

Recycling Resources for South West Omaha

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General trash and recycle, anything that could go in your trash or recycle bin Also have bins for glass

Wasteline Omaha Solid Waste program <https://www.wasteline.org/>

West Drop-off Site

Parking Lot

20801 Elkhorn Drive The site is open: Daily: 7AM – 7PM

Northwest Drop-off Site

Mulhall's

3615 North 120th Street

(120th & Maple)

NOTE: The containers have been moved to a parking lot south of Mulhall's parking area, over the bridge (formerly a carwash).

Lowe's

18375 WRIGHT STREET. Google to find other locations.

Plastic bags, CFL bulbs, rechargeable batteries, and cell phones, near the store entrance

Plastic planter pots and cases in the garden center

Batteries Plus

2606 S. 132nd Street, Omaha, NE 68144 402-933-5588

Recycles batteries, bulbs, and small electronics. Check the website for details.

<https://www.batteriesplus.com/recycling>

Glass

HyVee 1000 South 178th Street (180th & Pacific)

Westwood Plaza 12075 West Center Road (Behind Taco Bell)

Electronics

I like Cross Electronic Recycling because they repair and re-sell much of the material they accept and they train low-income people how to do those repairs. <https://www.crossrecycling.com>

Google shows several more companies that recycle electronics. All, including Cross, charge a fee for disposing of the older, thicker TVs because they contain mercury.

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Furniture

If it's still usable give it to one of the charities that help the homeless.

If it's beyond use pay to have it hauled away. Or take it apart. Put the fabric and foam in the fabric recycling bin in front of Aldi at 132nd and W. Center. Put the metal in your recycle bin or a bin at one of the Wasteline sites. Put any wood in your trash.

Metal

Google shows 10 places that recycle metal. Some pay you the scrap value, others don't. I don't remember the name of the one I used in 2015

Toxic or Dangerous Waste

Under the Sink

4001 South 120th Street in Omaha. <http://www.underthesink.org/>

For left over pesticides, herbicides, cleaning product, motor oil, paint, and the like. Must have an ID with a Douglas or Sarpy county address.

Free for most things. Visit the website for details

Wednesday 9AM – 4:45PM

Thursday 9AM – 6:15PM

Friday 9AM – 4:45PM

Saturday Drop-offs Accepted by Appointment Only To make an appointment, Call 402-444-Sink(7465)

NOT accepted, with suggestions for disposal:

Latex Paint: when solid may go to the landfill..

Glues/Adhesives: Once solid may go to the landfill.

Spray Bottle Cleaning products: May be flushed down the toilet if you are on a municipal sewer system.

Fluorescent bulbs, and Compact Fluorescent: Are recycled by Lowes and by Batteries and Bulbs