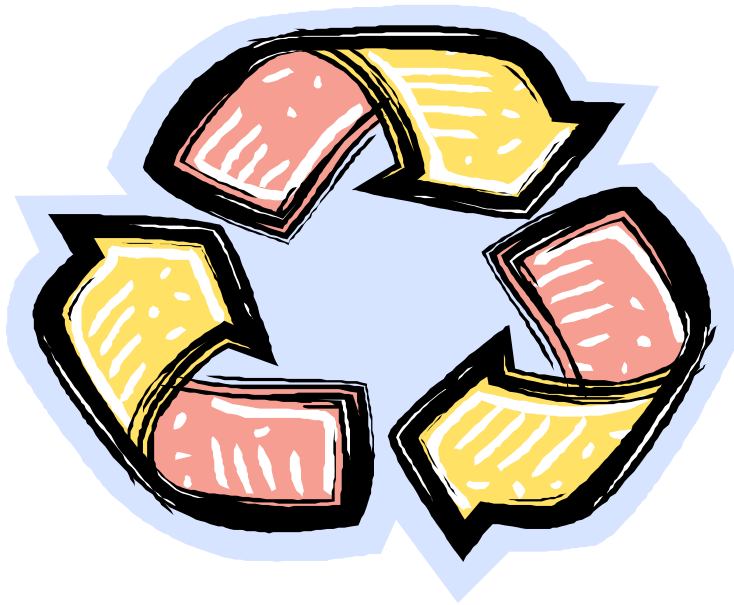


# Recycle New Orleans!



**An easy-to-use directory of places that reuse & recycle  
materials in the New Orleans area**



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**About this Guide**

Since Hurricane Katrina, curbside recycling services have been discontinued in New Orleans and Jefferson Parish. This guide will help you find locations to drop-off particular types of recyclable goods.

The Green Project is a building materials and paint recycling and re-sale center located in the Marigny neighborhood. Since Hurricane Katrina, it has expanded its recycling services to include building deconstruction--the careful dismantling of buildings to preserve valuable materials--as well as offering a drop-off location for personal computers, newspaper, cardboard and aluminum.

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New Orleans LA 70117  
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[www.greenproject.org](http://www.greenproject.org)

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## ALUMINUM

Aluminum is 100% recyclable. It takes 95% less energy to produce an aluminum can from an existing can than from ore. Recyclable items include aluminum cans, aluminum lawn furniture, aluminum awnings, aluminum window frames, frozen food containers and scrap aluminum.

### **Airline Salvage**

6900 Airline Dr.

504-737-1100

Monday-Friday 8:30am-11:45am and 1:00pm-4:15pm.

Saturday 8:30am-11:30am

*Accepts cans, aluminum, copper and brass. No tin, steel, iron, or plastic bottles*

### **Legacy Project Office Recycling**

246 St. George Ave.

Jefferson, LA

504-865-7220

*Pick-up service for offices including white paper, mixed paper, sorted office paper, aluminum, cardboard, and shredding. No plastic or glass.*

### **Mississippi River Recycling**

4390 Peters Rd., Harvey

(504) 367-9538

Monday – Friday 7:30am – 4:00pm

### **Riverside Recycling and Disposal**

11266 Belle Chasse Highway, Belle Chasse

(504) 656-2232

7 a.m. – 4:30 p.m., Monday – Friday

7 a.m. – Noon, Saturday

*Accepts non-hazardous construction debris. No hazardous debris.*

### **Southern Scrap Material Company**

4801 Florida Avenue

504-942-0340

Monday-Friday 8:00am-3:30pm

*Accepts large items, Buy back: aluminum cans and aluminum materials*

2525 Lafitte Street

504-822-5561

Monday-Friday 8:00am-3:30pm

*Accepts intermediate size items*

50 Labauve Dr. (River Road) Westwego  
504-436-4061  
Monday-Friday 8:00am-3:30pm

**Uptown Recycling**

2801 Earhart Blvd.  
504-523-8485

*Accepts aluminum cans. No galvanized metal.*

**APPLIANCES**

See Clothing & Household Items  
See Nonferrous Metals



**ART SUPPLIES**

**Covenant House**

611 N. Rampart Street  
504-584-1100

Monday-Friday 9:00am-5:00pm

*Any art supplies in good condition.*

**Recycle for the Arts / The Green Project**

[www.thegreenproject.org](http://www.thegreenproject.org)

