



The Gallatin Solid Waste Management District accepts e-waste from Households or Commercial enterprises year-round at the Logan Landfill the fee is \$27 per Ton, with a minimum of \$5.00. For more information please call:

582-2493

E-Waste Accepted

- Computer Towers
- Laptops
- Monitors
- Printers
- TV's
- Stereo Equipment
- VCRs
- Copiers
- Keyboards
- Mice
- Rechargeable Batteries
- Cell Phones
- Handheld Electronics

Items Not Accepted

- Big Projection TVs
- Microwaves
- Refrigerators
- Kitchen or Bathroom Appliances
- Large Commercial Copiers

Other Locations to Drop off

E-Waste

Computers and Accessories

- Electronics Recycling of Montana
- Staples
- Office Depot

Cell Phones

- Longfellow Elementary
- City of Bozeman
- Simply Sellular
- Staples
- Cellular Plus
- Bozeman Convenience Site
- Logan Landfill

Rechargeable Batteries

- Batteries Plus
- Battery Solutions
- Belgrade True Value
- Gallatin Wireless
- Home Depot
- J&S Electronics
- Kenyon Noble
- Radio Shack
- Lowe's



E-Waste Processor

E-Waste is recycled through UNICOR. UNICOR's goal is to be a responsible steward of the environment by ensuring their recycling operations meet all national standards.

UNICOR's unique, full service recycling program is an integrated part of a national e-scrap solution. UNICOR's commitment to the environment extends to its vendors, who are required to sign no-landfill certifications, follow a restrictive export policy, and agree to site inspections.

With nationwide locations and approximately 950 highly trained workers, UNICOR offers exceptional value and competitive pricing. UNICOR provides recycling activities to federal, state, and local governments, schools, non-profit organizations and private industry while protecting the environment.

Through ISO Certification processes, UNICOR's operational procedures comply with all laws and regulations, demonstrate commitment to pollution prevention, are environmentally sound and conserve resources.

<http://www.unicor.gov/recycling/>

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What is E-Waste?

Electronic waste, or e-waste, is loosely applied to consumer and business electronic equipment that is near or at the end of its useful life. The amount of old electronics that are discarded every year is rapidly increasing. With lower prices and rapidly changing technology, computers, phones and TVs now have very short life spans.

Is "E-Waste" clearly defined?

There is no clear definition for e-waste; for instance whether or not items like microwave ovens and other similar appliances should be grouped into the category has not been established. A large variety of electronic equipment such as floppy drives, fans, PC boards, power supplies, telecom, adapters, cellular phones, hard drives, and monitors, etc. are defined as e-waste.

Is "E-Waste" considered hazardous?

Certain components of electronic products may contain hazardous materials such as lead, mercury, and cadmium, depending on their condition and density.

Why Recycle Electronics?

Electronics contain valuable metals and components that can be used again in another manufacturing process.

Cadmium, hexavalent chromium, mercury, chromium, barium, beryllium and brominated flame-retardant materials are components that can pollute water and air resources without proper disposal or recycling.

One of the fastest growing [hazardous] waste streams is e-waste such as computers, television sets and mobile cell phones.

Electronic waste is a direct consequence of our ongoing desire to communicate from anywhere, connect more often and compute from home, office or on the road. Add an increasing demand for electronic gaming, higher definition televisions or smart cars and the result is a catastrophic accumulation of e-waste, now and into the future. An ongoing effort to address this exponentially growing problem is essential.



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