

REGIONAL & NATIONAL COMPUTER & ELECTRONICS RECYCLERS

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DISCLAIMER: Please check with the electronic waste recycler to confirm where the waste is processed, if worker conditions are safe and nontoxic, and that indeed the materials are being recycled. We have heard many stories of overseas imports where workers are exposed to hazardous materials disassembling the materials and many components end up being landfilled overseas. Most computer producers with take-back programs have validated their e-waste recyclers.

TVs are not easily recycled in New Mexico. Please consider repairing a broken TV before disposing. For the February 17, 2009 conversion from analog to digital, coupons to receive deep discounts on converter boxes are available at www.DTV2009.gov or call 1-888-DTV-2009. Information posted at this website allows you to apply for the coupon and find out where to purchase a converter box in your area.

REGIONAL COMPUTER RECYCLERS FOR LARGE VOLUME or BUSINESS RECYCLING

Executive Recycling

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Description: Offers collection service to businesses in New Mexico. Hard-drive shredding service available.

Guaranteed Recycling Xperts

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Description: Offers collection service to businesses and for community collections in New Mexico.

Life Span Technology Recycling

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Description: Provides e-waste recycling to commercial customers, with weekly pick-ups in New Mexico.

Luminous Recycling

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Description: Provides computer, electronic and TV recycling to commercial customers as well as collection events in New Mexico.

Natural Evolution

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Description: Has held e-waste collection events free-of-charge for City of Albuquerque & Santa Fe.

UNICOR Federal Prison Industries

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Electronic waste recycling, includes all computers and computer-related accessories, TVs, personal digital assistants, cameras, calculators, memory, modems, cell phones, fax machines, cameras, play stations, communication systems, bar coding equipment. \$10 fee for monitors and TVs. Rest of materials collected for free.

COMPUTER & TELEVISION MANUFACTURER AND TAKEBACK RECYCLING PROGRAMS

FOR A COMPLETE AND MOST UP-TO-DATE LIST OF MANY OF THESE MANUFACTURER TAKE-BACK PROGRAMS, PLEASE GO TO <http://www.productstewardship.net/productsElectronicSBizProgramsManufactureTakeback.html>

Apple

www.apple.com/environment/recycling

Apple Take Back Campaign

Apple recycling program is open to Apple customers only. Offers free recycling of any brand products upon purchase. Will take back any iPod or cell phone for recycling as well. Toner Cartridges: All used toner cartridges may be returned to a collection center free of charge using a pre-paid mailing label. The mailing label is part of the brochure that is contained within the toner cartridge packaging.

Canon

In July 2005, [Canon USA Inc.](http://www.canon.com) launched a fee-based recycling program, which includes consumer electronics. The Canon Consumer Electronic Products Recycling Program allows U.S. customers to recycle Canon products by ordering a shipping label online.

Customers can recycle binoculars, camcorders, cameras, compact photograph printers, film, scanners and video equipment for \$6 plus sales tax. Flatbed scanners, inkjet printers, fax machines and multifunction all-in-one machines can be recycled for \$12 plus sales tax. Laser fax

machines, personal computer copiers and other large equipment cost \$36 plus sales tax to recycle.

Dell

http://www.dell.com/us/en/dhs/topics/segtopic_dell_recycling.htm

Dell recycles unwanted PC or computer electronics. Plus, if you buy a new Dell desktop or notebook and select the free recycling option at the time of purchase, they will recycle your old PC and monitor at no cost to you through their mail-back program. Customers can also purchase refurbished computers, or trade current systems online, auction or may donate used computers and related equipment. Dell is extending programs where consumers may recycle any make or model of desktop or notebook computer, free of charge (excluding shipping). Dell also has a donation program with the National Cristina Foundation, people can donate their systems to charity in exchange for a potential tax deduction. When a person recycles through Dell or Donates to the National Cristina Foundation they are eligible for an online coupon for 10% off on software & peripheral online purchase to be redeemed on the Dell Home Systems Software & Peripherals website.

Epson

The Epson Recycling Program will take back most Epson products including printers, scanners, cameras, laptops, computers and projectors. Customers pay \$10 per item to cover shipping costs, but will receive a \$5 coupon per item recycled towards a purchase at the Epson Store. Used Epson products are recycled through a licensed recycling facility which will evaluate the components and then shred the products.

Gateway

The Gateway Trade-in and Recycle Program for home computer users, offers cash or recycling for old technology when purchasing a new Gateway or eMachines product. Products that can be refurbished or recycled include: desktop and laptop computers, digital cameras, multimedia projectors, home audio receivers, cell phones, car audio receivers, computer monitors, camcorders, game systems, PDAs or hand held computers, and Apple Ipods.

GreenDisk

www.greendisk.com

Nationwide mail-in program. Accepted Materials: Rechargeable batteries, Cartridges for Ink or Printer, cell phones, chargers, cables and headset accessories, CD ROMs, floppies and diskettes, CDs, DVDs, videotapes, diskettes, audio tapes, pdas, zip disks, laptop and desktop computers, Video Tape. GreenDisk offers convenient, responsible recycling for individuals and organizations. Specializing in technotrash recycling - everything from a CD to a PC.