2831 Marais St.

504-945-0240

Tuesday- Saturday 9:00am-4:00pm

*Any art supplies in good condition. Paint, housing materials, used and new lumber, plywood, doors, windows, tools, masonry, plumbing fixtures, electrical fixtures, cabinets, electronics, and hardware. Accepts recyclables: steel and aluminum cans, paper, cardboard, and newspaper. Accepts the following items for Garden and Nursery: plants, plant cuttings, seeds, compostable materials, and garden tools.*

See Clothing & Household Items



## **AUTOMOBILES**

### **American Cancer Society**

Cars for Cure

1-888-227-5500

Monday-Friday 7:00am-7:00pm

*Accepts cars*

### **Bridge House Used Car Lot**

1160 Camp Street

504-598-3355

Monday-Friday 8:00am-4:30pm for drop-off. Pick-ups available as needed.

*Accepts cars as well as clothing and household items. Does not accept mattresses.*

### **Car Crushers, Inc.**

10301 Old Gentilly Rd.

504-242-1265

Monday-Friday 8:00am-2:00pm

*Accepts titled, used cars.*

### **Coleman's Auto Body Shop**

8160 Old Gentilly Road

504-245-1123

Monday-Friday 8:00am-5:00pm

*Buys back junk cars*

### **Jack & Nookie Used Auto Parts**

1624 Huey P Long Ave

Gretna, LA 70053

504-362-1163

*Accepts used auto parts and used cars.*

### **Mac's Wrecking Yard**

10519 Airline Hwy., St. Rose

(504) 468-3690

*Will tow away a car or truck at no cost, and dispose of fluids, batteries and tires. Owner must provide the keys and title of the vehicle.*

### **National Kidney Foundation of Louisiana**

1-800-488-2277

Drop off or pick up available

*Accepts titled, fully assembled cars and trucks.*

**Volunteers of America**

www.voagno.org

504-525-2179

*Accepts donated cars, call for towing or pick-up*

**(LEAD ACID) BATTERIES**

An automobile lead acid battery contains 18 pounds of lead and a gallon of sulfuric acid, both hazardous materials.

**Jack & Nookie Used Auto Parts**

1624 Huey P Long Ave

Gretna, LA 70053

504-362-1163

*Accepts used auto parts and used cars.*

**Wal-Mart**

Various locations

Accepts batteries and tires



**BATTERIES**

NiCad batteries are rechargeable and used in hand held vacuum cleaners, some electric razors, flashlights, and power tools. They are less wasteful than conventional alkaline batteries because they can be charged hundred of times. But when they are spent, the cadmium in the batteries can cause environmental problems. Long-term exposure to cadmium poses a risk of kidney damage.

**Black and Decker**

1401 Distributers Rd., Suite A

Harahan, LA

504-733-0752

Monday-Friday 7:30am-5:00pm

*Accepts only nickel cadmium batteries from Black and Decker small power tools. Please place battery in plastic bag before sending or dropping off.*

**Interstate Batteries of the Crescent City**

201 David Drive

Metairie, LA  
504-734-7500  
*Used batteries.*

**Lamp Environmental Industries, Inc.**

Hammond, LA  
985-878-8210  
Monday-Friday 8:00am-5:00pm  
www.lei-inc.net

*LEI, Inc. accepts all types of batteries in compliance to the Universal Waste Rule and EPA regulations. Also provides customers with container rental or purchase and transportation services.*

