by contacting your trash removal service or learn about local Collection Events through the Solid Waste District. You might be surprised by how much you can reduce your weekly output of trash.
- Create a recycle box. Place a bin for paper near a printer and encourage other to use it. Recycling paper means saving more trees from being logged.
- Print double-sided copies. Set up your documents for printing double-sided to cut your paper usage in half.
- Turn it off. Power-off your electrical items when they are not in use. To save time, you may try plugging items in to a power strip that you can easily turn off with one switch.
- Pack a lunch. Save time and resources by packing lunch and looking for recycling containers to dispose of your waste.
- Bring a mug. Use a ceramic coffee mug from home, instead of wasting disposable coffee cups. You can use it not only for your office coffee pot, but most coffee shops are happy to fill a customer's mug.
- Plant a tree. Trees absorb carbon dioxide and help clean the air we breathe. Try the Lorain County Extension Office for information about how to get free tree seedlings.
- Save power on your computer. Change the power-saving function on your computer so the monitor shuts off automatically at five minutes, the hard drive at 20 minutes (or more) and it finally goes into "sleep mode" after 30 minutes.
- Plan your trips. Instead of driving to just one place, try combining multiple stops into one trip. Plan your errands, visits and work to reduce the number of trips you take.