

Reuse, Recycling and Waste Resource Guide for 2021



Butler County
Pennsylvania

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For suggestions on additions or corrections to this guide, please email: skelly@co.butler.pa.us

Recycling Dropoff Locations

(for regular recyclables like glass, cans and plastics – call for details on what is collected)

Northwest Sanitary Landfill Courtesy

Recycling Dropoff Site

1436 West Sunbury Road

West Sunbury – 724.637.3552

Open during landfill operating hours

TC Recycling LLC

Hutchman Road Convenience Center

120 Hutchman Road, Mars

724-625-9000



Trash & Recycling

Collection Companies*

*Known to be operating in Butler County

Trash removal can be contracted in some municipalities on an individual, subscription basis and some municipalities contract with one hauler for all their residents. Call your municipality or homeowner's association for details. All residential trash haulers are required to offer curbside recycling service to their residential customers in Butler County.

Adamik (Sarver) - 724.265.4287

Brunner Disposal (Zelienople) - 724.775.6665

Heffernan Hauling (Franklin) - 814.437.3459

Hunsberger Sanitation (Knox) - 814.797.5583

Reddick Rolloffs (Sandy Lake) - 724.376.2261

Schumacher Refuse (East Brady) - 724.526.3236

Serafine Hauling (Chicora) - 724.445.7488

Tri-County (Grove City) - 724.748.4705

Vogel Disposal (Mars) - 724.625.1511

Waste Management (W. Sunbury) 800.451.3060

Butler County Department of Recycling & Waste Management

5th Floor, 124 West Diamond Street, PO Box 1208

Butler, PA 16003

Phone 724.284.5305 Fax 724.284.5315

Email skelly@co.butler.pa.us Web Site www.butlercountypa.gov

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Landfills Located in Butler County

Northwest Sanitary Landfill

1436 West Sunbury Road

West Sunbury – 724.637.3552

Call for hours

Seneca Landfill

421 Hartmann Road

Evans City – 724.625.9000

Call for Hours



Recycling Offered by All Residential Waste Collectors

RECYCLE IT RIGHT!



It is extremely important to make sure only the correct items go in your curbside bin. By recycling the correct items, you are making the entire system efficient and ensuring success of the recycling program! All companies collecting residential curbside waste also collect curbside recyclables.

You should always check with your hauler to find out:

1. what can be placed in your curbside recycling bin (*since this can vary by hauler*)
2. how recyclables are to be prepared for collection (*for instance: recyclables that contained food or other residue should be rinsed and lids should be discarded.*)
3. when your recyclables will be collected



PLASTIC RESIN CODES



PETE

**Polyethylene
Terephthalate**

soda bottles
water bottles
shampoo bottles
mouthwash bottles
peanut butter jars



HDPE

**High Density
Polyethylene**

milk, water and
juice jugs
detergent bottles
yogurt and
margarine tubs
grocery bags



V

Vinyl

clear food
packaging
shampoo bottles



LDPE

**Low Density
Polyethylene**

bread bags
frozen food bags
squeezeable bottles
(mustard, honey)



PP

Polypropylene

ketchup bottles
yogurt and
margarine tubs



PS

Polystyrene

meat trays
egg cartons
cups and plates



OTHER

Other

Cleanup and Watershed Groups

Tri-County CleanWays 724.658.6925

<https://www.facebook.com/TriCountyCleanWays>

Email tcleanways@comcast.net

Allegheny Aquatic Alliance 724.371.0416

<https://www.facebook.com/AlleghenyAquaticAlliance>

Email alleghenyaquaticalliance@hotmail.com

Slippery Rock Watershed Coalition 724.776-0161

www.srwc.org

Email: sri@streamrestorationinc.org

Connoquenessing Watershed Alliance

www.connoqwatershed.org

Other Useful Resources

Pennsylvania Dept. of Environmental Protection

Northwest Regional Office

230 Chestnut Street, Meadville, PA 16335

814.332.6945

www.depweb.state.pa.us

Professional Recyclers of Pennsylvania (PROP)

908 North 2nd Street, Harrisburg, PA 17101

717.441.6049

www.proprecycles.org

National Recycling Coalition

202.618.2107

www.nrcrecycles.org

Pennsylvania Recycling Markets Center

717.948.6660

www.parmc.org

Special Event Recycling Bins Available

The Butler County Department of Recycling & Waste Management has collapsible recycling bins available to loan. Groups organizing special events in Butler County that would like to offer recycling to their participants along with waste disposal can borrow the bins on a first come- first served basis. For more information on this program, please contact the Department at:

Phone 724.284.5305

Email skelly@co.butler.pa.us





Tips for Identifying, Storing and Transporting a Hazardous Waste



Identifying Hazardous Waste (and remember, electronics are considered hazardous too!)

The following warning words on a container can alert you to the hazardous nature of its contents:

Danger, Poison, Toxic, Corrosive, Volatile, Flammable, Inflammable, Combustible, Explosive, Caution, Warning, Harmful, Oxidizer, Irritant, Environmental Hazard

Proper Use & Storage of Hazardous Materials

MOST IMPORTANT: Follow the directions on the label.

Ask the dealer or manufacturer to provide more explanation if needed.

Don't use more of the product than is recommended.

Never mix products; this can lead to explosions or poisonous gas being released.

Use hazardous products in well-ventilated areas and always use gloves, eye protection and air purifying respirators whenever warranted.

Never eat, drink or smoke where hazardous products are being used.

Keep products in their original containers.

If you do have to use a different container be sure to label adequately to prevent poisoning and for safe use and disposal.

Store all hazardous products upright, tightly sealed, and away from pets, children and food.



Transporting Household Hazardous Waste to a Hazardous Waste Collection

Never mix different chemicals! Toxic fumes or an explosion can result and it prevents recycling of the materials.

Leave waste products in their original containers, and make sure caps and/or lids are securely closed. Gasoline is highly flammable and should only be transported in purpose-designed gasoline cans or containers. Do not transport hazardous wastes in the same portion of your vehicle as humans or pets.

If the original container is leaking or damaged, place the entire container in a larger container such as a clean paint can, plastic bucket, or wrap securely with plastic. If you wrap up a container so that the original label cannot be seen, mark the contents to the best of your ability, and be sure to tell the collection staff what the contents are.

Separate different types of waste, such as paints, motor oil, batteries, pesticides, acids, etc. Place containers upright in sturdy cardboard boxes or plastic trays, and pad with newspaper. You may also want to line your car with plastic before you pack the car.

