

RECYCLING CENTER

The drop-off center at 6900 W. 80th St. (just behind O'Neill Honda) accepts these materials:

- **Newspaper** - No plastic bags please!
- **Magazines** - Catalogs are okay, too!
- **Junk mail** - The paper stuff. No plastic bags!
- **Office paper** - Staples and paper clips are okay.
- **Glass food and beverage containers** - No caps please. Rinse lightly. Labels are okay.
- **Aluminum and steel food and beverage cans** - Please rinse lightly. Labels are okay.
- **Corrugated cardboard** - Please break boxes down.
- **PETE #1 plastic containers** - such as those used for soft drinks, liquor, water, sports drinks, salad dressing, cooking oils, shampoo, window cleaner, mouthwash, etc. Rinse lightly. No caps please.
- **HDPE #2 plastic containers with a neck** - such as milk, juice, detergent and bleach bottles. Rinse lightly. No caps please.

We cannot accept: yogurt containers, margarine tubs, automotive product bottles such as those from motor oil and gas treatments, or bottles which contained hazardous materials such as pesticides or herbicides.

Recycling drop-off center hours:

Mon.-Fri., 9:30 a.m.-5 p.m.

Sat., 8 a.m.-4 p.m.

For more information, call 913/895-6273 or e-mail health@opkansas.org.

Recycling of Other Items

There are a lot of materials that we can't collect in our programs, but that doesn't mean they aren't recyclable. Here is a short list with more materials and outlets.

Aluminum: Doors, windows, castings, etc. - Wise Recycling, 913/831-1541

Building supplies: Habitat for Humanity, 816/231-6889

Carpeting: Environmental Recycling, 913/541-9393

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CDs and CD-Roms: Send whole disks only, without packaging, in packages of less than 50 lbs. to:

NE-SAR Systems
420 Ashwood Road
Darlington, PA 16115-9325

*Sender is responsible for the cost of shipping.

Cell Batteries: Button cell batteries often contain high levels of mercury or silver which can be reclaimed for reuse and kept out of the environment.

These retailers will gladly recycle, at no cost, any used button cell batteries:

- The Camera Center, 7040A W. 76th St.
- Goodman Ace Hardware, 12202 College Blvd.
- JC Penney Watch Center, 11461 W. 95th St. (Oak Park Mall)
- KC Digital, 9552 Antioch Rd.
- Toner Jewelry, 7201 College Blvd.

Cell phones - working: Any cell phone can dial 911 in an emergency - regular service is not required. Think of someone who might need a phone for emergencies only.

Motor Oil: Used oil is persistent in the environment. Spilled oil will wash off streets and into streams and rivers. Oil disposed of in the trash with the rest of your garbage will most likely spill somewhere in your neighborhood or cause problems at the landfill where it is buried.

- [Used oil recyclers in Kansas](#)

Office furniture and equipment, computers, electronics: Surplus Exchange, 816/472-0444

Plastic grocery sacks: Local grocery stores - ask store manager.

For even more information, visit RecycleSpot.org. This one-stop "spot" has recycling information for the entire metropolitan area. Once there, you can: search by item, locate nearby recycling centers and get detailed information geared to residents, businesses, schools, building designers