**Wholesale Battery Co., Inc.**

2401 Connecticut  
Kenner, LA  
504-467-6986  
*Accepts batteries*



**BICYCLES**

**Plan B**

<http://planb.bikeproject.org/>  
511 Marigny Street  
504-944-0366

Monday 2:00pm-6:00pm, Tuesday 2:00pm-6:00pm (ladies night), Thursday 4:00pm-8:00pm,  
Saturday 2:00pm-6:00pm

*Accepts used and new bikes, bike parts, and bike tools. Sells rebuilt bikes, bike parts, and provides workspace and tools for public use.*



**BOOKS**

**Acadian Books & Art Prints**

714 Orleans Avenue  
504-523-4138  
Monday-Saturday 10:30am-5:30pm

*Call before coming*

**Books 2 Prisoners**

Drop-off at Iron Rail Books Collective

511 Marigny St.

504-944-0366

books2prisoners@riseup.net

Monday-Sunday 1:00pm-7:00pm (indicate the donations are for B2P and not for the library).

*Accepts all books with a focus on books and texts by people of color and feminist revolutionaries, fiction-writers, and historians. In addition, they accept dictionaries, GED guidance, self-help, health, art, trade-fiction, and anarchist/Marxist/leftist theory.*

**New Orleans Public Library**

www.nutrias.org

219 Loyola Avenue

504-529-7323

Monday-Friday 9:00am-5:00pm

*Accepts books in good condition, please read directions on website first.*

**New Orleans Symphony Book Fair**

8605 Oak Street

504-861-2004

Tuesday and Friday 10:00am-2:00pm

*Accepts records, CD's, tapes, musical instruments, sheet music, framed and unframed art, recent text books, books in good condition*

## **BUILDING MATERIALS**

Construction and demolition debris make up 15% of all landfill materials.

**Carrollton Lumber and Wrecking Co.**

2938 Leonidas Street

504-861-3681

Monday-Friday 8:00am-1:00pm

*Must have a valid LA driver's license to donate*

**The Green Project**

www.thegreenproject.org

2831 Marais St.

504-945-0240

Tuesday- Saturday 9:00am-4:00pm

*Art supplies, paint, housing materials, used and new lumber, plywood, doors, windows, tools, masonry, plumbing fixtures, electrical fixtures, cabinets, electronics, and hardware. Accepts recyclables: steel and aluminum cans, paper, cardboard, and newspaper. Accepts the following items for Garden and Nursery: plants, plant cuttings, seeds, compostable materials, and garden tools.*

**Kranz Enterprises**

www.kranzrecoveredwoods.com

504-838-6852

Monday-Friday 8:00am-5:00pm

*Picks up and pays salvage value for large quantities of demolition lumber from pre-1930s structures, especially old cypress and pine.*

**Riverside Recycling and Disposal**

11266 Belle Chasse Highway, Belle Chasse

(504) 656-2232

Monday – Friday 7:00am–4:30pm, Saturday 7:00am – Noon

*Accepts non-hazardous construction debris. No hazardous debris.*

**CARDBOARD**

**Legacy Project Office Recycling**

246 St. George Ave.

504-865-7220

*Pick-Up Service for white paper, mixed paper, sorted office paper, aluminum, corrugated cardboard, and shredding.*

**SP Recycling**

246 St. George Ave.

504-733-1954

Monday-Friday 7:00am-3:00pm

*Accepts cardboard, coated paper, magazines, newspaper, and office paper. Accepts large quantities of corrugated cardboard from businesses*



**CELL PHONES**

**Cell for Cash.com**

4551 NW 44th Ave

Ocala FL, 34482

[www.cellforcash.com/Main/phones.asp](http://www.cellforcash.com/Main/phones.asp)

*Accepts cell phones via mail to resell. Obtain a shipping label on the website.*