Put containers in trunk or rear of your car, not on passenger seats. Come straight to the Hazardous Waste Collection to avoid any problems with the waste.

Don't eat, drink or smoke while handling household hazardous wastes. Wash your hands after handling these materials. Never put hazardous waste into trash bags or trash cans. Lids can come off causing chemicals to mix and possibly creating dangerous reactions.



Butler County's Sponsored Household Hazardous Waste Collections

Call 1-866-815-0016 to pre-register to attend! (See the last page of this booklet for more information.)

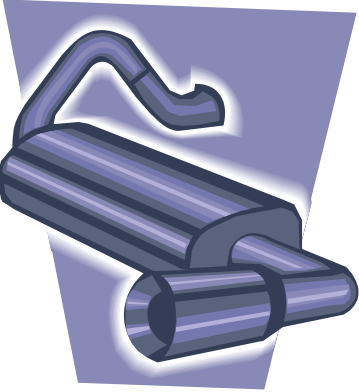
Aluminum	Ammunition	Appliances (non-freon)
MRC Scrap Metals <i>Formerly Greco Materials Recycling</i> 201 Kittanning St, Butler 724.285.5865 Goettler Distributing 153 Hindman Rd, Butler 724.283.1455 724.287.5147 <u>Tips:</u> • Most local scrap yards will accept all types of aluminum and pay per pound. • Curbside recycling programs in Butler County accept food and beverage <u>aluminum (food & beverage) cans.</u> • Some scout or other special interest groups and schools may collect aluminum food and beverage cans for fundraising.	<u>Tips:</u> • NEVER throw away ammunition in regular household trash—it poses a very serious threat to trash collectors and landfill employees. • Check with local gun shops to find people who collect spent shell casings for refilling purposes. • Call your local or state police department to ask about proper disposal of live ammunition or call the Butler County Sheriff's Dept. at 724.284.5245. 	<u>SCRAP, FIXABLE or for PARTS</u> Some metal scrap yards will accept non-freon appliances for recycling and may pay per pound. <u>CHARITIES THAT MAY ACCEPT WORKING APPLIANCES</u> <u>(call for program details)</u> Salvation Army (all locations) 724.285.8282 724.287.5532 Goodwill (all locations) 724.284.1037 724.776.0958 Catholic Charities 724.287.4011 St. Vincent DePaul 724.287.8682

Appliances (with freon – a/c, dehumidifiers, refrigerators, etc.)	Art and Hobby Supplies	Asphalt
TC Recycling LLC Hutchman Road Convenience Center 120 Hutchman Road, Mars 724-625-9000 (must have the freon removed and the device tagged by a licensed technician) Appliance Warehouse www.appliancewarehouse.com/disposal/ 20 South 6th Street, Pgh PA 412.381.8800 ECS&R 129 Ash Stop Rd, Evans City 814.425.7773 (small size only) Jurassic Junk Removal Gibsonia 1.877.595.JUNK (5865) info@jurassic-junk.com 1-800-GOT-JUNK (1-800-468-5865) Full service junk removal service <u>Tip:</u> - Some waste haulers in Butler County accept freon units for an extra fee. Call your waste hauler for details. - Call the regional Department of Environmental Protection for a list of contractors licensed to properly remove freon from appliances. 814.332.6945	<u>Tips:</u> - Call your local YMCA, school districts or day care centers to find groups that will accept these materials for children's art activities. - Give away on Butler County's local Freecycle™ web site at: https://groups.freecycle.org/group/ButlerPA/posts/all * Terracycle.com has a program for recycling cart supplies. Check their web site for details and for the MANY other items that they can recycle.  Tip for glues and other <u>toxic</u> hobby chemicals: - Butler County accepts most chemicals at its ongoing hazardous waste collections for a small fee. For more information on collection dates and details, call: 724.284.5305 www.butlercountypa.gov	Shields Paving 5969 William Flynn Hwy, Bakerstown 724.443.3294 Collier Stone 80 Noblestown Rd, Carnegie 412.276.7300



For automobile reuse programs, please see "CARS"

Auto, Antifreeze	Auto, Motor Oil	Auto, Motor Oil Pickup For Businesses
<u>LIMITED QUANTITIES:</u> Jiffy Lube (all locations) Wal-Mart Auto Centers ECS&R 129 Ash Stop Rd, Evans City 814.425.7773 <u>Note:</u> Your curbside waste hauler may offer curbside hazardous waste pickup service. Call your hauler for more information. <u>LARGE QUANTITIES:</u> Marpac Amsterdam Rd, Grove City 724.922.3712 FCC Environmental 201 Lindsay Rd, Zelienople 724.453.0623 877.642.3702 ECS&R 129 Ash Stop Rd, Evans City 814.425.7773 Butler County accepts auto fluids at its ongoing hazardous waste collections for a small fee. For more information on collection dates and details, call: 724.284.5305 www.butlercountypa.gov	TC Recycling LLC Hutchman Road Convenience Center 120 Hutchman Road, Mars 724-625-9000 <u>Tips:</u> • Many "quick lube" locations accept motor oil for recycling – look in the phone directory for the closest location to you. • Many garages in Butler County accept used motor oil for recycling or for use in waste oil-burning heaters for free. Call your local garages for more details. • Your curbside waste hauler may offer curbside hazardous waste pickup service. Call your hauler for more information. • Butler County accepts auto fluids at its ongoing hazardous waste collections for a small fee. For more information on collection dates and details, call: 724.284.5305 	Ernie's Waste Oil Independence, PA 724.378.2032 Tri-State Petroleum Recovery McKees Rocks, PA 412.331.0707 Petromax Carnegie, PA 412.279.9040

