

NORTHERN KENTUCKY SOLID WASTE RESOURCE GUIDE

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Recycling

Litter Abatement

Household Hazardous Waste

Environmental Education

Trash Reduction



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IMPORTANT CONTACT NUMBERS

County Solid Waste Management

Each County has a Solid Waste Coordinator who deals with issues that include Recycling Programs, Composting, Landfill and Disposal Issues, Household Hazardous waste, Education and Community Affairs, Presentations, Illegal Dumping, Litter Abatement, Enforcement, and Resource Material. Please call your local Solid Waste Coordinator for information on programs, special events, policies, etc., within your county jurisdiction.

Boone County Solid Waste Services

Phone: (859) 334-3151 / Fax: 334-3595

mgrandstaff@boonecountyky.org

http://www.boonecountyky.org/departments/solid_waste/index.aspx

As the NKSWMA Coordinator, is in charge of making sure you get the information you need.

Not sure who to call? Can't decide what disposal method would be best?

Call or email our office and we will connect you with people that can help.

We have information on **Boone, Kenton & Campbell Solid Waste Programs**, as well as the **Northern Kentucky Solid Waste Management Plan and Annual Report**.

- **Boone County Solid Waste Services**

Melissa A. Grandstaff (859) 334-3151

Email: mgrandstaff@boonecountyky.org

Website:

http://www.boonecountyky.org/departments/solid_waste/index.aspx

- **Campbell County Solid Waste Coordinator**

Kim Serra (859) 547-1810

Email: kserra@campbellcountyky.org

Website:

<http://www.campbellcountyky.org/index.php/home/services/solid-waste>

- **Kenton County Solid Waste Coordinator**

(859) 392-1920

Email: Adamdunn@kentoncounty.org

Website:

http://www.kentoncounty.org/departmentsMain/public_works/index.php

- **Sanitation -SD1 (859) 578-7450**

1045 Eaton Dr.

Ft. Wright, KY 41017

<http://www.sd1.org/>

- **Conservation Districts**

Natural resources, educational Materials,

Programs, Workshops and Agricultural issues.

Boone and Kenton Counties: (859) 586-7903

Campbell County: (859) 635-9587

- **KY Energy and Environment Cabinet**

Air, water, land, and waste contamination issues; Environmental Compliance Enforcement.

Florence Regional Office (859) 525-4923

- **UK Cooperative Extension Services**

Boone County: 586-6101

Campbell County: 572-2600

Northern Kentucky Household Hazardous Waste Action Coalition Dedicated to Spreading Awareness of the Proper Disposal/Recycling of Household Hazardous Waste in the Home. Information as well as providing presentations and printed information are available.

Please Visit the Website:

www.nkyhhw.org

WASTE HAULERS & LANDFILLS

Bavarian Waste Services

Landfill (drop-off) or rent a roll-off

12764 McCoy Fork

Road Walton, KY 41094

(859) 485-4416 www.bavarianwaste.com

Best Way Disposal & Recycling

Curbside Trash and Recycling. Or rent a roll off

1389 Production Drive

Burlington, KY

(859)-372-4900 <http://www.bestway-disposal.com>

Republic Services

Curbside trash and recycling (only in some areas of Northern KY, residents needs to call)

11563 Mosteller Road

Cincinnati, OH 45241

1-800-543-1339 www.republicservices.com

E Town Landfill -10978 US Highway 50, North Bend, OH 45052

(513) 353-1200

Rumpke OHIO Landfill- 3800 Struble Rd, Cincinnati, OH 45251

(800) 582-3107

Rumpke KY Landfill 1374 Bryan Griffin Rd, Butler, KY 41006

(859) 472-7339

Rumpke Waste Services

Curbside Trash

10795 Hughes Road

Cincinnati, OH 45251

1-800-543-0477 www.rumpke.com

Rumpke Recycling

Curbside Recycling

5535 Vine Street

Cincinnati, OH 45217

513-242-4402 www.rumpke.com/recycling1.html

These are the companies that offer disposal service.

For information about construction/demolition debris container service,

Please Consult the Phone Directory.

GETTING GARBAGE SERVICE

FIRST, if you live in a subdivision or planned neighborhood, find out if there is a Homeowners Association for your community. Often, the HOA contracts trash service for the neighborhood.

