Richland County Drop-Off Centers & Recycling Site

Richland County drop-off centers and the recycling site are for RICHLAND COUNTY RESIDENTS ONLY and can be used free of charge.

Commercial customers are welcome to use the Richland County Construction and Demolition (C&D) Debris Landfill where fees will be assessed.

	CENTER / SITE	ADDRESS	HOURS
1	C&D LANDFILL DROP-OFF CENTER 803-576-2390	1070 Caughman Road N., Columbia	Monday through Friday, 7 a.m 4:30 p.m.; Saturday, 7 a.m 12:30 p.m.
2	LOWER RICHLAND DROP-OFF CENTER 803-776-2324	10531 Garners Ferry Road, Eastover	Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday, 8 a.m 5 p.m.; Sunday, 12:30 p.m 5 p.m.
3	CLEMSON ROAD RECYCLING SITE 803-576-2440	900 Clemson Road, Columbia	Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday, 9 a.m 6 p.m.



Used Motor Oil Recycling Collection Sites

Richland County residents can dispose of used motor oil (limit 5 gallons per visit), bottles and filters at these sites. **NO BUSINESSES, PLEASE.**

- C&D LANDFILL
 DROP-OFF CENTER
 1070 Caughman Road N.
- COLUMBIA FIRE DEPARTMENT 153 Atlas Road
- BALLENTINE FIRE DEPARTMENT 10717 Broad River Road
- BLYTHEWOOD FIRE DEPARTMENT 435 Main Street
- EASTOVER FIRE DEPARTMENT 504 Henry Street
- **GADSDEN FIRE DEPARTMENT**122 Community Center Drive

- HOPKINS FIRE DEPARTMENT 1631 Clarkson Street
- LOWER RICHLAND DROP-OFF CENTER 10531 Garners Ferry Road
- RICHLAND COUNTY PUBLIC WORKS 400 Powell Road
- SANDHILLS FIRE DEPARTMENT 130 Sparkleberry Lane
- UPPER RICHLAND FIRE DEPARTMENT 300 Camp Ground Road



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Richland County Curbside Recycling

Richland County residents may subscribe to curbside solid waste and recyclables collection by contacting Richland County Solid Waste & Recycling. Garbage and yard trimmings are collected weekly. Recycling is collected every other week and approved bulk items are picked up by appointment only at no cost. Visit richlandcountysc.gov/richlandrecycles or call 803-576-2440 for more information.

To make curbside recycling collection more efficient, follow these guidelines.

- 1. Put your cart at the curb **BEFORE 7:30 AM**.
- 2. CLOSE the lid.
- 3. Turn the cart handle TOWARD THE STREET.
- Place recyclables loose in the cart. DO NOT BAG.

Know What to Throw!

Materials like broken glass, food and items in bags can contaminant valuable recycled material – making them unrecoverable. Help keep recyclables free of the following contaminants:

- NO plastic bags, wrap or film;
- NO Styrofoam[™] of any kind;
- NO garbage or yard debris;
- NO disposable cups or to-go containers;
- NO food or liquids:
- NO housewares or home decor;
- NO cords, wires, hoses or rope-like items;
- NO toys or electronics:
- NO carpet or lumber;
- NO fabric, clothing or shoes; and
- NO paint or hazardous materials.

To learn more, please visit recyclerightsc.org.







What, Where & How to

RECYCLE

in Richland County



Richland County Solid Waste & Recycling 1070 Caughman Road N., Columbia, SC 29203

803-576-2440 richlandcountysc.gov/richlandrecycles

RECYCLE AT THE CURB

ALUMINUM/STEEL/METAL CANS (NO aluminum foil or pans)

CARDBOARD, CORRUGATED (flattened and empty)

NEWSPAPERS, MAGAZINES, CATALOGS & UNWANTED MAIL (NO shredded paper)

PAPERBOARD (e.g., cereal boxes, shoe boxes)

PLASTIC BOTTLES, JUGS, JARS & OTHER CONTAINERS (Plastic containers marked with arrows and a No. 1 through No. 7 are accepted. Examples include beverage and shampoo bottles, butter tubs, yogurt cups, milk and orange juice cartons, etc.) – Disposable cups and polystyrene foam **ARE NOT** accepted.



