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Area Residents who are speech or hearing impaired
or wish to
arrange for alternative formats may contact the
Recycling Dept. through the
Following Toll-Free
Relay Missouri Numbers:

VOICE 1-800-735-2466
TTY 1-800-735-2966
City of Joplin TTY
(417) 625-4774



**You Can Recycle Today for
Our Children's Tomorrow
at the Joplin Recycling Center**

Need a speaker for your meeting, group, organization
or classroom?

Contact the
City of Joplin Recycling Coordinator *and*
Storm Water Education Manager
at 624-0820 Ext. 501

**City of Joplin Recycling Dept.
(417) 624-0820 Ext. 501**

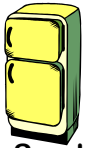




ANTIFREEZE (5 Gal. Max. per person)

Your local service station might take old antifreeze.

Lube-N-Oil 20th & Range Line 624-5343



APPLIANCES

Compressors can be recycled, but must be removed before delivery to a scrap metal facility. Call ahead for details.

Small & Large Appliances-must be useable:

Crosslines Churches 782-8384

Salvation Army 624-2033

Commercial Metals-any condition 781-7560

Missouri Metal Recycling-any condition 673-3232



----- BATTERIES -----

Auto, Truck, Marine, Motorcycle LEAD ACID
Check with your local garage or battery dealer

American Battery-215 Joplin 623-4180

Battery Outfitters-3431 E. 7th Street 624-2421

Commercial Metal - 12th & Iowa 781-7560

Missouri Metal Recycling-Webb City 673-3232

Interstate Batteries-816 Minnesota 623-5665

All Wal-Mart stores



- Nickel Cadmium (Ni-Cd) BATTERIES -

Battery Outfitters-3431 E. 7th Street 624-2421

Electric Motor Supply-2301 W. 20th Street 623-4544

Joplin R/C Hobbies-1900 S. Range Line 623-0011

Thompson Service-1623 S. Main 781-5030

Joplin Recycling Center-1310 W. A St. 624-0820

All Radio Shacks



Lithium Batteries & Nickel Metal Hydride

Battery Outfitters-3431 E. 7th Street 624-2421

Joplin Recycling Center-1310 W. A St. 624-0820



Button Type/Hearing Aid & Watch Battery

Turn them in at the same location in which you buy a new one.

BRUSH & LIMBS



Call your trash hauler to see if they can collect brush and limbs. Cut into 4 foot lengths and bundle. Other restrictions may apply. There may be a charge for large volumes.

B&D Yard Builders - tree limbs, brush, clean fill
cell phone 437-7506

Bulky Items Drop-Off Disposal Location



Joplin residents (with proper ID) can take their bulky items & brush to *American Disposal*, Galena, Kansas (Old Route 66)

Monday through Thursday and Saturday
8:00 AM to 2:00 PM (nominal charge)
(800) 962-3121



CANS

(Aluminum and Steel/Tin)

All cans should be rinsed and labels removed prior to recycling. Separate aluminum from steel/tin.

Missouri Metal Recycling-515 East Ware, Webb City 673-3232

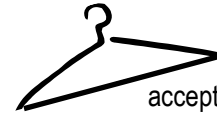
Aluminum Can Recycling Center -1071 Missouri 781-7560

Joplin Recycling Center-1310 West A Street
624-0820 Ext. 501



CHRISTMAS TREES

From Dec. 26 to Jan. 31, the City of Joplin establishes drop-off points at Cunningham Park, Humphreys Park, Fire House at 20th & Murphy Blvd., and the Public Works Center. For details, call the Recycling Dept. at 624-0820 Ext. 501.



CLOTHES HANGERS

Inquire at your local cleaners, most accept metal clothes hangers, that are in good condition, for reuse - or recycle at...

Joplin Recycling Center-1310 West A St. 624-0820



Corrugated Cardboard & Paperboard

For commercial and residential

Midwest Fibre (800) 825-1976

Joplin Waste Paper-3178 N. Kentucky 624-9779

Joplin Recycling Center-1310 W A St 624-0820 Ext. 501



COMPOSTING

You can dispose of many items such as grass clippings, leaves, and even non-dairy and non-meat food scraps via a backyard compost bin. This will help reduce waste going to the landfills and will create a rich garden and lawn fertilizer or soil amendment.