SECOND, if you don't have a Homeowners Association, contact your city. Cities usually manage garbage service for incorporated areas.

THIRD, if you live in an unincorporated region and not in a city, you are free to contract waste removal with any hauler that you prefer. Check the list above for hauler information.

Report a Garbage Dump :

If you see a garbage pile on someone's property, you can call the Kentucky Division of Waste Management's Illegal Dump Hotline at 1-888-NO DUMPS or your Solid Waste Coordinator.

You can also anonymously visit
http://www.boonecountyky.org/departments/solid_waste/index.aspx
to report.

If you actually see someone in the act of dumping, **CALL 911**. Dumping is a Class D felony, so please speak up!

RECYCLINGwww.bigbluebin.com

To sign up for **curbside recycling**, call your waste hauler. You can always collect household recyclables and bring them to any of the drop-box bins below.

Please be sure to place only acceptable recyclables in the bins because dumping unauthorized material in or around a bin causes contamination and it is considered illegal.

BOONE COUNTY - Recycling Bins:

Information: 859-334-3151

- **Bellevue -Fire Dept.** 6900 McVile Rd,
- **Burlington** -Corner of Maplewood Dr., / Idlewild
- **Burlington** -Rt.18 UK Extension Lot -next to Burger King
- **Burlington** - Bullitsville Church, 3094 Petersburg Rd
- **Erlanger** - St Henry High School, 3755 Scheben Dr
- **Florence** - Boone County High, 7056 Burlington Pike
- **Florence** - Public Services Center-7850 Tanners Lane
- **Florence** - Eagle Finance Lot -7791 Dixie HWY
- **Florence** - Oakbrook Park, 6605 Oakbrook Dr
- **Florence** - Immanuel Methodist Church, Boone Aire Rd/ Rt.18
- **Hebron** - North Pointe Elem, 875 North Bend Rd.
- **Hebron** -Conner High School, 3310 Cougar Path
- **Petersburg**- Community Center- 6517 Market Street
- **Point Pleasant- Fire Dept.**, 3444 Turfway Rd
- **Union**- Union Pool- Old Union Road
- **Walton -Fire Dept.**, 12600 Towne Center Drive
- **Verona -Fire Dept.**, 14924 Walton-Verona Rd

KENTON COUNTY

Information: (859) 392-1920

- Pioneer Park, 3951 Madison Pike
- Ryland City Building on Decoursey Pike
- Lincoln Ridge Park, 420 Independence Station Rd
- Piner Elementary, 2845 Bracht-Piner Rd
- Twenhofl Middle School, 11846 Taylor Mill Rd
- Scott High School, 5400 Old Taylor Mill Rd
- Tank
- Kenton County Animal Shelter, 1020 Mary Laidley Rd
- Summit View Middle School, 5006 Madison Pike
- Beechgrove Elementary, 1029 Bristow Rd
- Cawood Elementary, 51 Nola St
- Turkeyfoot Middle School, 3230 Turkey Foot Rd
- Woodland Middle School, 5399 Old Taylor Mill Rd

CAMPBELL COUNTY

Information: (859) 547-1866

- Campbell County Police Station, 998 Monmouth Street, Newport, KY 41071
- Newport Public Works Garage
Underneath I-471 bridge at 6th & Wildcat

ACCEPTABLE :

Plastic #1 & #2 (Must have a Spout or an opening smaller than the body),

Glass, Aluminum and Steel Cans,

Cardboard, Paper, Magazines, Books and Newspapers.

PLASTIC BAG RECYCLING

All Kroger, Wal-Mart and Best Buy locations in Northern Kentucky have receptacles for Customers to drop off plastic grocery bags to be recycled.

Please keep in mind that its more Environmentally Friendly to bring reusable bags instead.

\$\$ MONEY FOR RECYCLABLES

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Second-Hand Stores/ Donation Drop Off/ Donate and Shop

**The following Companies
offer funds for
Recyclables :**

Bluegrass Recycling

1575 Distribution Dr.,
Burlington, KY
859-283-9560

Types: Aluminum, copper, brass, lead
acid batteries, stainless, radiators, and
other
non-ferrous (nonmagnetic) metals;
Industrial & trade scrap; Free pick up.

