

FREE Responsible Recycling Event

Saturday, May 18, 2019

9:30 AM—12:30 PM

Louisville Water Tower Park,
3005 River Road

Recycling Vendors:



Visit www.louisvilleky.gov/district9 for more information, or contact Kyle Ethridge at 574-3908 or email kyle.ethridge@louisvilleky.gov

Clean out your house and drop off these items for **RECYCLING for FREE:**

(This event is not for businesses)

- **BATTERIES** - Rechargeable ONLY.
- **BOOKS** - Friends of the Library will be onsite to collect GENTLY used books (hardbacks & paperbacks, NO magazines).
- **COMPUTERS & ELECTRONICS** - Genie Recycling will be on-site collecting monitors, terminals, computer towers, laptops, printers, copiers, fax machines, scanners, keyboard/mice, cables & wires, phones, iPads, small electronics, VHS/DVD players, stereo, etc.
- **DRUG DISPOSAL** - LMPD will be onsite for safe collection of unused and expired medications.
- **HANDHELD ELECTRONICS** - cell phones, cell phone accessories, iPods, tablets, MP3 players.
- **SHOES** - WaterStep will be on-site collecting new and gently used shoes. Must be dry and free of mold
- **SHREDDING** - All Shred will be on-site to securely shred paper documents ONLY. *Please put documents in paper bags for shredding.*
- **USED COOKING OIL** - OilTech will be collecting used cooking oil. Oil must be free of food particles.

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Please consider recycling your Computers and Electronics with Genie Recycling. They provide Environmental and Privacy Compliance to many Fortune 500 companies; local, state, and federal agencies; and hundreds of small and medium businesses.

Materials Accepted For Recycling

Monitors

Terminals

Computers (towers)

Servers

Small Electronics (phones, charges, iPod, etc.)

Laptops

Printers

Copiers

Fax Machines

Scanners

Keyboards/Mice

Cables

Retiring Medical Equipment

Cable & Wire

UPS

Rechargeable Batteries

VHS/DVD players

LMPD Drug Disposal

Medication products should **NEVER** be flushed down the toilet or drain, burned in the open or thrown in the trash because:

- They can contaminate the environment if they get into the drinking and ground water.
- They may kill bacteria or produce drug resistance bacteria in sewage treatment plants and septic systems if flushed down the drain.
- Burning can release toxic pollutants into the air.
- They can be scavenged from your trash receptacles to be illegally used or sold.
- They can be taken mistakenly and cause serious health problems.

Here are some of the items the Expired Drug Toss organizers are encouraging residents to bring in:

***Expired or unused medications**

***Bulk or loose tablets and capsules**

*** Medications that should have been kept cold but were not**

Items NOT accepted at Drug Toss Events:

***Used or unused sharps, hypodermic needles & lances**

***Cosmetics, personal care or hygiene items**

Due to the volume of drugs brought to our sites, we ask that immediately before bringing your medications to one of our sites, place all tablets and capsules into a zip-lock bag. Vials (with personal information marked out) should be placed into another bag/container. Also, place bottled liquids and tubes of medication into separate bags.

This will help us process everything more quickly.

For the safety of your family, please keep all medications, properly closed in their original child- resistant containers and transfer to bags immediately prior to your visit.

****NO CLINICS, MEDICAL OFFICES or PHARMACIES PLEASE****

Representatives from Louisville Metro Police will be on hand to make sure all products will be safely collected and properly disposed according to EPA standards.