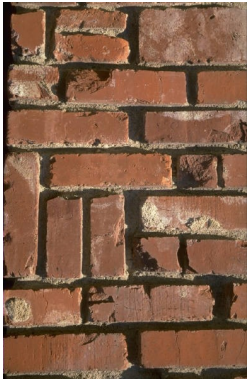
Auto, All Fluids	Auto, Parts	Auto, Tires (small quantities)
ECS&R 129 Ash Stop Rd, Evans City 814.425.7773 1-866-815-0016 <u>Tip:</u> - Your curbside waste hauler may offer curbside hazardous waste pickup service. Call your hauler for more information. - Butler County accepts auto fluids at its ongoing hazardous waste collections for a small fee. For more information on collection dates and details, call: 724.284.5305 www.butlercountypa.gov	<u>Tip:</u> Many metal recyclers and auto wreckers in Butler County will accept auto parts and will pay by the pound. 	Many businesses that sell and change vehicle tires will accept small quantities back from the public and will charge a recycling fee – usually a few dollars per tire. Call your local tire dealer to see if they participate and to get quantity limits and prices. A tire collection is usually held each year in Butler County by Tri-County CleanWays. Information when available will placed on the following web sites: www.butlercountypa.gov www.keeppabeautiful.org/AboutUsAffiliates/AffiliateNetwork/TriCountyCleanWays.aspx

Auto, Tires (large quantities collected from businesses)	Auto, Tires (for hire for municipal collection days)	
Allegany Tire Chipping Transfer, PA 724.646.1796 Dan's Tire Dickerson Run, PA 724.529.7299 Liberty Tire Recycling NTR@libertytire.com 412.562.1700 TC Recycling LLC Hutchman Road Convenience Center 120 Hutchman Road, Mars 724-625-9000 (Accepts on or off rim) 	Liberty Tire Recycling 14864 Lincoln St SE Minerva, OH 330.868.0097 (tractor trailer will hold approx. 1,200 tires and direct haul by the municipality is also available)	

Backpacks and Birding Equipment	Barrels and Drums	Batteries, Auto
<u>Tip:</u> The American Birder's Exchange Program takes new and used birding equipment and educational materials distributing it to colleagues working to conserve birds and their habitats throughout Latin America and the Caribbean. http://bex.aba.org/ * Terracycle.com has a program for recycling backpacks. Check their web site for details and for the MANY other items that they can recycle. 	Three Rivers Packaging 57 Sexton Rd, McKees Rocks, PA 15136 412.778.3900 MRC Scrap Metals Formerly Greco Materials Recycling 201 Kittanning St, Butler 724.285.5865 <u>Tip:</u> - Many auto wreckers and scrap metal yards will accept metal drums for scrap and will pay by the pound.	<u>Tips:</u> - Businesses that sell auto batteries are required by Federal law to take them back. Some have fees and some do not. Call a business near you to get more information. - Butler County accepts auto batteries at its ongoing hazardous waste collections for a small fee. For more information on collection dates and details, call: 724.284.5305 www.butlercountypa.gov

Batteries, Household (regular alkaline)	Batteries, Household (rechargeable)	Bicycles
Alkaline and Zinc Carbon Batteries typically contain a manganese dioxide cathode and a zinc anode. The electrolyte in an alkaline battery is usually potassium hydroxide or sodium hydroxide, while in a zinc carbon battery the electrolyte is ammonium chloride or zinc chloride. In the past, mercury was added to these batteries to prevent corrosion and the creation of hydrogen gas. Recent laws have restricted the levels of mercury allowed in alkaline and zinc-carbon batteries. Today, alkaline batteries on the market are required to have zero-added mercury and are no longer hazardous. Source: PA Dept. of Environmental Protection ECS&R 129 Ash Stp Rd, Evans City 814.425.7773 1-866-815-0016 <u>Tip:</u> Butler County accepts all batteries at its ongoing hazardous waste collections for a small fee. For more information on collection dates and details, call: 724.284.5305 www.butlercountypa.gov	ECS&R 129 Ash Stop Rd, Evans City 814.425.7773 Best Buy Electronics (all locations) Home Depot Also accepts other types (all locations) Lowe's Also accepts other types (all locations) <u>Tip:</u> Butler County accepts all batteries at its ongoing hazardous waste collections for a small fee. For more information on collection dates and details, call: 724.284.5305 www.bulercountypa.gov	<u>Tips:</u> - Give away on Butler County's local Freecycle™ web site at: https://groups.freecycle.org/group/ButlerPA/posts/all - Non-useable bikes are accepted at most scrap metal / auto wrecking yards that pay by the pound. 

Books (for reuse)	Books (non-useable for recycling)	Boxes (corrugated cardboard)
<u>Tips:</u> - Public libraries often accept used books to sell for fundraising. Call your local library for details. - International Book Project accepts used fiction, text, reference and technical books and ships them to schools, libraries, churches, community organizations, and Peace Corps Volunteers throughout the developing world and in the United States. Books must be fully intact and in <u>very</u> good shape. www.intlbookproject.org - Many charitable organizations accept books such as: - Salvation Army - Goodwill - Catholic Charities - St. Vincent DePaul (Call for donation details.) - Local Senior Centers accept books – call the Butler County Area Agency on Aging for details at 724.282.3008. - Give away on Butler County’s local Freecycle™ web site at: https://groups.freecycle.org/group/ButlerPA/posts/all	Royal Oak Retriever Bins bins located countywide Call 412.329.2590 for details 1.248.591.6580 <u>LARGE QUANTITIES:</u> Iron Mountain - call 724.794.8474 1.800.934.3453 724.742.1360 Atlas Materials Recycling - 412.431.5329 Cougles Recycling - 610.562.8336 Beaver County Recycling (can assist with one-time book recycling needs) 724.770.2064 	<u>Tips for Reuse:</u> - U-Haul – all locations - UPS, Ebay and other shipping service businesses <u>Tips for Recycling:</u> - Call your recycling hauler to ask about what can be placed in your curbside bin. - Cranberry Township’s cardboard compactor site 2525 Rochester Rd 724.776.4806

Brick (and other <u>CLEAN</u> hardscape building materials)	Building Materials (reusable only)	
Collier Stone GPS: intersection of Walkers Mill Road & Noblestown Road 80 Noblestown Rd, Carnegie 412.276.7300 From the Collier Stone web site- "accepting all old CLEAN* concrete, brick, block, stone and other "hardscape" materials to recycle into our Crushed Concrete aggregates. (*Clean meaning, we will NOT accept dirt, sod, landscaping materials or debris, lumber, plastics, piping, garbage etc.)" 	Construction Junction 214 N Lexington Ave Point Breeze 412.243.5025 www.constructionjunction.com Give away on Butler County's local Freecycle™ web site at: https://groups.freecycle.org/group/ButlerPA/posts/all	