Can Dew Recycling

98 Jolly Industrial Park Dr.
Wilder, KY
859-441-6300

Aluminum, Scrap Metals & Copper,
Appliances

COHEN Recycling

13229 Dixie Hwy., Walton, KY
859-363-8300

Types: Steel, iron, aluminum, stainless,
copper, brass

Newport Recycling

527 W. 10th St., Newport, KY
859-261-9335

Non-ferrous metals; Drop off only

Recycling Express

8505 Dixie Highway
Florence, KY 41042
859-282-5200

Types: All types of scrap metal

River Metals Recycling

Newport Yard,
1220 Licking Pike, Newport,
859-291-5509

Types: All kinds scrap iron & metals; Drop-
off or call for pick up.

Second Hand Stores

Facebook Yard sales

Clothes, toys, furniture, accessories

Craig's List www.cincinnati.craigslist.org

Freecycle www.freecycle.org

Trade, buy, or give away nearly anything!

Place at curb with FREE sign

Donation Drop Off

Boone County Community Action Commission 586-9250

Food, clothing and small household items

Welcome House,

www.welcomehouseky.org, 205 W. Pike Street, Cov. 431-8717

Collaborates with the community to provide services to people who are homeless or at risk of becoming
homeless. Food and non-food items.

Brighton Recovery Center for Women, 375 Weaver Rd, Florence, KY 41042, 282-9390

Toiletries and clothing in good condition.

Vietnam Veterans of America Hamilton, OH 1-800-535-3834/ 513-829-2800

Clothing, shoes, bedding, house wares, jewelry, toys, small furniture, tools, small appliances; Call for pick up
in Northern Kentucky or visit website at www.vva.org

Donate And Shop Second Time Around Thrift Shop

2023 Pearl St. Covington 431-4636

Clothing, jewelry, toys, kitchen ware, etc.

Goodwill Industries 7855 Tanners Florence

Clothing, toys, furniture, house wares, jewelry, books, computer

Be Concerned, 714 Washington St. Covington 291-6789

Clothing, toys, smaller appliances

Brighton Center, 741 Central Ave. Newport 491-8303

Clothing, furniture, appliances

Fairhaven Thrift Store, 601 W Ninth St. Covington 655-3959

Clothing, small items, kitchen accessories, booksSt. Vincent de Paul 2655 Crescent Springs Rd. Erlanger

341-3212/906 & 7110 Turfway Rd, Florence, KY 41042,

(859) 446-7715 & Monmouth St. Newport 261-9201/712 Sixth Ave. Dayton, KY 431-5455

Clothing, furniture, house wares, working computers

Salvation Army, 1806 Scott St. Covington 1-800-728-7825

Household items, furniture, clothing, useful appliances, cookware

CONSTRUCTION RE-USE

Re-Use Center 315 15th St., Covington, 291-0777

Habitat's ReStore (513)721-GIVE (4483) 371-0038 (US42-Florence)

Offers salvaged and new home components from windows to doors, sinks, bathtubs, desks, chandeliers, and more.

Ohio Mulch : 859-586-1173

5519 Kentucky 237 Burlington, KY 41005

APPLIANCE RECYCLING

Boone, Kenton and Campbell Counties accept certain items for free from the public year-round and recycle them. Acceptable items include refrigerators, stoves, air conditioners, washers, dryers, water heaters, and most other metal appliances.

PACKING PEANUTS

Micro Wizard in
Union, KY
(1-888-693-3729)
The UPS Store in
Florence
(746-1182) will both
be very happy to take
them off your hands.

- **Kenton County Public Works**
420 Independence Station Road,
Independence 392-1920
Monday- Friday from 7:00 am - 3:30 pm
Call our "WE CARE" hotline (392-1930) to have appliances picked up within
three business days.
- **Boone County Public Works**
5645 Idlewild Road, Burlington 334-3600
Monday- Friday 8:00am - 3:30pm
- **Campbell County Transportation Garage**
Campbell County Transportation Center
1175 Racetrack Road , Alex. KY

KENTON COUNTY MONTHLY CLEANUP

Kenton County Solid Waste has
"open dumping days" on the first
Saturday of every month from
9a.m. until 2 p.m.

For more info.

Please call Kenton Co. Public
Works
(859)392-1920

ELECTRONICS RECYCLING

The Following Businesses Recycle Electronics such as Computers and Cell Phones.

