

# HOUSEHOLD DIRECTORY UPDATES/INFO

## 2008

ITEM (Listed Alphabetically)	INFORMATION	DATE ADDED
AMERICAN FLAGS	TO RETIRE AN AMERICAN FLAG: 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
BLUEPRINTS	Cannot be recycled at BGRC. Must be taken to the Landfill or put in the garbage.	1/9/2008
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
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.	
FENCE POSTS (metal)	Knock off concrete if possible, then recycle in Scrap Metal bin at BGRC.	1/14/2008
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: <b>GLASS ONLY--NO FRAMES</b> - Please schedule to drop off during hours employees are at BGRC	
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
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

<b>PLASTIC - #5 CONTAINERS</b>	<p>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.)</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><b>Send plastic</b></p> <p><b>to: PRESERVE GIMME 5, 823 NYS RTE 13, CORTLAND NY 13045.</b></p> <p><b>Questions? Call 888-354-7296 or website</b></p> <p><a href="http://www.recycline.com/gimme5.html">http://www.recycline.com/gimme5.html</a></p>	9/26/2008
<b>PLASTIC WRAP/BAGS</b>	Kroger is accepting case wrap and other plastic bags along with plastic grocery bags: Bag 2 Bag Recycling Program	2/26/2008
<b>VHS TAPES</b>	If still good, donate to Goodwill. If no longer good, call Environmental Recycling (fee charged) or try Earth 911 website	1/14/2008
<b>YEARBOOKS</b>	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