**GRC Wireless Recycling**

11551 Interchange Circle South

Miramar, FL 33025

[www.grcrecycling.com/programs/donate-cell-phones/index.cfm#](http://www.grcrecycling.com/programs/donate-cell-phones/index.cfm#)

*Accepts cell phones via mail to resell. Does not accept chargers.*

**The Green Project**

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Tuesday- Saturday 9:00am-4:00pm

[www.thegreenproject.org](http://www.thegreenproject.org)

*Cell phones, Mardi Gras beads, art supplies, paint, housing materials, used and new lumber, plywood, doors, windows, tools, masonry, plumbing fixtures, electrical fixtures, cabinets, electronics, and hardware. Accepts recyclables: steel and aluminum cans, paper, cardboard, and newspaper. Accepts the following items for Garden and Nursery: plants, plant cuttings, seeds, compostable materials, and garden tools.*

**Whole Foods**

5600 Magazine St.

504-899-9210

*Accepts used cell phones as well as plastic shopping bags.*



**CHRISTMAS TREES**

**Jefferson Parish Environmental & Development Control Department**

**Christmas Tree Marsh Restoration Project**

1221 Elmwood Park Boulevard Suite 703

Harahan LA 70123

504-736-6440

[www.jeffparish.net/index.cfm?DocID=1089](http://www.jeffparish.net/index.cfm?DocID=1089)

*Accepts Christmas Trees during regular curbside pick-up in Jefferson Parish. Call for information on drop-off donations.*

## CLOTHING & HOUSEHOLD ITEMS

### **All Saints Thrift Store**

908 N. Columbia St.

Covington, LA

985-892-5282

Monday-Saturday 9:00am-2:00pm

*Accepts items in good condition that are immediately reusable*

### **BloominDeals (Junior League Thrift Store Shop of New Orleans)**

4645 Freret Street

504-891-1289

Open Tuesday-Saturday 10:00am-5:00pm, Sunday 12:30pm-4:30pm

Accepts donations on Tuesday 10:00am-4:00pm

*Does not accept baby items.*

### **Bridge House Thrift Store**

[www.bridgehouse.org](http://www.bridgehouse.org)

1160 Camp Street

504-522-4475 ex.17 for drop-off

Monday-Saturday 10:00am-4:00pm

*Does not accept mattresses. Pick up available, must call first. Accepts cars.*

Jefferson Plaza Shopping Center

2724 Jefferson Highway

504-830-4596

Monday-Saturday 10:00am-4:00pm

### **Covenant House**

611 N. Rampart Street

504-584-1100

Monday-Friday 9:00am-5:00pm

*Accepts all clothing, toys and household items, including appliances and mattresses, in good condition.*

### **Goodwill Industries**

4021 Behrman Highway

Algiers, LA

504-362-2334

Monday-Friday 9:00am-8:00pm

*Does not accept appliances or mattresses.*

9323 Jefferson Highway

River Ridge, LA

504-737-7838

Monday-Friday 9:00am-6:00pm, Saturday 9:00am-6:00pm, Sunday 12:00pm-5:00pm

1000 Highway 190

Covington, LA

985-892-3937

Monday-Saturday, 9:00am – 4:00pm. Drop-off at back door.

*Accepts items in good, clean, reusable condition, including miscellaneous clothes, furniture, and small appliances*

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### **Red, White, and Blue Thrift Store**

6001 Jefferson Highway

504-733-8066

Open Monday-Saturday 9:00am-6:00pm.

Accepts donations until 4:00pm daily.

*Accepts all items except major appliances*

### **Samuel J. Green Charter School**

2319 Valance St.

504-304-3532

*Call first.*

### **Tip Top Shoe Repair**

1027 Iberville Street

504-522-5740

Monday-Friday 9:00am-5:00pm, Saturday 10:00am-3:00pm

*Accepts shoes in good condition*

### **[www.freecycle.org](http://www.freecycle.org)**

A worldwide website for posting free items. Puts items people don't need in touch with those who do.

