



Lorain County Collection Center

540 South Abbe Road Elyria, Ohio 44035



Days/Hours of Operation (subject to change due to weather or holidays)

Monday
9:00am – 3:00pm

Wednesday
12:00pm – 6:00pm

Saturday
9:00am – 3:00pm

For Businesses and Non-Profit Organizations in Lorain County Residents Only

Participant Restrictions:

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.

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 Accepted List

Household Hazardous Waste (residential generated only)

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



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Electronic Waste

(residential and business generated)

- Cable Boxes & Satellite Dish Receiver Boxes (*Receiver - Not Actual Dish*)
- Cassette Tapes
- CD Players & Compact Disc's
- Cell Phones & Accessories
- Christmas String Lights
- CRT TV's up to 27" ONLY (*Measure Diagonally*)
- Data Terminals & Modems
- Desktop Office Equipment Corded & Cordless Phones
- Diskette, Diskette Drives & CD Drives
- DVD & Blu-Ray Players
- Electronics Manuals, Books & Tablets
- Film and Negatives
- Flat-Screen TV's and Monitors of Any Size (NO Consoles or Cabinets)
- Handheld Embedded Battery Devices (*Electronic Toothbrush, Waterpik, E-Cigarettes, Vape Pens, etc.*)
- Hard Drives & Tape Drives
- Home Theater Equipment
- Mice, Keyboards & Joysticks
- Microwave Ovens
- Personal Computers (*CPU*)
- Plotters & Scanners
- Portable Radios
- Power Strips, Cords & Surge Protectors
- Printers & Toner Cartridges
- Servers & Network Hardware, Backup Power Systems Cables & Circuit Boards
- Speakers (*Computer, Bookshelf, Box, Indoor/Outdoor, Amps, Bluetooth, etc.*)
- Streaming Devices (*Apple TV, Amazon Fire Stick, Roku Stick, etc.*)
- Turntables & Vinyl Records
- VHS Tapes / Video Monitors (*CRT*)

Fluorescent Lamps & Ballasts

(residential and business generated)

Tape all tube lights together and / or tape boxes shut.

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

Scrap Tires

(residential generated only)

It is illegal to transport more than 10 scrap tires at a time.

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

Papers to Be Shredded

(residential and business generated)

Remove Binder Clips, Paper Clips, & Plastic Binding.

- Personal & Confidential Paper Documents Accepted and Securely Shredded.

General Recyclables

(residential and business generated)

Recyclables must be Empty, Clean and Dry to prevent contamination. Reattach lids when possible.

- Paperback & Hardback Books
- Corrugated Cardboard, Paperboard Items, Newspapers, Magazines, Phone Books, Junk Mail, Miscellaneous Paper
- Food and Beverage Cans: Steel, Bimetal and Aluminum
- Food and Beverage Glass Bottles & Jars
- Plastic Bottles, Jugs and Tubs

Please call the District to schedule an appointment for Large Loads of Acceptable Materials.

For additional information please call the Lorain County Solid Waste District at 440-329-5440 or visit our website: loraincountyohio.gov/solidwaste



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Materials NOT Accepted

- Alkaline Household Batteries
- Ammunition, Explosives and Fireworks
(Contact Local Law Enforcement)
- Appliances *(Except Microwaves)*
- Asbestos in Any Form
(Call Republic Services)
- Biomedical / Infectious Waste
- Carbon Dioxide Cylinders / Unknown Cylinders / Pesticide or Insecticide Cylinders, Scuba Tanks, Larger than 16oz Freon Cylinders, Welding Related Cylinders.
- Children's Plastic Play Sets / Sand Box / Slides *(Little Tikes, Step2, Fisher Price, etc.)*
- Construction & Demolition Debris
(Shingles, Lumber, Railroad Ties, Carpeting, Floor Tiles, Drywall, Metal and Vinyl Siding, etc.)
- Dishware, Ceramics, Glass Ware, Mirrors, Windshields, Plate Glass, etc.
- Exercise Equipment
- Food Waste
- Furniture of Any Kind
- Non-Fluorescent Lamps *(Incandescent Lamps, Spotlights, Headlights, etc.)*
- Light Fixtures
- Pool Liners
- Power Tools of Any Kind
(Gasoline or Battery Powered)
- Prescription Medications
- Radioactive Materials
(Except Smoke Detectors)
- Sewing Machines
- Sharps / Sharp Containers
- Soiled / Greasy Papers or Pizza Boxes
- Styrofoam, Polystyrene, Plastic Bags
- Textiles of Any Kind
- Tires *(Rim Diameter Greater than 20")*
- Trash and General Refuse of Any Kind
- Tube TV greater than 27", Console or Cabinet TVs
- Un-Enclosed TV Picture Tubes or TV Chassis with Exposed Picture Tubes
- Vacuum
- Yard Waste *(Grass, Leaves, Branches, Woodchips, Shrubs, Dirt, etc.)*