Cans (Food & Beverage)	Cardboard (Corrugated)	Cards (Greeting)
 This item MIGHT be able to be placed in your curbside recycling bin. Check with your hauler to be sure! TC Recycling LLC Hutchman Road Convenience Center 120 Hutchman Road, Mars 724-625-9000 Northwest Sanitary Landfill Recycling Dropoff Site 1436 W Sunbury Rd West Sunbury 724.637.3552 Goettler Distributing (may pay by pound) 153 Hindman Rd, Butler 724.283.1455 MRC Scrap Metal <i>formerly Greco Materials Recycling</i> 201 Kittanning St, Butler 724.285.5865 <u>Tip:</u> Some scout or other special interest groups and schools collect aluminum cans for fundraising. Call your local group for details.	 This item MIGHT be able to be placed in your curbside recycling bin. Check with your hauler to be sure! <u>Tip for Recycling:</u> - Cranberry Township's cardboard compactor site 2525 Rochester Rd 724.776.4806 - TC Recycling LLC Hutchman Road Convenience Center 120 Hutchman Road, Mars 724-625-9000 <u>Tips for Reuse:</u> - U-Haul – all locations - UPS, Ebay and other shipping service businesses <u>Large Quantity Pickup for Businesses</u> Penn Gateway Recycling (prefers already baled) 305 Halstead Blvd. Zelienople 16063 412.837.8777	<u>Tips:</u> - Some day care centers, schools, etc. will accept cards for children's craft projects. - Call your recycling hauler to ask about what can be placed in your curbside bin. - Royal Oak Retriever Bins bins located countywide Call 412.329.2590 or 1.248.591.6580 *accepts greeting cards as long as they do not contain glitter or foil 

Cars / Autos	Catalogs	Ceiling Tiles
<u>Tips:</u> • Goodwill stores nationwide accept vehicle donations that can be used as part of their Wheels-to-Work Program that provides reliable transportation to help people work. Contact your local Goodwill for more info. • Vehicles for Veterans — Donate your vehicle and give back to disabled veterans. To donate your vehicle call 1-855-838-5444 or visit: www.vehiclesforveterans.org • Veteran Car Donations www.veterancardonations.org • Car donations to benefit those with breast cancer www.cardonations4cancer.org • Wheels for Wishes, benefiting the Make a Wish Foundation www.wheelsforwishes.org • The American Red Cross accepts vehicles in almost any condition in all 50 states. www.redcross.org/donations/ways-to-donate/vehicle-donations#About-the-Program 	 This item MIGHT be able to be placed in your curbside recycling bin. Check with your hauler to be sure! <u>Tips:</u> • Royal Oak Retriever Bins bins located countywide Call 412.329.2590 for details, or 1.248.591.6580 • To have your name removed from catalog mailing lists, visit: www.catalogchoice.com	• Give <u>reusable</u> tiles to: Construction Junction 214 N Lexington Ave Point Breeze 412.243.5025 www.constructionjunction.com • Give away on Butler County's local Freecycle™ web site at: https://groups.freecycle.org/group/ButlerPA/posts/all <u>Tip for Recycling:</u> • Armstrong World Industries will send a sales representative to your construction site, verify that tiles can be recycled and will allow you to recycle a minimum of 30,000 sq. ft. through their program. For more info, please call 888.CEILINGS or visit www.armstrongceilings.com on the web. 1.877.276.7876

Cell Phones	Christmas Lights	Christmas Trees
<u>For Reuse:</u> - Victim Outreach Intervention Center (VOICE) 724.776.5910 724.283.8700 (Phones programmed to dial only "911" and given to domestic abuse victims) <u>For Recycling:</u> - Staples Office Supply Stores (nationwide) - Best Buy Electronics (nationwide) <u>Tip:</u> - Your curbside waste hauler may offer curbside electronic waste pickup service. Call your hauler for more information. - Butler County accepts cell phones at its ongoing hazardous waste collections for a small fee. For more information on collection dates and details, call: 724.284.5305 www.butlercountypa.gov	<u>Tips:</u> www.holidayleds.com accepts mailed-in Christmas lights and offers discount on new LED lights. - Both Lowe's and Home Depot usually offer free Christmas light recycling at their front desks at certain times before Christmas (usually in early fall). Check with your local store for more information. - Busy Beaver Home Improvement in Grove City, Mercer County 724.300.8033 	<u>Tips:</u> - Several municipalities in Butler County offer curbside pickup or dropoff each year for their residents. Call your municipality for details. - Certain landscaping / composting businesses offer dropoff after Christmas each year. This information will be found on www.recyclebutler.us every year shortly before Christmas. - You can recycle/reuse your tree to grow mushrooms and at the same time help reduce the tree into compost. See: www.mushroommountain.com - You can use your tree to build brush piles and wind rows that provide cover for birds and other wildlife. - You can stand your tree outside after the holidays and decorate with homemade bird foods to help feed the wild birds during the cold winter season. Internet search: <i>Christmas tree bird feeder</i>  

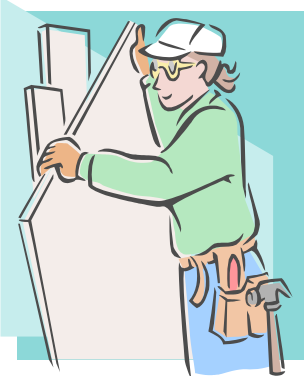
Cigarette Waste		
Terracycle.com has a program for recycling cigarette waste. Check their web site for details and for the MANY other items that they can recycle.		



Cleaning Product Containers	Clothing / Textiles	
Terracycle.com has a program for recycling cleaning product containers Check their web site for details and for the MANY other items that they can recycle. 	Salvation Army (all locations) St. Vincent DePaul (724) 287-3994 or (724) 287-8682 Goodwill Industries 370 New Castle Road, Butler (724) 284-1037 Catholic Charities (good quality children's items only) 407A W Jefferson St, Butler (724) 287-4011 Planet Aid collection bins — check www.planetaid.org to find the bin nearest you (for donations of clothing and shoes in good condition). Kiducation bins — located throughout the county Cloth and old clothing for use as <u>RAGS</u> can be donated to St. Vincent DePaul in bags marked "<u>RAGS</u>" and delivered to their facility at Greater Butler Mart in Butler. (No buttons, zippers or other decorations).	