**[www.redstickfree.com](http://www.redstickfree.com)**

The Baton Rouge freecycle website.

**<http://neworleans.craigslist.org/>**

The New Orleans division of a national website for posting items for free and for sale including clothing, household items, appliances, and cars.

**[www.recycle.net](http://www.recycle.net)**

A worldwide website for posting items to buy, sell, or trade.

## COMPOST

Composting is an ecological way of recycling organic waste and creates a rich organic matter with a good earthy smell. By making your own compost, you send less waste to the landfill. Twenty five percent of America's municipal waste is yard waste.

**Maintenance:** The pile should shrink to half its size and be ready in 3 to 6 months. Piles should be turned monthly and more often in warm weather. The microorganisms, fungi and bacteria, break down the organic waste and temperatures will reach 130-160 degrees Fahrenheit in the center of the pile. The pile should be moist, but not soggy by adding water.

**Hints:** Food should be put in the center of the pile and covered. The smaller the pieces of material in the pile, the faster the composing process will occur. Do not use pesticides in your garden if you plan to compost.

**What can be composted?** Organic kitchen garbage such as apple cores and banana peels, most types of yard waste, sawdust, shredded newspaper, coffee grounds with filters, tea bags, vacuum cleaner lint, wool and cotton rags, fireplace ashes, hair from brushes, and cardboard rolls from toilet paper.

**What cannot be composted?** Grease, fat, meat scraps, dairy foods, bones, oil, wood, and twigs.

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*Drop compostable material in backyard. Bin construction materials and information available.*

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## COMPUTERS

### **Capital Area Corporate Recycling Council**

800 Saint Philip St.

Baton Rouge, LA 70802

<http://www.cacrc.com>

Monday-Friday 8:30 am - 4:00pm

*Drop-offs of electronic waste from individuals and businesses are welcome at their Baton Rouge warehouse. Pick-up service available for businesses, industry, and agencies.*

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2831 Marais St.

504-945-0240

[www.thegreenproject.org](http://www.thegreenproject.org)

Tuesday- Saturday 9:00am-4:00pm

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### **Lamp Environmental Industries, Inc.**

Hammond, LA

985-878-8210

[www.lei-inc.net](http://www.lei-inc.net)

*Along with accepting computer waste, LEI also accepts and recycles a broad range of other electronic waste. Can provide customers with transportation services.*

### **Technology Exchange**

47108 Conrad E. Anderson St

Hammond, LA 70401

985-340-0060

<http://www.technology-exchange.net/>

*Provides computer recycling and remarketing service to business clients, including hard drive shredding and wipes for equipment with confidential data.*



## **JUNK MAIL**

To stop junk mail from coming to your house or business write to:

### **Mail Preference Service**

Direct Marketing Association  
P.O. Box 9008  
Farmingdale, NY 11735-9008

Request that your name be taken off all mailing lists. Provide your name, address and ZIP code, including all spelling variations and all members of your household. You may have to resend your letter every six months. This should cover about 75% of the junk mail.

In addition, whenever you order from a catalog or get a subscription, request that the not sell or loan out your name.

If a piece of junk mail says “Return Postage guaranteed” or “Address Correction Requested” under the return address or is first class mail, you can write “REFUSED. Return to sender” on the piece and drop it back in the mailbox.

## **LASER PRINTER CARTRIDGES**

You can refill your toner cartridge from three to seven times at about half the price of buying a new cartridge. The quality of prints from recharged cartridges are as good or even better than those from a new cartridge.

