

Other Locations to Drop Off Recyclables

Johnson County residents have many opportunities to recycle. Almost every community offers curbside collection of recyclables to single family households. In addition to the landfill drop-off, there are drop-off sites at the following locations:

East Side Recycling Center, 2401 Scott Blvd., Iowa City. Items Accepted: newspapers and mixed paper, corrugated cardboard, glass (clear, brown, green), #1 - #7 plastic containers, metal cans, magazines, chipboard (cereal boxes), phone books

City Carton Co., 3 E. Benton, Iowa City. Items Accepted: newspapers and mixed paper, corrugated cardboard, glass (clear, brown, green), #1 - #7 plastic containers, metal cans, magazines, chipboard (cereal boxes), phone books

Hy-Vee, 1201 N. Dodge, Iowa City. Items Accepted: newspapers and mixed paper, glass (clear, brown, green), #1 - #7 plastic containers, metal cans

Drugtown, 301 N. 1st Ave., Iowa City. Items Accepted: newspapers and mixed paper, #1 - #7 plastic containers

Eastdale Plaza, 1st Ave. & Lower Muscatine, Iowa City. Items Accepted: newspapers and mixed paper, #1 - #7 plastic containers



Compost

The Iowa City Landfill & Recycling Center sells bulk compost for \$10 per ton, or about 1.5 cubic yards. Landfill staff will load bulk sales; smaller quantities may be loaded by hand by the customer. (minimum charge: \$2)

When added to soil, compost improves the physical, chemical, and biological properties of the soil. Compost can be used as a soil supplement in:

- Flower beds
- Vegetable gardens
- Lawns
- Planting a new tree or shrub
- Seed starting mix

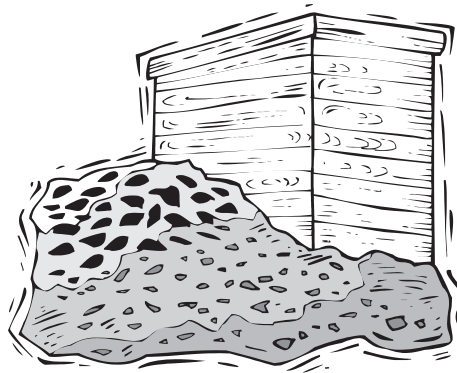
Add 1-2 inches of compost to the top 6-8 inches of topsoil and mix.

Compost can also be used as mulch which adds nutrients and improves soil structure.

Its main purpose is to help conserve moisture, prevent erosion and reduce weed growth.

For information about composting in your back yard, see:

"composting in Iowa City" at <http://www.icgov.org/garbage/landfill.htm>



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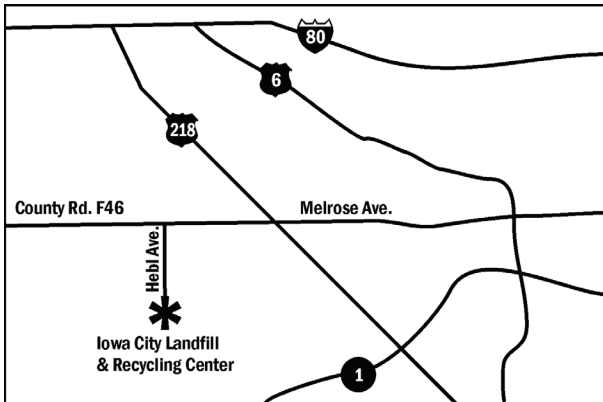
Iowa City is pleased to continue to expand its waste and recycling service to residents of Johnson County and the cities of Kalona and Riverside.

Location & Hours

Monday-Saturday 7AM-4:30PM

Iowa City Landfill & Recycling Center
3900 Hebl Avenue SW, Iowa City
(319) 356-5185

From Iowa City take Melrose Ave. to Hebl Ave.



Garbage Disposal Rates

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| Iowa City Residents | \$38.50 per ton |
| Non-Iowa City Residents: | \$43.50 per ton |
| Compostable Materials: | \$24.00 per ton |

Products Available

- Compost (bulk sales) \$10/ton
- Wood chip mulch (free upon availability)
- Paints, cleaners, etc. (no charge; located at Swap Shop)

What Can I Recycle for No Charge?



Paper

- Newspaper
- White & colored paper
- Junk mail, including envelopes
- Magazines & catalogs
- Chipboard – cereal boxes and items that are brown or gray when torn



Glass

Clear, brown & green glass (remove lids and rinse)



Metal

- Steel, tin, and aluminum cans (rinse cans and place end into can)
- Scrap metal - at the Landfill only



Plastic

Containers & lids numbered 1-7 (rinse & flatten containers). *Discard lids without a number. No styrofoam, plastic bags, or oil bottles.*



Cardboard

Corrugated cardboard, flattened



Motor Oil

Used motor oil

Other Materials Accepted



- Appliances (\$12.50 per unit; residents only*)
- Tires (07¢ per pound - \$3 minimum)
- Electronic waste - Discarded electronic waste contains hazardous materials such as lead and mercury. E-waste can be recycled to ensure proper disposal; including computers, monitors, keyboards, TVs, stereos, printers, copiers, and small electronic items.

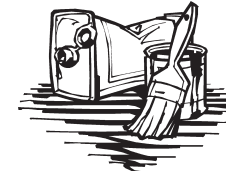
\$5/monitors under 18"

\$10/monitors over 18"/console TVs

\$2/miscellaneous items

* Commercial appliances accepted for \$1.00/cu. ft.

Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) Materials



Household hazardous waste can be dangerous to you and others if it is placed in the garbage or poured down the drain. Be safe at home. Bring in unwanted, unused,

or unnecessary chemicals for proper disposal or recycling. This service is **BY APPOINTMENT ONLY, 356-5185**. Some of the items in your house or garage that are hazardous include the following:

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| ■ Aerosol cans | ■ Mothballs |
| ■ Auto fluids (antifreeze, oil, brake fluid, etc.) | ■ Nail polish remover |
| ■ Auto batteries | ■ Oven cleaner |
| ■ Dry cleaning solvent | ■ Paint, paint thinner, stain, varnish, turpentine, etc. |
| ■ Fungicide | ■ Pesticides/poisons |
| ■ Glues | ■ Photographic chemicals |
| ■ Insect spray | ■ Pool chemicals |
| ■ Kitchen/bathroom cleaners (solvent-based) | ■ Weed killer |
| ■ Lighter fluid | ■ Wood filler |
| | ■ Wood preservative |