

## CAR TIRE RECYCLING SITES

LOCATION	ADDRESS/PHONE	COST	# OF TIRES ACCEPTED
<b>Belle Tire</b>	6615 Pennsylvania 272-2400	Off rim \$3 On rim \$6	No limit
<b>Berky Tire Inc</b>	412 E. Elm 342-1070	Off rim only \$4	No limit
<b>Discount Tire Co.</b>	5803 S. Pennsylvania 393-8700	Off rim \$2 On rim \$3	No limit
<b>Brogran's Lansing Tire</b>	614 E. Michigan Ave 487-5941	Off rim only \$ 1.50	Call ahead for large amounts
<b>Goodyear</b>	5107 W. Saginaw 321-4892	Off rim \$3 On rim \$3	No limit
<b>Goodyear</b>	1309 E. Michigan Ave 482-1426	Off rim \$3 On rim \$3	10
<b>Goodyear</b>	5504 S. Pennsylvania 394-1003	Off rim \$3 On rim \$8	No limit
<b>Northwest Tire Service</b>	4600 S. Cedar 272-1700	Off rim \$3 On rim \$2	10
<b>Rogers Cline Tire</b>	1223 S. Cedar, Holt 699-2372	Off rim \$ 2..50 On rim \$ 2.50	No limit
<b>Quality Tire Inc.</b>	5089 W. Grand River 321-0119	Off rim \$ 3.00 On rim \$ 6.00	No limit
<b>Sears</b>	3131 E. Michigan 336-5228	Off rim \$ 2 On rim \$2	No limit
<b>Tasmanian Tires</b>	2345 Eifert, Holt 694-9021	Off rim \$2 On rim \$4	No limit
<b>Value Tire Center</b>	2360 Jolly 347-8473	Off rim \$2 On rim \$2	Call ahead for large amounts.

# RECHARGEABLE HOUSEHOLD BATTERIES

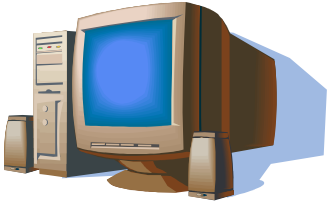
## Recycling drop-off sites

LOCATION	ADDRESS*
BEST BUY	2020 Grand River, Okemos & 5216 W. Saginaw, Delta Twp.
CITY OF EAST LANSING	1800 E. State Rd. (Public Works), 819 Abbot Rd. (Hannah), & 410 Abbot Rd. (City Hall)
CITY OF LANSING, Waste Reduction	601 E. South St., 2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor, Lansing
COMPLETE BATTERY SOURCE	1754 Central Park Dr., Okemos
DENSTEADT'S HARDWARE	3715 S. Cedar, Lansing
FASTENAL	1115 S. Pennsylvania, Lansing, 4212 S. Creyts, Lansing, & 552 N. Cedar St., Mason
GRAINGER	5617 Enterprise Dr., Lansing
HOME DEPOT (service desk)	1749 Newman Rd., Okemos & 836 S. Waverly, Lansing
KMART (electronics)	5400 S. Cedar, Lansing
LOWE'S (at return desk)	6821 S. Cedar, Lansing & 320 Marketplace Blvd., Lansing
OKEMOS HARDWARE	2143 Hamilton Rd., Okemos
RADIOSHACK	1982 W. Grand River, Okemos, 401 N. Clippert St., Lansing, 6250 S. Cedar, Lansing, & 5421 W. Saginaw Hwy., Lansing
SEARS (tool dept)	3131 E. Michigan, Lansing
TARGET (at electronics)	500 Edgewood Blvd., Lansing
WALMART (camera dept)	3225 Towne Centre Blvd., Lansing

\*see a map at [www.capitalareagreenmap.org](http://www.capitalareagreenmap.org)

*To minimize safety risks, before dropping your rechargeable batteries or cell phones into the collection box, please place each individual rechargeable battery, or cell phone battery, into a separate plastic bag. If plastic bags are unavailable at the collection location, you can cover the battery terminals with tape (electrical, duct, or masking)*