### **Office Max**

www.officemax.com  
1000 S. Clearview Pkwy  
Jefferson, LA  
504-736-0215  
Monday-Friday 8:00am-9:00pm, Saturday 9:00am-7:00pm, Sunday 11:00am-6:00pm  
*Collects the cartridges and sends them to a recycling company*

### **Total Laser Care**

www.totallasercare.com  
2816 Hessmer Avenue, Suite B, Metairie  
504-889-1349  
Monday to Friday 9:00am-5:00pm  
*Pick up available. Accept used cartridges, but you can also refill them and get used ones*



## LIGHT BULBS

### **Lamp Environmental Industries, Inc.**

Hammond, LA

985-878-8210

[www.lei-inc.net](http://www.lei-inc.net)

*Along with recycling a variety of light bulbs, LEI also recycles other mercury waste items. Can provide customers with transportation, and container rental or purchase.*

## MAGAZINES

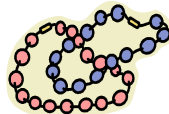
### **SP Recycling**

246 St. George Ave.

504-733-1954

Monday-Friday 7:00am-3:00pm

*Accepts cardboard, coated paper, magazines, newspaper, office paper*



## MARDI GRAS BEADS

Mardi Gras beads can be repackaged and sold for profit.

### **The ARC and The Sierra Club**

5700 Loyola Ave.

Monday-Friday 8:00am-4:00pm

Jane Wilson at The Arc 504-897-0134, [jwilson9189@juno.com](mailto:jwilson9189@juno.com)

Vance Levesque at The Sierra Club 504-416-8710, [arcontroller@bellsouth.net](mailto:arcontroller@bellsouth.net)

### **Magnolia School**

100 Central Avenue

504-733-2874 or 504-731-1306

Monday to Friday 8:00am-5:00pm

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[www.thegreenproject.org](http://www.thegreenproject.org)

*Mardi Gras beads, art supplies, paint, housing materials, used and new lumber, plywood, doors, windows, tools, masonry, plumbing fixtures, electrical fixtures, cabinets, electronics, and hardware. Accepts recyclables: steel and aluminum cans, paper, cardboard, and newspaper. Accepts the following items for Garden and Nursery: plants, plant cuttings, seeds, compostable materials, and garden tools.*

**Strive Center of the Sophie Gumbel Guild**

1139 Napoleon Avenue

504-895-2557

Monday-Friday 8:00am-4:00pm

**Wolfe Center**

5700 Loyola Ave.

504-897-0134

Monday to Friday 8:00am-3:00pm

## MEDICAL EQUIPMENT

**Easter Seals**

305 Baronne St., Suite 401

504-523-7325

Monday-Friday 8:00am-4:30pm

*Accepts medical equipment and supplies such as wheelchairs, walkers, and bath seats. Does not accept hospital beds. Please call in advance to verify acceptance of donation.*

## METAL

See Nonferrous Metal

## NEWSPAPERS

Newspaper makes up 18% of the material in our landfills and does not biodegrade. Many newspapers are still readable 40 years later.

**Duncan Recycling Company**

504-861-1951

*Pick up of large quantities of newspaper from businesses, offices or schools.*

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246 St. George Ave.

504-733-1954

Monday-Friday 7:00am-3:00pm

*Accepts cardboard, coated paper, magazines, newspaper, and office paper. SP Recycling also operates red and green drop-off bins for newspaper recycling that are located throughout the area at churches and schools. Please contact SP Recycling at 733-1954 for a location near you.*

**NONFERROUS METAL**

Nonferrous items include items made out of tin, brass, copper, metal, nickel and aluminum.

