



# Residential Waste & Recycling Guide

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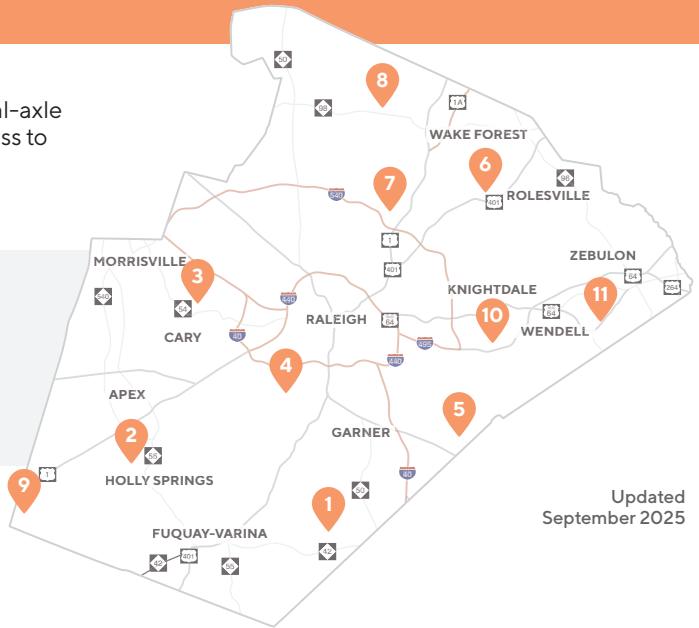
Apply at [wake.gov/recycling](http://wake.gov/recycling).

## Solid Waste Management Division

[wake.gov/recycling](http://wake.gov/recycling)

919-856-7400

← See reverse for acceptable items



Updated September 2025

### Convenience Centers 🕒 Daily, 7 a.m. – 7 p.m.

*Open to Wake County residents only*

Site 1	10505 Old Stage Rd.	Raleigh, 27603
Site 2 <span style="color: orange;">■</span>	6120 Old Smithfield Rd.	Apex, 27539
Site 3	266 Aviation Pkwy.	Morrisville, 27560
Site 4	3600 Yates Mill Pond Rd.	Raleigh, 27606
Site 5	8401 Battle Bridge Rd.	Raleigh, 27610
Site 6	3913 Lillie Liles Rd.	Wake Forest, 27587
Site 7 <span style="color: orange;">■</span>	9024 Deponie Dr.	Raleigh, 27614
Site 8	2001 Durham Rd./Hwy. 98	Wake Forest, 27587
Site 9	3337 New Hill-Holleman Rd.	New Hill, 27562
Site 10	5216 Knightdale-Eagle Rock Rd.	Knightdale, 27545
Site 11 <span style="color: orange;">■</span>	5051 Wendell Blvd./Business 64	Wendell, 27591

\*Check the capacity of waste containers at sites with ■ in real time at [wake.gov/Convenience](http://wake.gov/Convenience) before arriving.

### Multi-Material Recycling Facilities

*Open to Wake County residents & businesses*

Site 7 - North Wake	9029 Deponie Dr., Raleigh, 27614	<span style="color: orange;">🕒</span> Mon – Sat   8 a.m. – 4 p.m.
Site 2 - South Wake	6130 Old Smithfield Rd., Apex, 27539	<span style="color: orange;">🕒</span> Mon – Sat   8 a.m. – 4 p.m.
Site 11 - East Wake	5051 Wendell Blvd./Business 64, Wendell, 27591	<span style="color: orange;">🕒</span> Sat & Sun   8 a.m. – 4 p.m.

### Household Hazardous Waste Facilities

*Open to Wake County residents only*

Site 7 - North Wake	9037 Deponie Dr., Raleigh, 27614	<span style="color: orange;">🕒</span> Sat   8 a.m. – 4 p.m.
Site 2 - South Wake	6150 Old Smithfield Rd., Apex, 27539	<span style="color: orange;">🕒</span> Mon – Sat   8 a.m. – 4 p.m.
Site 11 - East Wake	5051 Wendell Blvd./Business 64, Wendell, 27591	<span style="color: orange;">🕒</span> Sat & Sun   8 a.m. – 4 p.m.

# ACCEPTABLE ITEMS

 = recycled  = disposed  = reused

Please note that the acceptable items may change.  
Check [wake.gov/recycling](https://wake.gov/recycling) for the most recent list of acceptable items.

	Convenience Centers	Multi-Material Recycling Facility	Household Hazardous Waste
<b>Appliances</b> (a/c, heater units, fridge, washer, dryer)			
<b>Automotive</b> (anti-freeze, motor oil, oil filters)			
<b>Batteries</b> (Tape terminals of lithium & lithium-ion batteries.)			
<b>Car seats</b>			
<b>Cardboard</b> (clean, flattened, all packing material removed)			
<b>Chemicals</b> (acids, bases, fertilizers, herbicides, pesticides, poisons)			
<b>Clothing, shoes &amp; books</b>			
<b>Cooking oil</b>			
<b>Construction debris</b> HOMEOWNER WASTE ONLY. No concrete or pavers. <i>Sites 1, 2, 4, 7, &amp; 11 only</i>			
<b>Discs &amp; tapes</b> (CD, Blu-ray, DVD, VHS)			
<b>Electronics</b> (any corded electronic device, cell phones) <i>Sites 1, 4 &amp; East Wake on weekends only</i>			
<b>Finishes</b> (lacquers, oil-based paints, spray paint, solvents, stains, thinners)			
<b>Fire extinguishers</b> (dry chemical)			
<b>Flammables</b> (gas, fuel oil, kerosene) No containers over 5 gallons.			
<b>Fluorescent light bulbs</b> (CFLs, bring bulbs in a box; NO LED) Limit: 12			
<b>Food scraps</b> (cooked meats, dairy, fruits, vegetables, eggs, baked goods, coffee grounds, pizza boxes, paper napkins, paper towels) Remove all food from packaging. <i>Sites 2, 4, &amp; 7 only</i>			
<b>Garbage</b> (household waste, furniture, bulky items under 8 feet long/wide)			
<b>Mattresses &amp; box springs</b> (2-mattress/box spring limit) <i>Sites 1, 2, 4, 7 &amp; 11 only.</i>			
<b>Mercury thermometers</b>			
<b>Mixed recycling</b> (metal food & drink cans; food & beverage cartons; glass bottles & jars; mixed paper; plastic bottles, tubs, jugs & jars) DON'T BAG RECYCLING. No shredded paper. No plastic bags. No Styrofoam.			
<b>Oyster shells</b>			
<b>Paint latex</b> (10-gallon limit, consolidate paint) No rusted or dried-out paint cans.			
<b>Propane tanks</b> (up to 20 lbs)			
<b>Scrap metal</b> (bikes, fixtures, frames, ladders, mixed metals, pipes, rims, sinks, grills, lawn mowers) Power equipment must be drained of gas & oil.			
<b>Tires</b> (rims removed, 5+ tires require NC Scrap Tire Form available at <a href="https://wake.gov/tires">wake.gov/tires</a> )			
<b>Wood palettes</b> (Limit: 10)			

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