Cell Phones :

Donate old cell to

The Women's Crisis Center in
Hebron and Covington **(647-2388)**
will reuse them to help women who are at
risk and many cell phone retailers will
take them, including: Best Buy, Lowes,
Cincinnati Bell, Home Depot, Lowe's,
Office Depot, RadioShack, Sprint, Staples,
Target, Verizon Wireless. Call before drop
off.

- **Cohen Electronics**
www.cohenusa.com
13229 Dixie Hwy
Walton, KY 41094
(859) 363-8300
Charges for TVs and monitors will
apply

- **Tri State Green PC**
6443 Taylor Mill Rd,
Independence, KY
859-314-9360
**If it has a power cord, we recycle
it!**
www.TriStateGreenPC.com
Charges for TVs and monitors will
apply

Electronics:

- **Apex Technology Solutions**
7960 Kentucky Drive, Suite 4 & 5
Florence, 41042
859-485-4444
<http://www.apextecsol.com/>
Accepting: Computers and
components from residents;
Businesses please call for prices.
Charges for TVs and monitors will
apply

- **Tri-State Escrap**
Tri State Escrap
6001 Dry Fork Road
Cleveland, OH 45002
www.TriStateEscrap.com
Phone# (513) 240-2521

Accepting Anything with a Power
Cord. Charges for TVs and monitors
will apply

Toner Cartridges :

- **Boone Co. Public Works**
5645 Idlewild Rd, Burlington, KY
41005
859-334-3600

Televisions :

- **Best Buy**
859- 525-7118
Accepts televisions up to 32" or
Up to 50" Flat screen, for a \$25
fee.
Larger TVs go to Bestbuy.com

HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE

* Pesticides

The KY Department of Agriculture, Office of Consumer and Environmental Protection,

runs a FREE pesticide collection and disposal program:

hotline for this FREE program is **1-800-205-6543**

* Prescription Drugs :

You can bring your unwanted prescriptions drugs to the

Drop Boxes at the following locations for proper disposal:

*Bellevue Police Dept., Boone County Sheriff's Dept., Campbell Co. Police

Dept., Erlanger Police Dept., Florence Police Dept., Highland Heights

Police Dept., Kenton County Police Dept., Silver Grove Police Dept., Villa

Hills Police Dept., Wilder Police Depart.

* Solvents :

Solvents, such as paint thinner, do not go bad. Allow the particulates to settle out, drain off the clear liquid. Mix the remainder with kitty litter and dispose in trash.

* Needle disposal (such as those used for insulin)

Place used needles in a sharps container or a plastic detergent bottle (Tide bottle)

Duct tape the container lid

Put container out for regular trash pickup.

Do not mark container as sharps or needles

Do not set aside (to prevent others/children from picking up).

* Propane Tanks :

Tanks can be turned into cylinder exchange companies like **Blue Rhino** at local stores.

Boone County Public Works will take them during a cleanups.

Paper Shredders :

Boone County Public Works

Recycling Yard

(859) 334-4808

3275 Maplewood Dr. Burlington, KY

Call for more information

Document Destruction

(513) 772-1114

4511 Reading Road, Cincinnati,

OH 45229

Cintas

(513) 258-0582

690 E Crescentville Rd Cin. OH

Shred - It

(513) 301-0505

1(888)750-6450

6838 Fairfield Business Center
Drive, Fairfield, OH 45014

Important Boone County Dates to Mark in

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| <p>◇ January 6th- Christmas Tree-Recycling Drop Off</p> <p>◇ April 18th -April 21st - SPRING Clean Up</p> <p>◇ April 28th - Great American Clean Up</p> <p>◇ May 1st -Burn Ban Begins</p> <p>◇ May 19th -Boone Cleanup Day</p> <p>◇ May 20th-26th—PUBLIC WORKS APPRECIATION WEEK</p> <p>◇ June 16th - River Sweep</p> | <p>◇ June 30th - Boone Cleanup Day</p> <p>◇ July 28th - Boone Cleanup Day</p> <p>◇ August 25th - Boone Cleanup Day</p> <p>◇ September 29th - Boone Cleanup Day</p> <p>◇ October 1st - Burn Ban Ends</p> <p>◇ October 17th- 20th - Boone Co. FALL Clean Up</p> <p>◇ November (TBA) Household Hazardous Waste Event</p> |
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HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE

Household hazardous waste (HHW) is the group of chemicals and other substances that are commonly found in many homes but require special attention when being discarded.