**AAA Recycling, Inc.**

11658 Chef Menteur Hwy.

504-246-7292

*Nonferrous metals*

**All Scrap Metals, LLC**

7 Veterans Memorial Blvd., Kenner

504-471-0241

Monday – Friday 8:00am – 4:00pm, Saturday 8:00am – 1:00pm

*Aluminum cans, clean metal/tin food cans with labels removed.*

**Airline Salvage**

6900 Airline Dr., Metairie

504-737-1100

Monday-Tuesday 8:30am-11:45am and 1:00pm-4:00pm, Thursday-Friday 8:30am-11:45am and 1:00pm-4:00pm, Saturday 8:30am-12:00pm

*Aluminum, copper, and brass only.*

**Southern Scrap Material Company**

4801 Florida Avenue

504- 942-0340

Monday to Friday 7:30am-4:00pm

*Accepts large items*

2525 Lafitte Street

504-822-5561

Monday to Friday 8:00am-3:30pm

*Accepts intermediate size items. Buy back ferrous and nonferrous materials*

### **Uptown Recycling**

[www.uptownrecycling.com](http://www.uptownrecycling.com)

1320 South Claiborne

504-523-8485

Monday-Friday 8:00am-4:00pm, Saturday 8:00am-1:00pm

*Pick up available for large amounts of items. Buy back ferrous and nonferrous materials*



Used oil is the largest single source of pollution (over 40%) in our nation's waterways. Used oil from a single oil change can ruin a million gallons of fresh water, a year's supply for 50 people. If you change your own oil, you can drop off your used oil at the following locations. Used a clean, leak proof container and do not mix with other liquids.

### **5-Minute Oil Change**

2124 Clearview Parkway

Metairie, LA

504-456-2377

*Waste oil only*

### **Auto Zone**

[www.autozone.com](http://www.autozone.com)

1531 Elysian Fields Avenue

504-948-3600

7 days a week, 7:30am-8:00pm

8200 Earhart Blvd.

504-866-5580

4830 General Meyer Avenue

504-392-7090

649 North Broad Street

504-488-2443

**Pep Boys**

www.pepboys.com

6638 Veterans Blvd

Metairie, LA

504-455-0281

Monday–Saturday 8:00am-9:00pm, Saturday 8:00am-8:00pm, Sunday 9:00am-6:00pm

835 S. Clearview Pkwy

Jefferson, LA

504-733-7774

Monday-Friday 8:00am - 9:00pm, Saturday 8:00am-8:00pm, Sunday 9:00am-6:00pm

1100 Behrman Hwy.

504-391-0200

Monday-Friday 8:00am - 9:00pm, Saturday 8:00am-8:00pm, Sunday 9:00am-6:00pm

**Rapid Oil Change**

3550 I-10 Service Road

Metairie, LA

504-836-2105

*Waste oil only*

3100 W. Esplanade

Metairie, LA

504-831-5823

*Waste oil only*

**Safeway Lube**

2333 East LA Hwy 46

St. Bernard, LA

504-682-1909

*Used oil and paints*

**Speedee Oil Change**

www.speedeeoil.com

1735 St. Charles Avenue

504-523-3237

Monday-Saturday 8:00am-4:00pm

3333 S. Carrolton Ave.

504-482-7002

Monday-Saturday 8:00am-4:00pm

2601 Esplanade Avenue

504-945-9968

Monday-Friday 8:00am-6:00pm, Saturday 8:00am-5:00pm

4456 Chef Menteur Hwy.  
504-943-7604  
Monday-Friday 8:00am-5:00pm

## OIL FILTERS

Drain filters for at least 12 hours and recycle excess oil.

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Metairie, LA  
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## PAINT

To dispose of unopened oil-based paint, remove lid, place in well-ventilated area (preferably outside) which children and pets cannot reach, add kitty litter or oil absorbent, let dry then replace lid and place can in the trash.