***Remember: ONE rechargeable battery or ONE cell phone with battery, per bag.***



# COMPUTER RECYCLING

## FREE

### At the following Goodwill Stores

6936 S. Cedar  
Holt, MI 48842  
M-Sat 10 am-8 pm  
Sun 12-5 pm  
517 694-9288

515 Lansing Rd.  
Charlotte, MI 48813  
M-Sat 10 am-8 pm  
Sun 12-5 pm  
517 541-2455

556 North Cedar St.  
Mason, MI 48854  
M-Sat 10 am-8 pm  
Sun 12-5 pm  
517 244-9306

5353 W. Saginaw Hwy.  
Lansing, MI 48917  
M-Sat 10 am-8 pm  
Sun 12-5 pm  
517 323-1167

1409 S. Main St.  
Eaton Rapids, MI 48827  
Attended donation center  
M-Sat 9 am-5 pm  
Sun 12-5 pm

For a list of all Michigan Goodwill drop-off sites call 1 866-487-3873 or visit [reconnectpartnership.com](http://reconnectpartnership.com).

Working or non-working monitors, printers, cpu's, keyboards, mice and laptops accepted.

Customers are responsible for removing data from their hard drives and other storage media before making a donation. See back for information on erasing your hard drive.

# COOKING OIL

What **ARE** you supposed to do with the leftover cooking oil from that turkey you deep fried?

**Do NOT put it in the trash.**

**Do NOT pour it down the drain.**

**Do NOT pour it on the ground.**

**DO take it to one of the recycling drop-off sites listed below:**

Delhi Township WWTP  
5961 McCue Rd., Holt  
Hours: Mon.-Fri. 7:30 a.m-3:30 p.m.  
699-3873

Delta Township Recycling Center  
5717 Millett Hwy., Lansing  
Hours: Wed. 2-6 p.m., Sat. 9 a.m.-2 p.m.  
323-8500

## PROPANE TANK RECYCLING 20 POUND, GAS GRILL SIZE

The companies listed will accept tanks for recycling which have the old style valve. It is not legal to refill these tanks. Once you own a tank with the new valve, there are numerous locations which will switch your new empty with a full tank for a fee.

NAME	ADDRESS	PHONE #	CHARGE TO TAKE TANK WITH OLD VALVE?
Alto Gas	2538 Lansing Rd. Charlotte	517 541-9363	FREE
Kerr Hardware	222 S. Cedar Mason	517 676-5040	FREE
Smith Oil	401 E. Railroad St. Johns	989 224-3474	FREE Write "junk" on tank and put on dock
The Propane Store	360 Aurelius Rd. Lansing	517 393-1075	FREE
Rural Gas	10972 W. Grand River Grand Ledge	517 627-3443	\$3
Sunoco	2139 Haslett Rd Haslett	517 339-4859	\$5
Sunoco	5843 MLK Lansing	517 882-3451	\$5
Sunoco	4819 W. Saginaw Lansing	517 321-6247	\$5
Amerigas	1005 JP Sullivan Dr. Eaton Rapids	800 778-1075	\$6
Lansing Ice & fuel	911 Center St. Lansing	517 372-3850	\$10
Dennis Trailer Sales	5226 N. Grand River Lansing	517 321-1805	\$12

### Propane Tank Recycling One Pound Cylinders

These small cylinders will be accepted at the Ingham County Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) collection site, located at the Ingham County Human Services Facility, 5303 S. Cedar Lansing. The collection site is open every Thursday from 2-6 p.m., April 1 to September 30.

Call 887-4312 for a list of additional items accepted at the HHW collection and a map to the site.





# SHARPS COLLECTION **FREE**

TO ALL *INGHAM COUNTY* RESIDENTS\*

Residents who use syringes, needles and lancets to administer medications at home and produce “sharps” medical waste can prevent injury, infection, and pollution by utilizing the Ingham County Medical Sharps Disposal Program.