Compact Disks (and DVD's etc.)	Compostable Materials (trees, grass, wood, leaves)	Concrete (without rebar)
<u>Local Take Back:</u> Best Buy Electronics (Local store in Cranberry) 724.778.8300 <u>Mail-In Programs:</u> CD Recycling Ctr. of America www.cdrecyclingcenter.com Back Thru the Future www.backthruthefuture.com Greendisk www.greendisk.com 	Recycling Products & Services 724.443.6250 Back to Nature 840 Mercer Rd, Butler 724.287.7921 Email topsoilman@zoominternet.net Seneca Landfill Compost Site Hartmann Rd, Evans City 724.625.9000 Some municipalities have either curbside collection or a drop off site for leaves and/or other organics. Please call your municipality for more information on programs they may offer to their residents. Check your local regulations and if permitted, try your hand at backyard composting! Just search on the internet for "BACKYARD COMPOSTING" for directions, advice and tips. Also, you can call Penn State Extension of Butler County and speak to a Master Gardener for advice – 724.287.4761 	John Thrower, Inc. 409 Saxonburg Blvd Saxonburg 724.352.9421 Collier Stone 80 Noblestown Rd, Carnegie 412.276.7300

Cooking Oil	Cork (bottle corks only)	Crayons
Fossil Free Fuel (Allegheny County) www.fossilfreefuel.com 223 Braddock Ave. Braddock 412.727.6888 Whole Foods 10576 Perry Hwy Wexford 724.940.6100 Buffalo Biodeisel 3800 Neville Rd. Neville Island, PA 1.800.721.1427 ECS&R 129 Ash Stop Rd Evans City 1.866.815.0016 Large Quantities: Darling International 1.800.438.8752 Valley Protein 540.877.2590 Steel City Grease Service 412.583.0206 Filta 407.996.5550	Recycle Cork USA York, PA www.recyclecorkusa.com Terracycle.com has a program for recycling cork. Check their web site for details and for the MANY other items that they can recycle.	Crazy Crayons accepts old, broken mailed-in crayons for recycling. See: www.crazycrayons.com 

Dehumidifiers (and other freon units)	Drywall (clean, unpainted only)	
Appliance Disposal www.appliancedisposal.org 888.463.7366 ECS&R 129 Ash Stop Rd, Evans City 814.425.7773 <u>Tip:</u> • Some waste haulers in Butler County accept freon units for an extra fee. Call your waste hauler for details. • Call the regional Department of Environmental Protection for a list of contractors licensed to properly remove freon from appliances. 814.332.6945	Seneca Landfill Compost Site Hartmann Rd, Evans City 724.625.1511 Construction Junction (reusable for construction only) 214 N Lexington Ave Point Breeze 412.243.5025 	

Electronics	Explosives	Eyeglasses
<u>All Types:</u> * ECS&R 129 Ash Stop Rd, Evans City 814.425.7773 * Butler County accepts all electronics at its ongoing hazardous waste collections for a small fee. For more information on collection dates and details, call: 724.284.5305. www.butlercountypa.gov * Your curbside waste hauler <u>may</u> offer curbside electronic waste pickup service. Call your hauler for more information. * Best Buy Electronics -all stores Cranberry store 724.778.8300 (NO LONGER ACCEPTS TV's and MONITORS) * TC Recycling LLC Hutchman Road Convenience Center 120 Hutchman Road, Mars 724-625-9000 Accepts e-waste, including unbroken televisions and monitors, computers and laptops, printers and computer peripherals <u>* Accepts various working electronics, but you must call your local store for list of what they accept:</u> Goodwill Salvation Army St. Vincent DePaul Staples Office Supply Stores	<u>Tip:</u> Call your local police or fire department.	Lion's Club (worldwide) Contact your local chapter Lenscrafters Gift of Sight Program – contact your local store New Eyes for the Needy Short Hills, NY www.new-eyes.org 

Fire Extinguishers

ECS&R
129 Ash Stop Rd, Evans City
814.425.7773

Tip:

- Contact your local fire department for proper disposal
- Companies that will accept their own brands of extinguishers mailed back:

Cintas

Sentry

Simplex Grinnel

Fishing Line

The Boat U.S. Foundation supports a fishing line recycling program nationwide and provides decals for simple bins that you build yourself from PVC pipe. For more information on this program, please see:

www.boatus.org



Fluorescent Light Bulbs

Compact Bulbs Only:

Home Depot (nationwide)
accepted at service desk

Lowes (nationwide)
accepted at service desk

All Types:

ECS&R
129 Ash Stop Rd, Evans City
814.425.7773

Your curbside waste hauler may offer curbside hazardous waste pickup service. Call your hauler for more information.

Butler County accepts all fluorescent bulbs at its ongoing hazardous waste collections for a small fee. For more information on collection dates and details, call:

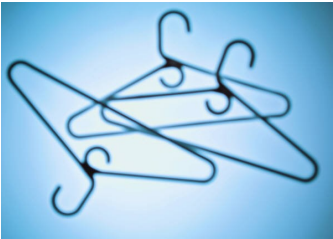
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www.butlercountypa.gov

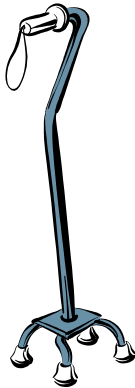


Food / Drink Pouches and Storage Containers	Food and Pet Food Wrappers (brand name)	Furniture
Terracycle.com has a program for recycling pouches and containers. Check their web site for details and for the MANY other items that they can recycle.   	Terracycle.com has a program for recycling wrappers. Check their web site for details and for the MANY other items that they can recycle.     	Operation Homefront (Provides help for families of deployed service members and wounded warriors.) www.operationhomefront.net Salvation Army – all stores Goodwill – all stores Catholic Charities 407A W Jefferson St, Butler 724.287.4011 Check the phone book's yellow pages for other charitable organizations Give away on Butler County's local Freecycle™ web site at: https://groups.freecycle.org/group/ButlerPA/posts/all

Gasoline	Glass (food and beverage)	
<u>Tips:</u> Call your local fire department – they sometimes accept gasoline for fire training purposes. Your curbside waste hauler may offer curbside hazardous waste pickup service. Call your hauler for more information. Butler County accepts gasoline and other combustible chemicals at its ongoing hazardous waste collections for a small fee. For more information on collection dates and details, call: 724.284.5305 www.butlercountypa.gov	 This item <u>MIGHT</u> be able to be placed in your curbside recycling bin. Check with your hauler to be sure! 	