For a detailed instruction guide on backyard composting, contact the City of Joplin Recycling Department 624-0820 Ext. 501



CONSTRUCTION AND DEMOLITION DEBRIS

(Shingles, Sheetrock, Wood, Concrete)

On-site dumpsters are available through local commercial waste haulers listed in this guide. The following are drop-off disposal locations. You must haul to them.

B-3 Construction Landfill-Scammon, KS (620) 479-2323

Waste Corp.- 3700 West 7th St. 623-6620

B&D Yard Builders cell phone 437-7506

American Disposal-Old Route 66, Galena, KS
(800) 431-1507



Eyeglasses & Hearing Aids

(Prescription Glasses Only)

Your local Optician, Ophthalmologist, and Optometrist collect eyeglasses for various worldwide charities.

Lenscrafters — Northpark Mall 782-9010

*Joplin Host Lions — 1827 South Wall 623-6129

* eyeglasses and hearing aids



FREON

(Automotive Freon Only)

Air & Sound — 1212 Joplin Avenue 623-0515

FLUORESCENT LAMPS & BALLASTS



(Call for details)

HTR, Inc.-Lake Ozark, MO (888) 537-4874



GLASS CONTAINERS

(All colors)

NO pottery, ceramics, drinking glasses, window glass, auto glass, light bulbs, laboratory glass or ovenware. Remove lids from glass containers. Metal lids can be recycled with tin/steel cans.

Joplin Recycle Center - 1310 West A Street
624-0820 Ext. 501



GRASS CLIPPINGS & LEAVES

(No Limbs or Brush Permitted)

The Drop-Off is located at the
City of Joplin Public Works Center, 1301 West 2nd Street
624-0820 Ext. 564

OPEN ALL YEAR...24 HOURS A DAY



HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE

Call the City of Joplin Recycling Dept. for

Detailed Information 624-0820 Ext. 501



INK JET & TONER CARTRIDGES

LaserEquipment — 1012 Illinois	782-8444
Howsmon's — 501 South Main	623-7232
Office Depot — 3132 S. Range Line Road	206-2600
BIP Distributing—1823 E. 20 th St., Suite D	781-5706
Joplin Recycling Center—1310 W. A St.	624-0820



JUNK MAIL

Reduce some of the 3rd Class Mail you receive by writing to the Mail Preference Service requesting that your name be removed from national mailing lists.

Pre-printed request cards are available through the City of Joplin Recycling Dept. 624-0820 Ext. 501.

Mail Preference Service Direct Marketing Association
P O Box 9008, Farmingdale, NY 11735-9008

RECYCLE JUNK MAIL AT

Joplin Recycling Center — 1310 West A Street
624-0820 Ext. 501



LEAF PICKUP

(No Brush or Limbs Permitted)

The City of Joplin Street and Park Departments collect leaves from Joplin residents at curbside. The Fall Leaf

Collection normally begins the first Monday following Thanksgiving Day each year. Rake leaves to the curb, not in the street. Call the Recycling Dept. for more information 624-0820 Ext. 501.

(Note: Refer to "Grass" and "Composting" sections in this guide for more information.)



METAL



Aluminum Brass Copper Steel
Lead Zinc Tin Nickel

Missouri Metal Recycling — 515 E. Ware, Webb City	673-3232
Commercial Metals Co.— 12 th & Iowa	781-7560

BOOKS, MAGAZINES, CATALOGS & TELEPHONE BOOKS



Joplin Recycling Center
1310 West A Street 624-0820 Ext. 501



MOTOR OIL & TRANSMISSION FLUID (Used)

Restrictions apply, call ahead. Will not take empty containers. Do not mix anything with the oil or transmission fluid.

Lube-N-Oil	Range Line	624-5353
Lube-N-Oil	7th Street	623-5823
Walmart	Range Line	781-7005
Walmart	7th Street	206-4844

O'Reilly Auto Parts — all locations

Your local service station or garage may take used oil and/or transmission fluid.



NEWSPAPERS

Must be dry and in a paper sack or loose. No plastic bags.

