

# What to Reuse and Recycle in Stillwater

Item: Organization Code Number	Notes
Antifreeze: 1	
Appliances, Large (in working condition): 1, 4, 10, 11	Clean appliance
Large (scrap & tagged free of oil or Freon): 1, 3, 4, 24	1 (\$15 fee), 24 (call 742-8269 for curbside pick-up \$20 fee)
Small (in working condition): 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10,11	Clean appliance
Small (scrap): 1, 3, 4	1 (\$5 fee)
Batteries, Automobile: 1, 12	(2 maximum)
Rechargeable household batteries: 13	
Bicycles (repairable): 14	Repaired and given to charities
(scrap): 3, 4	
Books: 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11	
Building materials, cabinets, fixtures: 4	Fixtures in working condition
Cans (aluminum or tin/steel): 1, 2, 3, 4	Rinse cans; labels are acceptable
Cardboard (corrugated cardboard only): 1, 2	Keep cardboard dry; collapse; remove plastics/foam.
Cell phones, pagers, PDAs: 17	
Clothing, linens, accessories: 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11	Clean items
Computers & some electronic equipment: 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 15, 16	Must be late models in working order for donation.
Electronic equipment scrap (stereos, computers, TVs, VCRs): 1, 17	1 (\$5 fee per item), 17 (\$10 fee per computer system)
Eyeglasses: 19	Prescription glasses.
Furniture (clean & in good condition): 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11	
(scrap): 1	\$5 fee small items, \$15 fee large items
Glass bottles and jars (mixed colors): 1, 2	Rinse glass; labels are ok; no lids, windows, Pyrex, glasses or dishes
Household hazardous waste (household cleaners, paints, kerosene, pharmaceuticals, pesticides, fertilizers, fluorescent bulbs, etc.): 1	Special drop-off day each autumn (Saturday 10/25 in 2008)
Household items: 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11	Clean and in working condition
Ink jet & laser cartridges: 17, 18	
Motor oil: 1, 12	12 (5 gallon maximum)
Oil (vegetable) & fat: 1	
Packing peanuts/bubble wrap: 20	
Paper (newspaper, office paper, magazines, phonebooks, bags, paperboard (i.e. cereal boxes)): 1, 2, 21	21 (no phone books) Keep paper dry; glossy ads, colored paper and staples are ok
Plastic containers (milk jugs, soda bottles, and similar): 1, 2	#1 & #2 on bottom of container; rinse and collapse; no lids or caps
Plastic grocery bags: 22, 23	May mix with other clean, thin, plastic bags
Scrap metal: 1, 3, 4	
Tires: 1	Up to 17.5"
Yard waste (in bags or bundles 4' length, 18" diameter max.): 1, 24	Loosely secure bags at top so can be easily emptied

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1-STW Convenience Collection Center	807 S. Perkins Rd.	Open Mon-Fri 7-6 & Sat 8-12; call 742-8269 for details
2-Allied Waste Services of STW	See drop-off site locations on reverse	Unattended drop-off sites
3-American Scrap	7101 S. Perkins Rd.	Open Mon-Fri 8-4:30 & Sat 8-12; call 377-1221 for pricing
4-Habitat ReStore	505 E. 18 <sup>th</sup> Ave.	Open Tue & Thu 9-4 & Sat 9-1, call 372-8100 for details
5-Elite Repeat Quality Resale	711 S. Main St.	Call 377-4462 for donation details
6-Goodwill Store	811 S. Main St.	Call 377-3732 for donation details
7-Karman Korner Resale Shop	819 S. Main St.	Call 377-6410 for donation details
8-Salvation Army Thrift Store	211 E. 9th St.	Call 372-1555 for donation details
9-St. Andrews Thrift Shop	504 W. 3rd St	Call 377-8765 for donation details
10-Freecycle	Free online posting listserv	<a href="http://www.groups.yahoo.com/group/StillwaterOKFreecycle">www.groups.yahoo.com/group/StillwaterOKFreecycle</a>
11-Our Community Recycles	Free online posting listserv	<a href="http://www.groups.yahoo.com/group/StillwaterOCR">www.groups.yahoo.com/group/StillwaterOCR</a>
12-Wal-Mart Automotive	111 N. Perkins Rd. & 4545 W. 6 <sup>th</sup>	2 maximum; call 372-0290 for details
13-RadioShack	711 N. Perkins Rd.	Call 377-6444 for details
14-Red Dirt Pedalers c/o Cooper's	220 S. Main St.	Used bikes are repaired and given to charities; 372-2525
15-Stillwater Board of Education	314 S. Lewis St.	Call 533-6300 for donation details; ask for technology dept.
16-YMCA	204 S. Duck St	Call 372-5833 for donation details
17-Staples Office Supply	616 N. Perkins Rd.	Call 624-8256 for details
18-Cartridge World	919 N. Perkins Rd.	Call 707-0300 for details. Save 50% or more by refilling
19-Lion's Club	Consumers IGA & Napa Auto Parts	Yellow bins in parking lot for used prescription eyeglasses
20-Mail Boxes Etc.	601 S. Washington	Open Mon-Fri 7:30-7 & Sat 9-4; call 743-4800 for details
21-Abitibi Paper Retriever Program	Green/yellow bins schools/churches	Phone books not accepted. Proceeds fund local programs
22-Food Pyramid	421 N. Main St.	May mix with other clean, thin, plastic bags
23-Wal-Mart	111 N. Perkins Rd. & 4545 W. 6 <sup>th</sup>	Call 372-0290 for details
24-City of Stillwater	Curbside service	Yard waste each Wed.; call 742-8269 for appliance pick-up

# Reduce, Reuse and Recycle in Stillwater

## Recycling facts:

- The average American creates 4.6 pounds of garbage each day or over 3 tons annually per family of four
- One ton of recycled paper saves 3,700 lbs of lumber and 24,000 gallons of water
- Recycling a soda can saves 96% of the energy used to make a can from ore
- Recycling employs 1.1 million people nationwide

## How to reduce:

- Purchase items in bulk
- Avoid over-packaged products
- Choose durable goods over disposables
- Buy only what you need

## Reuse & recycling tips:

- Save time and energy by visiting drop-off sites on your way to other destinations
- Maintain and repair items
- Compost yard waste and food waste
- Use a self-mulching mower and leave grass clippings on the lawn
- Make double-sided copies when printing
- Drink water from a reusable bottle
- Buy items with recycled content and “close the loop” by creating a market for recycled products

## If in doubt, throw it out!

Non-recyclable items mixed in with similar materials that are recyclable may contaminate a load of material and make it unacceptable for processing. (If so, the entire load may be dumped in the landfill.) If in doubt, throw it out.

## Self-service recycling drop-off sites:

Self-service sites are available 24 hours a day. Allied Recycling does not have facilities to sort items by category. Do not leave mixed materials. Call 377-3880 if bins are full. To report illegal dumping, call 742-8269 (public property) or 742-8383 (private property).

- **Babcock Park parking lot, 19th Avenue and Western Road**
- **Husband Street and Airport Road**
- **Skyline Elementary, Sunrise Avenue and Grandview Street**

## Full-service recycling drop-off site:

The Stillwater Convenience Collection Center is open Monday-Friday 7am-6pm & Saturday 8am-noon. Call 742-8269 for information.

- **807 S. Perkins Road (at 8<sup>th</sup> Avenue)**

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