Hangers (for clothing)		Hazardous Waste
Salvation Army – nationwide Goodwill – all stores Dry cleaning businesses Local consignment shops Give away on Butler County's local Freecycle™ web site at: https://groups.freecycle.org/group/ButlerPA/posts/all 		Your curbside waste hauler may offer curbside hazardous waste pickup service. Call your hauler for more information. Butler County holds regular collections for most types of hazardous wastes. For full details, please see: www.butlercountypa.gov Items accepted include: paint and paint products, pesticides, poisons, pool chemicals, cleaning chemicals, auto fluids, gasoline and flammable liquids, auto and household batteries, fluorescent bulbs and all types of electronics. <u>Help!</u> For tips on how to identify hazardous waste in your home, please see page 6 of this booklet! 

Hearing Aids	Junk Mail	
Hearing & Speech Foundation 1617 E. Broadway Ave Maryville, TN 865.977.0981 info@handsf.org Lion's Club International 630.571.5466 www.lionsclubs.org	 This item <u>MIGHT</u> be able to be placed in your curbside recycling bin. Check with your hauler to be sure! Other Possible Resource: Royal Oak Recycling bins located countywide Call 412.329.2590 for details  <u>Tip:</u> To remove your name and address from most national mailing lists, contact: Direct Marketing Association Mail Preference Service Box 643 Carmel, NY 10512 www.dmachoice.org	

Magazines	Medical Equipment	Medication
 This item MIGHT be able to be placed in your curbside recycling bin. Check with your hauler to be sure! <u>For Recycling:</u> Royal Oak Retriever Bins bins located countywide Call 412.329.2590 for details <u>Tip for Reuse:</u> Many senior centers, hospitals and other places with waiting rooms will accept recent issues of magazines for use by their clients.	American Legion accepts used walkers and canes for reuse. Elks – Project C.U.R.E. collects used medical equipment for reuse. Many charitable organizations collect these types of items - just check with your local charities. 	Butler County has a permanent medication drop box program. Unused or unwanted medications can be dropped off for FREE, no questions asked, at the following sites: Butler City Police Dept., 200 West New Castle Street in Butler Cranberry Township Police Dept., 2525 Rochester Road in Cranberry Township Slippery Rock Borough Police Dept., 306 East Water Street in Slippery Rock Butler Township Police Dept., 290 South Duffy Road in Butler Penn Township Police Dept., 157 East Airport Road in Butler Butler County Government Center Lobby, 124 West Diamond Street in Butler Saxonburg Borough Police Dept., 420 West Main Street in Saxonburg Jackson Township Police Dept., 140 Magill Rd, Zelienople For more information, please see the following web site: http://www.ddap.pa.gov 

Mercury	Metals (assorted)	Metals (pickup service)
Your curbside waste hauler may offer curbside hazardous waste pickup service. Call your hauler for more information. Butler County accepts mercury and mercury-containing devices at its ongoing hazardous waste collections for a small fee. For more information on collection dates and details, call: 724.284.5305 www.butlercountypa.gov	Goettler Distributing 153 Hindman Rd, Butler 724.283.1455 724.287.5147 Garvin Auto Salvage 130 Franklin Dr., Sarver 724.353.3096 MRC Scrap 201 Kittanning St., Butler 724.285.5865 Local salvage yards and auto wreckers in Butler County accept assorted metals and pay by the pound for various types. <u>Tip:</u> Check the yellow pages of the phone book for locations near you.	JC Scrap 724.321.6122 Will pick up refrigerators, stoves, hot water tanks, washers, dryers, tractors, trailers, mobile homes, cars, copper, aluminum. Scrap Salvage & Surplus 724.285.BURN Tomson Scrap 724.224.0387 Yardjunk 866.888.6261 1-800-GOT-JUNK <u>Tip:</u> Call other local salvage yards and auto wreckers to see if they offer pickup service for your area.



Newspaper



This item **MIGHT** be able to be placed in your curbside recycling bin. Check with your hauler to be sure!

Royal Oak Retriever Bins
bins located countywide
Call 412.329.2590 for details

Some farms in Butler County
accept newspaper to shred for
animal bedding. Call local
farms or the USDA office in
Butler for details on farms
that might accept them.
724.482.4800



Packaging Materials / Styrofoam Peanuts	Paint	Paint (cont'd)
<u>Tip for Reuse:</u> Call local UPS, Ebay and other shipping service businesses. 	<u>Tips for Latex Paint:</u> Latex paint is not considered hazardous once it is COMPLETELY dry. To get paint to dry: * leave lid off can – small qty * mix cat litter or saw dust and leave lid off until dry * buy packet of paint hardener available at most paint sellers Once COMPLETELY dry, latex paint can be disposed of with your regular household trash. <u>Tips for Latex and Oil-Based Paints:</u> Butler County accepts all types of paint and paint-related products like turpentine, etc. at its ongoing hazardous waste collections for a small fee. For more information on collection dates and details, call: 724.284.5305 www.butlercountypa.gov <u>Tip for Buying the Right Amount:</u> Most places that sell paint now have paint calculators (including online) to help you buy the right amount.	TC Recycling LLC Hutchman Road Convenience Center 120 Hutchman Road, Mars 724-625-9000

Paper (Office)	Paper (Office) (large, commercial quantity pickup)	(cont'd)
 This item MIGHT be able to be placed in your curbside recycling bin. Check with your hauler to be sure! Staples Office Supply <i>shredding for the general public</i> (Call local store for prices) Royal Oak Recycling bins located countywide Call 412.329.2590 for details 	Archives Management Warehouse 814.268.6951 Shred-It, Pgh 412.798.3800 Atlas Materials Recycling Pgh 412.431.5329 Stanson Paper, Springdale 724.275.7285 Associated Paper Stock North Lima, OH 330.549.5311 JaSar Recycling East Palestine, OH 330.426.2538	Out of Sight Shredding (operated by Blind Association) 107 Bonnie Drive, Butler 724.602.4587 http://destroy4good.com/ Smart Earth Shredding 600 Old Pond Road Bridgeville 15017 412.206.0054 Iron Mountain Boyers 724.794.8474 Penn-Gateway Recycling 305 Halstead Blvd. Zelienople, PA 412.837.8777

Personal Care and Beauty Product Containers	Phone Books	
Terracycle.com has a program for recycling product containers. Check their web site for details and for the MANY other items that they can recycle.  	 This item <u>MIGHT</u> be able to be placed in your curbside recycling bin. Check with your hauler to be sure! Royal Oak Retriever Bins bins located countywide Call 412.329.2590 for details <u>Tips:</u> • Some farms in Butler County accept phone books with newspapers to shred for animal bedding. Call local farms or the USDA office in Butler for details on farms that might accept them. 724.482.4800 • To request to be removed from receiving future yellow pages books, please go to this email address: www.yellowpagesoptout.com	