Joplin Waste Paper-3178 N. Kentucky	624-9779
Joplin Recycling Center-1310 W. A St.	624-0820 Ext. 501
P. K. Insulation-2417 Davis Blvd.	781-6380

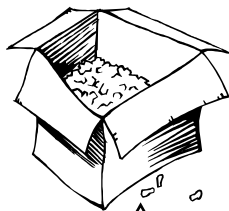


PAINT

Once latex paint has solidified, it can be discarded in the trash. To solidify, place cat litter or sawdust in can, stir and leave lid off to dry. Keep lids off for disposal. Free sawdust available at the Recycling Center.

(STYROFOAM) PACKING PEANUTS

Joplin Recycling Center
1310 West A Street
624-0820 Ext. 501



These pesky ↑ things!

PALLETS



Morgan Pallet of Carthage (417) 358-9447
Carthage Specialty Pallet (417) 358-1596
Industrial Crating (866) 449-2003
B&D Yard Builders cell phone 437-7506
Philip Bishop (417) 358-0798

PAPER (Office, Mixed)



Remove paperclips, staples, plastic inserts on envelopes. Call ahead for information on **document destruction*.

*P.K. Insulation-2417 Davis Blvd. 781-6380
*Midwest Fibre (800) 825-1976
Joplin Waste Paper-3178 N. Kentucky 624-9779
*Secure Shred 850-7284
Joplin Recycling Center-1310 W. A St.
624-0820 Ext. 501



PLASTIC BOTTLES & JUGS

All plastic containers have an identification code stamped on the bottom. Different types of plastic are identified by the number inside the "chasing arrows". In Joplin, #1 and #2 type plastic bottles, with necks, clear or colored (except brown), can be recycled. **Remove lids, rinse and flatten.** Containers that held toxins (drain cleaner, automotive fluids, etc.) will not be accepted.

Joplin Recycling Center-1310 West A Street
624-0820 Ext. 501



2 PLASTIC SHOPPING BAGS

Remove receipts and other debris,
must be dry.

Joplin Walmarts will accept only Walmart plastic bags
Accepting all #2 bags
Joplin Recycling Center-1310 W. A St. 624-0820 Ext 501



TIRES

There is a small charge for tire disposal at ...

Firestone — 221 North Range Line 781-2202
B-3 Construction Landfill-Scammon, KS (620) 479-2323
KB Recycling 782-6218
Other tire dealers can take used tires for a small disposal fee, call ahead.



TRASH HAULERS

Residential Garbage:

American Disposal (800) 431-1507
C & D Disposal (417) 642-5842
Jasper County Sanitation (417) 358-2608
*Spring River Sanitation (417) 359-9377
*Waste Corp. 623-6620

Commercial Garbage:

All of the above haulers, plus:

Jordan Haulers 624-1649
Page Trucking (888) 636-0492
Lloyd's Loads (620) 230-0009
B-3 Construction (620) 479-2323
State Line Sanitation (417) 226-3050
Wright's Disposal Roll-Off Service (417) 255-8449

*Offer Curbside Recycling, call ahead.



JOPLIN RECYCLING CENTER

1310 West A Street
Corner of A Street and Porter Avenue
On the north side of Public Works Center

**Items accepted ONLY when center is open,
attendant will be on duty.**

	APR - OCT	NOV - MAR
Tuesday	3 PM to 7 PM	2 PM to 6 PM
Wednesday	9 AM to 1 PM	9 AM to 1 PM
Thursday	3 PM to 7 PM	2 PM to 6 PM
Friday	9 AM to 1 PM	9 AM to 1 PM
Saturday	9 AM to 1 PM	9 AM to 1 PM

Accepting the following for recycling:

- ◇ Cardboard, Paperboard (Cereal Boxes, etc.)
- ◇ Newspapers (with slicks)
- ◇ Magazines, Catalogs, Telephone Books, Books, Junk Mail, Office Paper
- ◇ Plastic #1 and Plastic #2 Bottles and Jugs
- ◇ All colors of Glass Bottles and Jars
- ◇ Aluminum Cans and Tin/Steel Cans
- ◇ #2 Plastic Shopping Bags
- ◇ Styrofoam Packing Peanuts
- ◇ Ink Jet & Toner Cartridges
- ◇ Cellular Telephones & all Batteries except dry cell

Closed due to holidays on

Jan. 1, July 4, Nov. 27 & 28, and Dec. 25, 2003

Editor's Note:

The information in this guide is correct to the best of our knowledge, at the time of printing. Information is subject to change without notice.



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