### **The Green Project**

[www.thegreenproject.org](http://www.thegreenproject.org)  
2831 Marais St.  
504-945-0240

Tuesday- Saturday 9:00am-4:00pm

*Accepts all latex (water based) paint and unopened oil-based paint and stains only. Also unused paint thinner, unopened caulk, paint stripper (good condition only).*

*Paint donors receive a voucher equivalent to the amount donated or a receipt that may be used for income tax deduction.*

*Art supplies, paint, housing materials, used and new lumber, plywood, doors, windows, tools, masonry, plumbing fixtures, electrical fixtures, cabinets, electronics, and hardware. Accepts recyclables: steel and aluminum cans, paper, cardboard, and newspaper. Accepts the following items for Garden and Nursery: plants, plant cuttings, seeds, compostable materials, and garden tools.*

**Safeway Lube**

2333 East LA Hwy 46

St. Bernard, LA

504-682-1909

*Used oil and paints*

**PAPER**

**Duncan Paper Company**

504- 861-1951

*Pick up service for newspaper and office paper.*

**Legacy Project Office Recycling**

504-865-7220

*Pick-Up Service for white paper, mixed paper, sorted office paper, aluminum, cardboard, and shredding.*

**SP Recycling**

246 St. George Ave.

504-733-1954

Monday -Saturday 7:00am-3:00pm

*Accepts corrugated cardboard, newspapers, magazines, and office paper*

**PLASTIC**

No locations at this time.

**PLASTIC GROCERY BAGS**

Several area grocery stores accept clean, dry bags that have been turned inside out. Give your grocery store a call if you would like to know whether or not they recycle plastic bags.

**Whole Foods**

5600 Magazine St.

504-899-9119

Monday-Saturday 9:00am-9:00pm, Sunday 9:00am-8:00pm

*Accepts plastic shopping bags as well as used cell phones.*

**Winn Dixie**  
Various locations



## **PROPANE CYLINDERS**

**AmeriGas**  
107 Iris Avenue  
Jefferson, LA  
504-835-0765  
*Will take for \$5 fee*

**Gaspard's Propane Inc.**  
2205 Pallet St.  
Harvey, LA  
504-366-8848  
*Will take for \$10 fee*

**Harry's Ace Hardware**  
[www.harrysacehardware.com](http://www.harrysacehardware.com)  
4817 General Meyer Avenue  
504-896-1520  
*Will take for a \$10 fee*

## **SHOES**

See Clothing & Household Items

## **SPORTING GOODS**

See Clothing & Household Items

## **STEEL**

See Ferrous Metals

## **“STYROFOAM” POLYSTYRENE PEANUTS**

Keep some to reuse when you need to send a package. Otherwise, you can bring your peanuts to these outlets.

### **French Quarter Postal Emporium**

1000 Bourbon Street

504-525-6651

Monday to Friday 9:00am-6:00pm

[www.frenchquarterpostal.com](http://www.frenchquarterpostal.com)

*Also accepts shredded paper*

### **Mail Boxes, Etc.**

141 Robert E. Lee Blvd.

504-283-1212

### **Parcels and Post**

5721 Magazine Street

504-891-8402

Monday to Friday 9:00am-6:00pm, Saturday 9:00am-4:00pm

### **Royal Mail Services**

828 Royal St.

504-522-8523

Monday to Friday 9:00am-5:00pm, Saturday 10:00am-4:00pm

*Pick up available for large quantities. Accepts all packaging materials including pieces of Styrofoam, shredded paper, and boxes.*

## **TELEPHONE BOOKS**

No locations at this time.

### **TIN**

See Nonferrous Metals

### **TIRES**

No locations at this time.

### **TOYS**

See Clothing & Household Items

## **WEBSITES (REFERENCES)**

### **[www.freecycle.org](http://www.freecycle.org)**

A worldwide website for posting free items. Puts items people don't need in touch with those who do.

### **[www.redstickfree.com](http://www.redstickfree.com)**

The Baton Rouge freecycle website.

### **<http://neworleans.craigslist.org/>**

The New Orleans division of a national website for posting items for free and for sale including clothing, household items, appliances, and cars.

### **[www.recycle.net](http://www.recycle.net)**

A worldwide website for posting items to buy, sell, or trade.



## **WOODEN PALLETS**

### **Accurate Pallet Repairing**

925 Taft Park

Metairie, LA

504-835-6711

Monday to Friday 7:00am-4:00pm