NEVER PUT PLASTIC BAGS OR WRAPPERS IN YOUR CURBSIDE RECYCLING BIN

Plastic Bags, Recycling

**Plastic Bags,
Reuse**

**Plastic Plant Pots, Trays
and Tags**

Accepts Bags Marked #2 or #4 on Side or Bottom

Lowe's Home Improvement
Target Stores
Wal-Mart and
Wal-Mart Supercenters
Sam's Clubs
Kohl's Stores
JCPenney Stores

Accepts #2 and #4 Bags and Other Types of Bags

Giant Eagle Stores accept the following items:

Plastic shopping bags with the number two (#2) or four (#4)

Clear shrink wrap and stretch film plastic

Clean and dry plastic produce bags

Plastic newspaper sleeves

Dry cleaner bags



Ideas for reusing plastic bags:

www.designrulz.com/product-design/2012/11/25-ideas-of-how-to-recycle-plastic-bags-on-america-recycles-day/



How to Make Plastic Bag Rugs:

www.homesteadweaver.com/plasticbagrugs.htm

www.lifehacker.com/5989206/weave-a-rug-out-of-plastic-bags



Sleeping mats made from bags:

www.lutheranchurchcharities.org/documents/Sleeping%20Mats%20Made%20From%20Plastic%20Bags%20-%20Written%20Directions.pdf

Lowe's Garden Dept. — call first to be sure they still accept them

Cranberry 724.778.3232

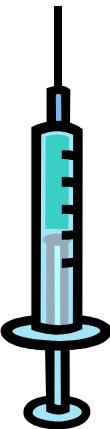
Butler 724.285.4000



Plastics (food and beverage, etc.)	Printer Cartridges	Propane and Other "Gas" Tanks
 This item MIGHT be able to be placed in your curbside recycling bin. Check with your hauler to be sure! TC Recycling LLC Hutchman Road Convenience Center 120 Hutchman Road, Mars 724-625-9000 Northwest Sanitary Landfill-Recycling Dropoff Site 1436 W Sunbury Rd West Sunbury 724.637.3552 <u>Plastics – large quantity wanted from businesses and industry</u> Crown & Kornell Corp. 800.246.6118 and 440.951.1665 Penn Gateway Recycling Plastics #1 through #6 305 Halstead Blvd. Zelienople 412.837.8777 Polymer Sciences, Inc. Erie Pa. accepts post-industrial #1 and #2 plastics for recycling: www.polymersciences.com	Accepted at the following libraries in Butler County for fundraising: (Call first to be sure they are still accepting) Cranberry 724.776.9100 (accepts inkjet only) Evans City 724.538.8695 (accepts inkjet only) Mars 724.625.9048 (accepts various types) Prospect 724.865.9718 (accepts various types) Slippery Rock 724.738.9179 (accepts various types) Zelienople 724.452.9330 (accepts inkjet only) Online companies that will work with and pay organizations collecting cartridges: www.emties4cash.com www.evolverecycling.com www.fundingfactory.com www.enviromart.org www.cartridgesforkids.com Local stores that collect: Staples Office Supply Office Depot Office Max	<u>Tip:</u> First, make sure tank is EMPTY! For grill-type propane tanks, check with a local store that supplies new tanks and/or refills old tanks. They will often take them but you must check with store personnel first. Other type empty tanks and non-useable propane tanks are often taken by metal recyclers and scrap auto dealers for metal recycling. Call your nearest metals recycler for more information. Butler County accepts propane tanks at its ongoing hazardous waste collections for a fee. For more information on collection dates and details, call: 724.284.5305 www.butlercountypa.gov 

Road Flares		Scotch™ Tape Dispensers
<u>Tips:</u> Consult your local fire department for proper disposal. Soak in water overnight and dispose of with regular trash.		Terracycle.com has a program for recycling tape dispensers. Check their web site for details and for the MANY other items that they can recycle. 

Shoes	Smoke Detectors	Speakers (Repair and Parts)
Nike accepts all brands of ATHLETIC SHOES ONLY in any condition. Shoes must contain NO METAL. https://www.nike.com/help/a/recycle-shoes Terracycle.com has a program for recycling all types of shoes. Check their web site for details and for the MANY other items that they can recycle. Planet Aid accepts shoes in good condition for reuse. Check www.planetaid.org to find the bin nearest you. Local charitable organizations such as Salvation Army and Goodwill Industries accept shoes that are in good condition for reuse / resale. Check the yellow pages of the phone book for other organizations. 	Try to send your old detector back to the original manufacturer. Locate the brand name and/or address on the back of the device, or find the information in the user's manual. After removing the battery, send the whole unit back intact (do not try to disassemble!) with a note indicating that the device is intended for disposal. Here is contact information for some of the larger companies where you can get more information: First Alert / BRK Aurora, Illinois 60504 www.firstalert.com 1.800.323.9005 Gentex Corp. Return Dept. Zeeland, MI 49464 Honeywell www.honeywell.com Masterguard Carrollton, TX 75006 www.masterguard.com Nighthawk Systems Mebane, NC 27302 www.kidde.com FEMA Guidance on determining if a smoke alarm is radioactive – this determines if it can be thrown away or not: www.usfa.fema.gov/downloads/pdf_techtalk/techtalk_v1n2_1209.pdf Mail-In Recycling Program: www.curieservices.com/smoke-alarm-recycling/ <u>REMEMBER: NEVER try to disassemble a smoke detector!!</u>	Audio Factory 677 Ekastown Road, Sarver 724.353.2584 Accepts most types of speakers, but call first to check or see: www.theaudio-factory.com