Participants can bring in sharps for disposal in any rigid container, including red medical waste containers, coffee cans, or plastic detergent bottles. Sharps will not be accepted in bags or any soft sided container that the sharps can poke through.

Full containers can be brought to the  
Ingham County Health Department  
5303 S. Cedar Lansing

(enter door #3, second floor, enter the Health Department, follow signs to Environmental Health, Monday –  
Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

For further information call:

**887-4312**

Ingham County Health Department  
Bureau of Environmental Health

\*This program is NOT available to doctor/dentist offices, businesses, stores, offices or any other non-residential location.

## WASTE OIL, WASTE ANTIFREEZE & CAR BATTERY RECYCLING DROP-OFF SITES

Holt/Dimondale/Mason	Address/Phone	Waste Oil	Oil Filters	Waste Antifreeze	Car Batteries
Auto Zone	2340 Cedar St., Holt 694-8449	X 5 gallon limit/day			
CarQuest	2423 Cedar St., Holt 694-2159				X
CarQuest	203 N. Cedar St. Mason				X
Don's Windmill Service Center	7262 Lansing Rd. Dimondale 646-6999	X 10 gallon limit	X		
Frankie D's	2061 Cedar St., Holt 694-9789	X	X		
NAPA Auto Parts	804 N. Cedar St. 676-5481				X

# PLASTIC BAG RECYCLING

The following schools will accept plastic bags only from the stores listed.

SCHOOL	ADDRESS	PHONE #	BAGS ACCEPTED
Lansing Baptist	1902 E. Cavanaugh, Lansing	517-882-2385	Meijer only
North Elementary	333 E. Miller, Lansing	517-325-6845	Meijer only
Mt. Hope Elementary	1215 E. Mt. Hope, Lansing	517-325-6842	Meijer only
Dansville H.S.	1264 Adams St., Dansville	517-623-6120	Meijer only
Kendon Elementary	827 Kendon Dr., Lansing	517-325-6824	Meijer only
Windemere Park Charter Academy	3100 W. Saginaw, Lansing	517-327-0700	Meijer only
Woodcreek Elementary*	4000 Woodcreek Ln., Lansing	517-325-6890	Meijer, Kroger

\*only during school year

## Other locations which also take bags

LOCATION	ADDRESS	PHONE/HOURS	BAGS ACCEPTED
Mulliken Recycling Center	Corner of Main and Railroad Streets in Mulliken	517-649-8992 M&W 4-7 p.m. Sat 9 a.m.-4 p.m.	All plastic bags
Sunfield Twp. Recycling Center	126 First St., Sunfield	517-566-8972 Mon. 3-6 p.m. Sat. 9 a.m.- noon	All plastic bags
Wal-Mart	409 N. Marketplace, off W. Saginaw, Lansing	517-622-1431	All plastic bags
Wal-Mart	1680 E. Packard, Charlotte	517-543-0300	All plastic bags
Wal-Mart	1939 S. Scott Rd., St. Johns	517-224-8008	All plastic bags
Wal-Mart	5110 Times Square Dr., Okemos	517-381-5243	All plastic bags
Wal-Mart	3225 Towne Center Blvd., Lansing	517-487-9150	All plastic bags

# Compact Fluorescent Light Bulbs



## Why Switch?

If you haven't already converted the lights in your home from the traditional incandescent bulbs to Compact Fluorescents (CFL), you may want to after reading this. Consider the following benefits:

CFLs are four times more efficient and last up to 10 times longer than the incandescents, even though the CFL's cost a bit more at first, you save money in the long run.

Replacing a single incandescent bulb with a CFL will keep a half-ton of CO<sub>2</sub> out of the atmosphere over the life of the bulb, thereby reducing pollution.

According to the U.S. EPA, if every home in America replaced just one incandescent light bulb with an Energy Star CFL, it would save enough energy to light more than 3 million homes and prevent greenhouse gas emissions equivalent to those of more than 800,000 cars annually.