RECYCLE AT DROP-OFF CENTERS	CLEMSON ROAD RECYCLING SITE	LOWER RICHLAND DROP-OFF CENTER	C&D LANDFILL DROP-OFF CENTER
ALUMINUM/STEEL/METAL CANS (NO aluminum foil or pans)	YES	YES	YES
ANTIFREEZE	NO	YES	YES
BATTERIES (e.g., car, truck, boat and lawn mower batteries, rechargeable batteries from cordless tools, phones, tablets and laptops)	NO	YES	YES
CARDBOARD, CORRUGATED (flattened and empty)	YES	YES	YES
CARPET PADDING & FOAM RUBBER	NO	NO	YES
COOKING OIL	YES	YES	YES
ELECTRONICS (e.g., computers, monitors, televisions, printers, stereo equipment)	NO	YES	YES
FLUORESCENT & CFL BULBS (Bulbs up to 4 feet in length are accepted at drop-off centers.)	NO	YES	YES
GLASS JARS & BOTTLES	YES	YES	YES
MATTRESSES & BOX SPRINGS	NO	NO	YES
NEWSPAPERS, MAGAZINES, CATALOGS & UNWANTED MAIL (NO shredded paper)	YES	YES	YES
OIL/GASOLINE MIXTURES	NO	YES	YES
PAINT (Latex ONLY – limit 10 gallons per household per day.)	NO	YES	YES
PAPERBOARD (e.g., cereal boxes, shoe boxes)	YES	YES	YES
PLASTIC BOTTLES, JUGS, JARS & OTHER CONTAINERS (Plastic containers marked with arrows and a No. 1 through No. 7 are accepted. Examples include beverage and shampoo bottles, butter tubs, yogurt cups, milk and orange juice cartons, etc.) – Disposable cups and polystyrene foam ARE NOT accepted.	YES	YES	YES
REFRIGERATORS, FREEZERS & FREON TANKS	NO	YES	YES
SCRAP METAL & LARGE APPLIANCES (e.g., washers, dryers, stoves, grills, bicycles)	NO	YES	YES
TEXTILES & LINENS (e.g., clothes, shoes, sheets, towels)	YES	NO	NO
TIRES* Limit five.	NO	YES	YES
USED MOTOR OIL, BOTTLES & FILTERS (Please see back of brochure for complete list of used oil sites.)	NO	YES	YES
WOOD WASTE, CLEAN (e.g., branches, stumps, clean lumber, pallets)	NO	YES	YES

^{*}Loads with more than five tires and commercially generated tires are accepted ONLY at the C&D Landfill. A handling fee will be assessed unless business shows valid ST-390.

Why is recycling important?

- Recycling prevents reusable materials from going into a landfill.
- Recycling saves money and creates jobs.
- Recycling saves natural resources such as trees and petroleum.

How should items be prepared for recycling?

- **DO NOT** place items in plastic bags.
- Remove any food debris.
- Empty and rinse all containers.
- Keep newspaper, magazines, cardboard and office paper clean and dry.
- Flatten cardboard and dispose of any packaging material.
- Place metal lids inside metal cans.
- At Richland County Drop-Off and Recycling Centers, place recyclables in the correct containers.
- When in doubt, toss it out ... or ask!

The FREE Richland County Solid Waste App: Information at Your Fingertips

This innovative mobile app can provide more information and help to answer your questions about waste collection and recycling. With the app, you can:



- Access the Waste Wizard, a searchable database of hundreds of household items with instructions for recycling or proper disposal;
- View Richland County's Garbage & Recycling Curbside Collection Schedules; and
- Sign up for collection notifications and reminders.

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