Sporting Goods	Styrofoam™ (polystyrene)	Syringes
Local charitable organizations such as Salvation Army and Goodwill Industries accept shoes that are in good condition for reuse. Check the yellow pages of the phone book for other organizations. Give away on Butler County's local Freecycle™ web site at: https://groups.freecycle.org/group/ButlerPA/posts/all Terracycle.com has a program for recycling cold athletic balls. Check their web site for details and for the MANY other items that they can recycle.	Mail & More of Wexford 10900 Perry Hwy Wexford 15090 724.935.8577 (Call for info) Shipping Depot 4960 William Flynn Hwy Allison Park 15101 724.443.8711 (Call for info) Appliance Warehouse 523 Bingham Street Pittsburgh, PA 15203 412.381.8800 Brady's Run Recycling Center Bradys Run Park Brighton Township, PA 15010 724.770.2064 Tips: UPS, Ebay and other shipping service businesses sometimes accept polystyrene. Some local greenhouses will accept small amounts of polystyrene for use in potting mixes. Check with your local greenhouse. Mail polystyrene to the Alliance of Foam Packaging Recyclers. Go to www.epspackaging.org to learn what is involved. Clean polystyrene egg cartons are accepted at: dolco.tekni-plex.com/recycling Polymer Sciences, Inc. in Erie, PA accepts industrial polystyrene for recycling: www.polymersciences.com	<u>Tips:</u> If disposing in the trash, place inside a RIGID container such as a soda bottle or coffee can and place the lid on securely. Be absolutely sure that this container <u>does NOT</u> go in your curbside recycling bin and that a <u>SECURE LID</u> is on TIGHT. 

Tires	Trophies	Tyvek® Envelopes, etc.
See “Auto, Tires”	Creative Images 236 Blair Street Grove City 724.450.0343 Lamb Awards and Engraving www.lambawards.com/recycle.html Progression Athletics International has a trophy recycling program that takes your old trophies, refurbishes them and uses them at our sports clinics with at-risk youth. www.progressionathletics.org 	<u>Tip:</u> At the end of their useful life, products made from Tyvek® can be recycled. DuPont has set up a network of recyclers who have agreed to take back items made from Tyvek® for mechanical recycling into other products. (The items sent for recycling must not have been in contact with any hazardous substance.) For more information: 1-800-44-TYVEK® 1-800-448-9835

Water Filters	Wood Pallets and <u>Clean</u> Wood Waste	Writing Instruments (Pens, Mechanical Pencils and Markers)
<u>Tip:</u> Brita accepts their own used filters for recycling – contact Brita for more information at: www.brita.com Terracycle recycles both Brita and Pur water cartridges – check web site for details. www.terracycle.com 	Recycling Products & Services 724.443.6250 Back to Nature / Stirling Landscaping 840 Mercer Rd, Butler 724.287.7921 topsoilman@zoominternet.net Seneca Landfill's Compost Site Hartmann Rd, Evans City 724.625.9000 Agrecycle (Allegheny Co) 412.767.7645 412.242.7645 Beaver County Recycling's Compost Site 724.770.2068	Terracycle.com has a program for recycling writing instruments. Check their web site for details. 

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Municipal Phone Numbers

Adams Township	724.625.2221	Harrisville Borough	724.735.2222
Allegheny Township	724.791.9999	Jackson Township	724.452.5581
Brady Township	724.738.1588	Jefferson Township	724.352.2324
Bruin Borough	724.753.2227	Karns City Borough	724.756.4841
Buffalo Township	724.295.2648	Lancaster Township	724.452.7213
Butler City	724.285.4124	Marion Township	724.735.2637
Butler Township	724.282.3430	Mars Borough	724.625.1858
Callery Borough	724.538.3531	Mercer Township	724.735.2705
Center Township	724.282.7805	Middlesex Township	724.898.3571
Cherry Township	724.637.3867	Muddy Creek Township	724.368.3438
Cherry Valley Borough	724.791.2622	Oakland Township	724.287.8067
Chicora Borough	724.607.1066	Parker Township	724.753.2030
Clay Township	724.637.2638	Penn Township	724.586.1165
Clearfield Township	724.283.7701	Petrolia Borough	724.756.4931
Clinton Township	724.352.9000	Portersville Borough	724.368.9175
Concord Township	724.894.2228	Prospect Borough	724.865.3010
Connoquenessing Borough	724.789.9097	Saxonburg Borough	724.352.1400
Connoquenessing Township	724.486.3888	Seven Fields Borough	724.776.3090
Cranberry Township	724.776.4806	Slippery Rock Borough	724.794.6391
Donegal Township	724.445.7303	Slippery Rock Township	724.794.2369
East Butler Borough	724.282.1826	Summit Township	724.285.1168
Eau Claire Borough	724.791.2831	Valencia Borough	724.625.3430
Evans City Borough	724.538.8320	Venango Township	724.791.2794
Fairview Borough	724.290.6223	Washington Township	724.894.2620
Fairview Township	724.756.6591	West Liberty Borough	724.794.1180
Forward Township	724.538.9251	West Sunbury Borough	724.637.3000
Franklin Township	724.865.2412	Winfield Township	724.352.3333
Harmony Borough	724.452.6780	Worth Township	724.368.3545
		Zelienople Borough	724.452.6610

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Butler County's Hazardous Waste and Electronics Collections



Making *Your* Home and *Our* County Safer Together.

Dates: Saturdays - Jan. 16, Feb. 20, Mar. 20, Apr. 10, May 8, Jun. 19, July 17, Aug. 21, Sept. 18, Oct. 16, Nov. 13 and Dec. 18

(Winter dates are weather permitting)

Time: By Appointment Only—**ECS&R** Toll-Free 1-866-815-0016 www.ecsr.net

Location: 129 Ash Stop Road, Evans City, PA 16033 *(corner of Ash Stop Rd and Route 68 - across from the Forward Township Building)*

Household Chemicals (HHW) Accepted:

Cleaning Products

Automotive Products

Lawn & Garden

Chemicals

Paint & Paint Products

Pesticides

Flammable Products

Pool Chemicals

Mercury Thermostats

Batteries

Fluorescent Bulbs & CFL's

Aerosols

Propane Cylinders



Consumer Electronics (E-Waste) Accepted:

Televisions

Computers, Printers & Peripherals

Phone Systems

CD Players

Stereos / Tape Players

Copiers

Mobile Phones

Fax Machines

Laptop Computers

VHS & Cassette Tapes

CD's, DVD's, etc.

VCR's



Small Freon Appliances Accepted:

Air Conditioners

Dehumidifiers

Dorm-Size Refrigerators

Please note that Pa. Act 108 CDRA materials are not part of the county-sponsored program but are collected by ECS&R for a fee.



This program is made possible by the Board of Butler County Commissioners and by grant funding from the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection to help offset the costs of non-CDRA (Pa. Act 108) materials.

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