

Curbside News

Prineville



Sustainability in Action

Free Repair Cafe

Friday, November 6, 5 p.m. - 7 p.m.
Redmond Public Library
827 SW Deschutes Avenue, Redmond

Something broken? Bring it to the free repair café. The Environmental Center's Rethink Waste Project hosts free repair cafes, connecting people with broken stuff with people who like to fix things, like jewelry, small appliances, electronics, outdoor gear, clothing and more.

For more information and to register, visit [Envirocenter.org/repair-café](https://envirocenter.org/repair-café).

Recycle Right: Know Where Your Recycling Goes

Recycling conserves energy and natural resources and helps reduce waste in landfills. Separating out recyclable materials might also save money on the trash bill.

Check out Crookcountyor.gov/1443/Recycling for Crook County's recycling program. You can also find resources like recycling guides, and additional materials accepted for drop-off at the Crook County landfill.

Recycling Tip: Always place recyclables loose in the recycling cart. Never place materials in a plastic bag. Plastic bags jam equipment and degrade the value of other materials.

Other common contaminants to keep out of the recycling stream include Styrofoam™ and other foam packaging, hoses, wires, food or liquid, and batteries. Batteries must be recycled separately, as they can cause fires. Batteries can be dropped off at no charge at the Crook County landfill.

Trash Collection Guide

We provide weekly curbside collection of trash, with different cart sizes to meet your needs. Please have carts out the night before or by 6 a.m. on your collection day, as route times may vary.

Bag household trash before placing in the trash cart. Place carts in the street by the curb with the lid opening toward the street. Allow at least 4 ft. of clear space on either side of the cart for truck access. Please do not block sidewalks or bike lanes.

The following materials are NOT accepted in your trash cart: hazardous materials, sharps/needles, hot ashes, electronics, dirt/rocks and concrete. For information on household hazardous waste collection, visit Crookcountyor.gov/1447/Electronics-Appliances-Tires.

Share More, Waste Less With Crook County Libraries

Waste prevention isn't just about what you throw away – it's about what you choose not to buy in the first place. Crook County Library gives you tools to share items, reuse materials, and save money.

Use your library card to unlock dozens of free digital resources. Check out the take-home technology kit program that allows you to borrow items that you may only use once or twice. The collection also includes museum passes and park passes.

For more program details and access to free online classes, visit Crooklibraryor.gov/1255/Library.

Stop by our office, call, visit RepublicServices.com/CentralOregon, or email RepublicServicesCentralOregon@RepublicServices.com to find recycling information and acceptable materials, see your collection service days, or get answers to questions you may have about the other programs we offer, like organics collection, drop-box service and more.

Located at: 1751 N. Main St. and open Monday-Friday, 8 a.m.–4 p.m., **541.447.5208**.

Recycling Guide

Thanks for recycling these items! All items must be empty and dry.



Following the guidelines of what is allowed in your recycling bin saves natural resources, reduces pollution and creates jobs.



Scan for: العربية, 简体中文, 繁體中文, हिन्दी, 한국어, Русский, Af-Soomaali, español, Tagalog, українська, tiếng Việt.

Plastic



Bottles, round containers, buckets, and rigid plant pots

Caps OK if screwed on. All items must be 2 inches by 2 inches or larger.

Metal



Aluminum and steel cans and scrap metal

Less than 10 pounds and 18 inches.

Cardboard and Cartons

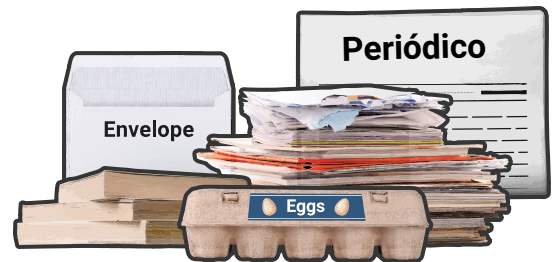


Flattened cardboard, packaging boxes, food and beverage cartons

Pizza boxes must be empty with no food residue.

Commercial cardboard collected in separate container

Paper



Newspaper, magazines, office paper, egg cartons, mail, paperback books, bags, and non-metallic gift wrap

No!



No bagged recyclables



No batteries



No food or liquid
(empty all containers)



No plastic bags or stretchy plastics



No frozen food boxes