Please keep in mind that the best way to get rid of these materials is to use them up and use them for their intended purposes.

Antifreeze

Antifreeze can be taken to **Kenton County Public Works in Independence (859-392-1920)** which is open to any Northern Kentucky resident with a 5 gallon limit.

Batteries 1-877-2-Recycle

Auto batteries are accepted by most stores that sell them and Boone County Public Works Department will accept them as well.

Rechargeable batteries can be **dropped-off at the following sites:**

1. Boone County Public Works
2. Campbell County Fiscal Court
3. Kenton County Public Works
4. City of Florence Public Services
5. Independence City Building
6. Walton City Building
7. Union City Building

Fire Extinguishers :

For Safe disposal, spray any remaining material out of the extinguisher and into a garbage bag.

Once the container is empty, mark up with your household trash.

Gasoline

Boone County Public Works Department accepts gasoline. Call for details 859-334-3629.

Household Cleaners

Most of these products are water-soluble and can be poured down the drain mixed with water. Never mix household cleaners when disposing. Special caution should be taken with septic systems or package treatment plants.

Paint

First, try to reuse any liquid paint by finding a neighbor, church, or local school who can use it.

If you must dispose of it, You can set the paint at the curb with your regular trash; BUT you must first solidify it.

*Remove the lid from the can, mix kitty litter into the paint to an oatmeal consistency and let it dry. Be sure to do this in a well-ventilated area or outdoors.

The paint doesn't have to be perfectly solid, but it cannot be runny.

Compact Fluorescent Light Bulbs :

Compact fluorescent light bulbs (CFLs) can be taken to: **Lowes and Home Depot.**

They accept from residents only (no businesses).

ENVIRONMENTAL DISPOSAL COMPANIES

Safe and legal disposal of any hazardous materials for a small fee:

(EEI) Environmental Enterprises, Inc. 513.541.1823

Emergency Response 1-800-392-1503

4650 Spring Grove Ave. Cincinnati, OH 45232

Cleanlites Recycling (513) 641-4155

They **accept All Lights** (fluorescents carry a small fee), Ballasts, all electronics, monitors, mercury devices, thermostats, smoke detectors, aerosol cans, and latex paint.

Questions about disposal, Please feel free to call your Local County Solid Waste Coordinator

or the

Northern Kentucky Household Hazardous Waste Action Coalition @

www.nkyhhw.org.

All three NKY Counties are members of the Coalition.

Vehicles :

Call the following businesses to set up removal and recycling of junk vehicles:

- * Boone County Auto & Truck Salvage 384-1164
- * Union Auto Parts 384-3381
- * Walton Recycling 363-8300
- * Webster's General Contracting 393-4890

USED Motor Oil & Oil Filters

Used motor oil from home oil changes must be taken to a facility that can dispose of it properly.

Both **Boone (334-3600)** and **Kenton Counties (392-1920)** Public Works Departments accept up to five gallons of used motor oil from private residents.

Most instant oil change businesses accept used oil as well, but be sure to call ahead before bringing your oil as there may be restrictions.

Boone Co. Public Works Now Accepts Old Oil Filters. These are Recyclable.

TIRES

Bavarian (859)485-4416, CSI (513)771-4200, and Rumpke (513) 472-7339

will all accept waste tires for a fee.

In addition, most tire dealers will take old tires, but make sure to call for info about quantity, size & fee charged for

A1 Garage

Walton 493-5300

Alexandria Tire Ctr.

Alexandria 635-0441

Best One Tire

Burlington 371-4200

Bob Sumerel Tire

Alexandria 635-9777

Ft Wright 341-6222

Florence 283-1280

Erlanger 341-2728

Bob's Service & Sales

Florence 525-1999

Community Car Care

Alexandria 635-1788

Complete Auto Care Walton

356-7268

Firestone Tire

Newport 491-1400

Covington 291-2121

Fleet Tire

Covington 431-8600

Florence 371-8300

Goodyear Auto Serve.

