

# HOUSEHOLD DIRECTORY SUPPLEMENTAL GUIDE 2009

ITEM (Listed Alphabetically)	INFORMATION	DATE ADDED
AMERICAN FLAGS: (TO RETIRE AMERICAN FLAGS)	Take to drop box at the American Legion Post on U.S. 24 at Yawberg Road, northeast of Grand Rapids. Flags left in the box will be disposed of properly in special ceremonies.	9/26/2008
	Take to North Baltimore American Legion Retired Postal Box at Front Entrance on American Legion Drive East.	7/23/2009
BLUEPRINTS	Cannot be recycled at BGRC. Must be taken to the Landfill or put in the garbage.	1/9/2008
BOOKS	<a href="http://www.paperbackswap.com">www.paperbackswap.com</a>	3/18/2009
CAT FOOD CANS	Most are aluminum and can be recycled with aluminum cans. If a magnet sticks to the can, then recycle with steel cans.	1/9/2008
COMPACT FLUORESCENT/ STRAIGHT TUBES/DRY CELL BATTERY RECYCLING	Go to <a href="http://www.thinkgreenfromhome.com">www.thinkgreenfromhome.com</a> to order recycling kits and for more information about the program.	9/26/2008
COMPUTER EQUIPMENT (ALSO INCLUDES INK CARTRIDGES AND CELL PHONES)	<b>DROP OFF LOCATION/PROCEDURE:</b> Turning Point Church at 252 S. Main Street in Bowling Green, Ohio. Drop offs are taken from 4pm-8pm on Tuesdays (hours are limited due to moving into new office in the building). Any type of computer equipment is accepted (as well as ink cartridges and cell phones). Tax receipt can be provided upon request. <i>** Please no broken CRT monitors or printers.</i>	8/26/2009
	<b>CONTACT INFORMATION:</b> Phone #: 419-373-0144 <b>Website:</b> <a href="http://computersforcharity.webs.com">http://computersforcharity.webs.com</a> <b>E-Mail:</b> computersforcharity@gmail.com	
CRAYONS	No program for crayon recycling in the area. For information on crayon recycling visit <a href="http://www.crazycrayons.com/index.html">http://www.crazycrayons.com/index.html</a>	3/17/2008
DISHWASHERS	<i>Portable (w/metal):</i> Recyclable with Scrap Metal	1/9/2008
	<i>Non-Portable (under the counter):</i> Not recyclable - mostly plastic. Take to Landfill for disposal.	
ELECTRONICS	<b>Best Buy</b> offers electronics recycling to all stores nationwide. Consumers can bring up to 2 items per day, per household. This includes: televisions and monitors up to 32", computer CPUs and notebooks, small electronics, VCR and DVD players, and phones, as well as accessories such as keyboards, mice, and remotes. A \$10 recycling fee per item will be charged for items with screens (tvs, laptop computers, and monitors). The consumer will instantly receive a \$10 Best Buy gift card in exchange for the recycling fee. For more information, visit <a href="http://www.bestbuy.com/recycling">www.bestbuy.com/recycling</a>	3/18/2009
FENCE POSTS (metal)	Knock off concrete if possible, then recycle in Scrap Metal bin at BGRC.	1/14/2008

FLOWER POTS (plastic)	Maumee Valley Growers offers a recycling program for plastic flower pots and trays. For list of participating local growers, visit <a href="http://www.maumeevalleygrowers.com/news.htm#recycling">www.maumeevalleygrowers.com/news.htm#recycling</a>	5/15/2009
FRENCH FRY OIL	Dry up and take to Landfill or call N.A.T. Transportation for disposal.	1/14/2008
GLUE BOTTLES	Empty glue bottles/sticks can be taken to Wal-Mart or mailed to Elmer's Glue Company to be recycled. Bowling Green Recycling Center can also accept empty glue bottles.	2/26/2008
GLASS	Glass from cars is not accepted at BGRC because of plastic coating on the glass.	9/26/2008
	Window glass ok at BGRC: <i>GLASS ONLY--NO FRAMES - Please schedule to drop off during hours employees are at BGRC</i>	
MIRRORS	Must be disposed of in the trash. Cannot be recycled with glass because of what is used to make mirrors - There may be lead and we don't want lead dust when BGRC pulverizes the glass.	1/9/2008
PAINT	Summersett Paint & Decorating, in Bowling Green, is currently relocating. They are <b>NOT</b> taking paint until further notice. <b>Call Environmental Recycling at 800-284-9107.</b>	6/8/2009
PAPERBOARD @ BGRC	Signs were changed on 12/12/07 on cardboard drop off bins at BGRC to allow paperboard to be included with corrugated cardboard.	1/9/2008
PLASTIC @ BGRC	Only plastic <b>bottles</b> #1-#7 are accepted at BGRC. <b>NO</b> butter containers, yogurt containers, plant pots, etc.	1/9/2008
PLASTIC - #5 CONTAINERS	GIMME 5: Accepts any clean #5 whole plastic item. This includes many common food containers (yogurt cups, sour cream containers, hummus tubs, etc.). The plastic must be clean and mailed via ground shipping (at least 5 lbs and no more than 50 lbs--anything over 50 lbs must be pre-approved.) <b>Send plastic to: PRESERVE GIMME 5, 823 NYS RTE 13, CORTLAND NY 13045. Questions? Call 888-354-7296 or website <a href="http://www.recycline.com/gimme5.html">http://www.recycline.com/gimme5.html</a></b>	9/26/2008
PLASTIC WRAP/BAGS	Kroger is accepting case wrap and other plastic bags along with plastic grocery bags: Bag 2 Bag Recycling Program	2/26/2008
	Staples now accepts plastic bags for recycling	3/18/2009
VHS TAPES	If still good, donate to Goodwill. If no longer good, call Environmental Recycling (fee charged) or try Earth 911 website	1/14/2008
YEARBOOKS	Can be taken to BGRC for recycling or resident can call the WC Historical Museum to see if they are interested in them.	5/19/2008