Hewlett Packard

www.hp.com/recycle

HP offers a recycling program for consumer and business customers. Customers are able to return ANY piece of computer hardware from ANY manufacturer and HP will recycle or reuse in such a way so as to conserve resources. \$13-\$34 per item, depending on type and

quantity of returns. Custom price quotes are available. Use automated orders if: small quantity (ten or less), via credit card, US only Custom Quote Request if: large quantities (eleven or more), large size hardware, Alaska or Hawaii customers, and unique recycling.

HP rewards you with up to \$50 when you recycle your consumer computer hardware through HP's recycling service and then purchase a new hardware product on HP Shopping. Laser Jet Supplies: free of charge. Customers return empty HP original ink cartridges for recycling via instruction guide included inside each original HP laserjet print cartridge box. Customers should call 800 # to order prepaid envelope or box, or if returns will exceed 100 items of equipment.

IBM

1888 SHOP IBM (746-7426 reference p/n 06P7513)

<http://www.ibm.com/ibm/environment/products/prp.shtml>

IBM offers an electronics trade-in or buy-back recycling program.

Lexmark

Through the Lexmark Recycling Program, customers can return Lexmark inkjet cartridges, toner cartridges and printers. Inkjet cartridges can be returned for free by using prepaid mailers. Toner cartridges can be returned for free by using prepaid mailers or through participating Lexmark authorized supplies resellers. Printers can be returned for recycling by mail and customers must pay the cost of shipping. For more information on Lexmark Take Back program, please review the 2003 Test of Manufacture Mail-Back Programs report prepared by the Snohomish County Solid Waste Management Division.

LG Electronics

LG Electronics has partnered with Waste Management Inc. to establish the LG Electronics Recycling Program. The take-back program will allow consumers to recycle their used, unwanted, obsolete or damaged LG consumer electronic products by dropping them off at designated Waste Management eCycling Centers. Waste Management currently has 160 designated drop-off sites across the United States and plans to have at least one drop-off site in each state by September 2008. Products covered by the take-back program include LG, Zenith and GoldStar brands of televisions, monitors, audio equipment, video cassette players and recorders, DVD players and recorders, combination TV/VCR and TV/DVD units, set top boxes and accessories associated with those products. Consumers may drop off up to 5 LG-branded items at a time. There is no fee to consumers for the covered LG-brand products; other brands will be accepted, but a fee may be charged by Waste Management for non-LG brands.

Cell phones, GPS and PDA devices, along with their accessories, can be dropped off at any Waste Management Recycle America eCycling Center. Consumers also have the option to mail-in their cell phone, GPS and PDA devices through LG Electronics' Mobile Phones Recycling Program without paying shipping costs.

Locate the nearest recycling center to you or call **1-877-439-2795**. At this point there are NO locations in New Mexico.

If you would like to mail your LG, Goldstar or Zenith brand consumer electronics product to us for no-fee recycling,

please send it to the closest **WM Recycle America eCycling** center below:

Mailing Locations

1800 Broadway NE	Minneapolis	MN	55413
3730 East 48th Street	Denver	CO	80216
5519 NW 4th St	Oklahoma City	OK	73127
203 Tremont Street	Springfield	MA	01107

Panasonic

<http://www.panasonic.com/environmental/recycling-electronic.asp>

Samsung

Samsung Electronics America Inc. will launch a recycling program, Oct. 1, to take back consumer electronics in all 50 states at no cost. The company will offer permanent collection sites in all 50 states for consumers to drop off their old Samsung electronics, excluding home appliances. It also will hold collection events in partnership with electronics recyclers and retailers across the country, where it also will accept its old products free of charge. It will accept non-Samsung products for a fee. A list of the fixed drop-off locations and scheduled collection events will be available, Oct. 1, at www.samsung.com/recyclingdirect.

Sony

In September 2007, Sony Electronics partnered with Waste Management Recycle America to create a nationwide consumer electronic manufacturer take-back program in the United States. The Sony Take Back Recycling Program allows homeowners to recycle unwanted Sony electronic products without fees at more than 75 Waste Management (WM) drop-off centers in the US.

The number of drop-off locations will increase over the years and Sony plans to hit 150 within the first year of operation. Sony's end goal is to establish enough drop-off locations to ensure that 95% of the US population will have

access to a Waste Management drop-off site within 20 miles of their residence. The program also allows for a mail-in recycling option with participating WM sites. Waste Management drop-off sites within this program will also accept non-Sony based products; however market prices and recycling fees will still apply. [Learn more about the Sony Take Back Recycling Program or find a drop-off location.](#) Sony also gives consumers credit for their old laptops from many manufacturers. The program allows consumers to [trade in an old laptop and receive credit](#) toward Sony notebook computers or other products at Sony outlet stores or online. The [Sony Style Camera & Camcorder Trade-Up Program](#) allows customers to trade in old cameras or camcorders and receive Sony credit to purchase a Sony camera or camcorder.

Toshiba

[Toshiba's Trade-In and Recycling Program](#) accepts Toshiba and non-Toshiba brand electronics from consumers for trade-in or recycle in exchange for a refund by mail. Accepted products include computers, notebooks, cameras, camcorders, monitors, game systems, PDAs and MP3 players.

If your item is no longer functioning, or has no trade-in value, it can be recycled for the cost of shipping. Toshiba notebook computers can be recycled free of charge to the consumer with no obligation to buy a new Toshiba computer. [Find out if you can trade-in or recycle your product.](#)