## Recycling & Disposal Information:

The Ingham County Health Department accepts CFL's at their household hazardous waste collections. CFL's contain a small amount of mercury, about 5 milligrams, roughly the size of the tip of a ball-point pen, therefore the US EPA recommends taking it to a local household hazardous waste collection. In Ingham County, these collections take place each Thursday, from 2-6 pm at the Ingham County Health Department, at the corner of Cedar and Jolly, from April – September. Please call 887-4312 for more information.

The Board of Water & Light also accepts intact, burned out CFLs for recycling and/or proper disposal at their main office, located at 1232 Haco Drive in Lansing.

## Proper Use

CFL's should be handled properly as they are made of glass and can break. Use caution when removing them from their packaging and installing or removing. Install or remove CFL's by holding on to the base, not the glass. Do not forcefully twist the CFL into a light socket.

## Broken Bulbs

The U.S. EPA suggests the following steps be taken if you break a fluorescent bulb in your home:

- 1) Open a window and leave the room for 15 minutes or more.
- 2) Carefully scoop up the fragments and the powder with stiff paper or cardboard and place them in a sealed bag.
  - Use disposable rubber gloves if available – do not use bare hands. Wipe the area clean with a damp paper towel or disposable wet wipes and place them in a plastic bag.
  - Do not use a vacuum or broom to clean up the broken bulb on hard surface.
- 3) Place all cleanup materials in a second sealed plastic bag.
  - Place the first bag in second sealed plastic bag and put it in the outdoor trash container or in another outdoor protected area for the next normal trash disposal.
  - Wash your hands after disposing of the bag.
- 4) If a fluorescent bulb breaks on a rug or carpet:
  - First, remove all materials you can without using a vacuum cleaner, following the steps above. Sticky tape such as duct tape can be used to pick up small pieces of glass and powder.
  - If vacuuming is needed after all visible materials have been removed, vacuum the area where the bulb was broken, remove the vacuum bag (or empty and wipe the canister) and put the bag or vacuum debris in two sealed plastic bags in the outdoor trash or protected location for normal disposal.

**FOR MORE INFORMATION:**  
Hotline: 483-4400 Email: [recycling@ci.lansing.mi.us](mailto:recycling@ci.lansing.mi.us)  
Web: [www.lansingrecycles.com](http://www.lansingrecycles.com)

# **CLEAN & GREEN**

## **Non-toxic & inexpensive cleaning resources**

### **BOOKS**

**Better Basics for the Home:** Simple Solutions for Less Toxic Living  
Annie Berthold-Bond

**Clean & Green:** The Complete Guide to Nontoxic & Environmentally Safe Housekeeping  
Annie Berthold-Bond

**Clean House, Clean Planet:** Clean Your House for Pennies a Day the Safe, Nontoxic Way  
Karen Logan

**Green Clean:** The Environmentally Sound Guide to Cleaning Your Home  
Linda Mason Hunter & Mikki Halpin

**Green This**  
Deirdre Imus

**Home Safe Home:** Protecting Yourself and Your Family from Everyday Toxics and Harmful Household Products  
Debra Lynn Dadd

**The Naturally Clean Home:** 100 Safe and Easy Herbal Formulas for Non-toxic Cleaning  
Karen Siegal-Maier

**Organic Housekeeping**  
Ellen Sandbeck

**The Safe Shopper's Bible:** A Consumer's Guide to Nontoxic Household Products, Cosmetics, and Food  
David Steinman & Samuel Epstein

**Cleaner Choices:** A 35 page booklet available from the Ingham County Health Department, Bureau of Environmental Health. Call 517-887-4521 to order a free copy.

### **WEBSITES:**

[care2.com](http://care2.com)

[eartheasy.com](http://eartheasy.com)

[thegreenguide.com](http://thegreenguide.com)

[greenliving.com](http://greenliving.com)