Newport 491-1540

Kentucky Tires

Covington 291-8999

Master Tech Auto

Ft. Thomas 781-8863

Micheal Tires Plus

Florence 282-0800

Ft. Thomas 781-6400

Covington 291-9610

Pep Boys

Florence 647-9977

Performance Goodyear Tire

Erlanger 371-7474

Raaker Tire

Newport 292-0224

Saf-T Auto

Florence 525-8060

Sears

Florence 525-4528

Smith's High Tech Auto

Florence 371-8998

Steele's Auto Service

Burlington 534-5900

Steve's Auto Repair

Covington 356-3000

Tire Discounters

Cold Springs 572-2233

Florence 647-6333

RECYCLING IN BOONE COUNTY?

Items currently accepted for recycling:
(Please empty, rinse, and drain all containers)



Aluminum Food Containers

Only food or beverage containers.

Examples: soda cans and beer cans



Metal Cans (tin)

Food or beverage containers only, including metal caps or lids

Glass

Beverage and Food Containers Only:
Remove Lid and Rinse before Recycling.

Corrugated Cardboard

(Note: corrugated has ridges & furrows)
Remove wax liners and all other debris and flatten. Dry and clean cardboard only.

Plastic

All plastics with a spout (anything with a smaller opening than the bottle).

Examples: Such as laundry detergent bottles, water bottles, soda bottles, shampoo bottles. Before recycling any plastic bottles remove cap, compress the bottle, then reapply the cap. NO butter tubs, yogurt containers, etc.



Mixed Paper

- Includes junk mail, office paper, magazines, newspaper, catalogs, paper board, phonebooks, and envelopes.
- Clean and dry only.
- Remove plastic wrap on phone books and magazines.

Examples: cereal and tissue boxes, books (hardback and paper back), paper grocery sacks, toilet paper and paper towel rolls, pop cases, construction paper, envelopes with windows, etc.



Free Drop Off Locations:

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|---|---|
| * Belleview Fire Dept. | * Hebron - North Pointe Elementary |
| * Burlington - Idlewild Rd & Maplewood (Next to Fairground) | * Hebron - Bullitsville Church |
| * Burlington - (Rt.18) UK Extension Parking Lot-Next to Burger King | * Hebron - Conner High School |
| * Florence - Boone County High | * Petersburg - Community Center/ Fire Dept. |
| * Florence - Eagle Finance (Dixie/Mandalay) | * Point Pleasant Fire Dept. |
| * Florence - Immanuel Christ Methodist Church - Boone Aire | * Union Pool |
| * Florence - Oakbrook Park | * St. Henry High School |
| * Florence - Public Works (Ewing Blvd) | * Verona Fire Dept |
| | * Walton Fire Dept. |

The Northern Kentucky Solid Waste
Management Area
5645 Idlewild Road
Burlington, KY 41005

STAMP
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**The Northern Kentucky Solid Waste Management Area
consists of Boone, Kenton, and Campbell Counties.**

LITTER ABATEMENT & SPECIAL EVENTS

Litter is an unhealthy, harmful and intolerable blight. It affects our quality of life, and it creates a negative impression of our community. It also pollutes our land and water and is detrimental to wildlife.

Litter is also expensive to remove; Kentucky spends millions of dollars every year cleaning up roadways.

Littering is illegal !!

Throughout the year, Northern Kentucky hosts litter clean ups and abatement programs to combat litter. If you would like to learn more about how to get involved and stop litter in your community, call your local Solid Waste Coordinator or the NKSWM Coordinator. We would love to plan a community litter cleanup for your neighborhood or business. Join us for our Spring & Fall cleanups as well as Commonwealth Cleanup Week, River Sweep and the Great American Cleanup.

Northern Kentucky is OUR home - Help Us Keep it Clean!

EDUCATION

Your Solid Waste Coordinators have a wealth of information to share with you. They are available to give presentations to schools, civic groups, churches, camps ... anyone. We can discuss any subject related to solid waste management, such as recycling, waste reduction, household hazardous waste, litter and more.

If you are interested in these programs, wish to schedule a presentation or need more information, just give us a call or an email.

The NKSWM and this Resource Guide do not seek to endorse or promote any company. The listings are provided as a service to inform the public of proper disposal and recycling options. Anyone with suggestions, additions or corrections of options **offered to the public** is invited to **call NKSWM at 334-3151**.