

ENGLEWOOD AREA ALTERNATIVE DISPOSAL/RECYCLING METHODS AND LOCATIONS



AEROSOL CANS:

In a well-ventilated area, while standing upwind, discharge all contents of the aerosol can into a cardboard box. Allow the box to dry completely, place box in recycle bin and the empty aerosol can in single stream recycling location. (Below).

BATTERIES:

Туре	Locations	Phone	Limits
Auto batteries	Firestone Store 3501 S. Fox	303-761-0940	
Auto or truck batteries	Pacesetter Roadside Inc. AAA 3950 South Kalamath Drop off or Free Pick-up	303-753-8800 x8180	
Watch & hearing aid batteries	K-Mart – Jewelry Dept. 200 W. Belleview Ave.	303-794-1200	
Watch & hearing aid batteries	Wal-Mart - Jewelry Dept. 601 Englewood Pkwy.	303-789-7201	
Rechargeable batteries	Radio Shack 296 W. Hampden	303-761-2278	Any rechargeable battery.
Batteries Plus	8601 W. Cross Drive	303-973-4000	Spent lead acid and NiCd (non-liquid)

RECHARGEABLE BATTERIES FOR POWERTOOLS:

Home Depot: 3000 West Belleview Avenue 303-794-0352

Lowes: 5095 South Santa Fe Drive 720-587-1065

COMPUTERS:

Geek Street: 4300 South Broadway 303-789-9940

Access Computer Products: 451 W. 69th Street, Loveland 1-800-845-8851

GASOLINE:

Gasoline should never be poured down the drain, on the ground, or thrown in the trash. Contact Tri-County Health Department (303-761-1340) to speak to a hazardous waste specialist. Find someone who can use the gas in a lawn mover or other small gas mower. You can also bring the gas to the Household Hazardous Waste Roundup in September of every year. Watch the City of Englewood website and the Citizen for further information.

FLUORESCENT LAMPS:

Littleton/Englewood Wastewater Treatment Plant: 303-762-2600 for information and hours. Household quantities are collected. Liquid mercury and mercury containing devices also accepted.

COMPACT FLUORESCENT LAMPS:

A & A Trading Post: 4509 South Broadway, 303-761-0747

MOTOR OIL:

Residential only - no commercial or business wastes accepted

Used motor oil must be free of contaminants - no gasoline, antifreeze, water, cleaning solvents or brake fluid.

Locations	Limit	Fee
Checker Auto Parts	maximum of 5 gal/month.	no charge
275 West Hampden Avenue	Customer must dispose of old	
303-781-4853	containers	

USED TIRES:

Locations	Fee
Discount Tires	\$2.00/per tire
300 West Hampden Avenue	
303-781-6040	
Young's Tires	\$1.00/per tire
840 West Hampden Avenue	
303-761-1543	

PAINT:

LATEX PAINT:

Latex paint is no longer considered a hazardous waste and may be discarded in household trash when COMPLETELY DRY AND HARD. Leave lids off the can so trash hauler can see the paint is dry. For small amounts, open can and allow to air dry. For larger amounts, add kitty litter, stir and allow to dry; or pour a thin layer (about one inch) of paint into a cardboard box lined with plastic. Allow to dry. Continue layering and drying one layer at a time until all the paint has hardened.

OIL-BASED PAINT:

Use up according to label instructions, give to someone who can use it, or take to a hazardous material collection program.

PESTICIDES AND HERBICIDES:

These products are poisonous to humans, pets, and wildlife. They should **never** be burned, buried, dumped on the ground or in water, or poured down the drain. Use the product according to label directions, give leftovers to someone who can safely use them, store until it can be used, or take to a hazardous materials program.

EXPIRED OR SURPLUS MEDICATION:

Do not flush or put down a drain! Keep medication in original packaging and put in the trash. Medications that enter the water stream are harmful to the environment. Some pharmacies will accept unused or expired medications, check with your local pharmacy.

MERCURY

Englewood/Littleton Wastewater Treatment Plant (just north of Dartmouth on South Platte River Drive). Liquid mercury containing devices such as thermostats and fluorescent lamps are accepted. 303-762-2600.

SHOPPING CART HOTLINE 303-762-2323

This is a City of Englewood Code Enforcement number.

Use the Shopping Cart Hotline to report abandoned shopping carts to the pick-up service. Shopping carts are normally collected the following Saturday.

PHONE BOOKS

It is estimated that more than 1 million pounds of paper is dropped off, unsolicited, in each new round of phone book delivery. If you are looking to <u>reduce</u> the number or <u>eliminate</u> unwanted phone books, you'll need to call the companies below and request removal from their delivery lists.

Dex Phone Books 1-877-243-8339 **Yellow Book** 1-800-929-3556

If you're looking to recycle your phone books:

Dex - https://www.advertiswithdex.com/Dex//CDA/Directory/Recycling.jsp

Yellow Book - http://corporate.yellowbook.com/recycling/

SHIPPING MATERIALS

UPS Store 3531 South Logan Street 303-788-1898

Materials such as usable boxes, Styrofoam peanuts, bubble wrap are accepted.

SINGLE STREAM RECYCLING:

Waste Management - 2400 West Union Avenue

ACCEPTED MATERIALS:

Magazines

Newspapers

Phone Books

Office Paper

Junk Mail

Brown Paper Bags

Cardboard

Glass

Aluminum Cans and Trays

Steel Cans, including empty aerosol spray cans

Plastic Bottles

NOT ACCCEPTED MATERIALS:

Plastic Bags - Some King Soopers have barrels at the front of the store to recycle plastic bags.

Plastic Tubs

Garbage

YARD WASTE

Mountain States Wood Recycle 2300 West Radcliff Avenue 303-789-3356

Yard waste and items such as wood fencing is accepted.

TIPS ON HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS MATERIALS:

Buy only what you need and use all of the product for its intended use

Consider using safer alternatives when available

Store leftovers in the original container with the original label

Give leftovers to a friend, neighbor, or community service organization

Store all household hazardous products away from children and pets in safe, tight containers

The City of Englewood and City of Littleton partner every September for the Household Hazardous Waste Roundup. Watch the City of Englewood website and the Citizen for more information as the event draws nearer. For additional recycling/disposal information contact Keep Englewood Beautiful at 303-762-2345 or Fire Prevention at 303-762-2365.

Keep Englewood Beautiful has made every effort to identify local recyclers accepting household recyclable materials. Changes in policies and procedures do occur; please verify information with dealer. (February 2010)

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