

ELECTRONICS (COMPUTERS, MONITORS, ETC.) - RECYCLE

If your electronics are fairly new and in good working condition, you may want to consider reuse of the product first before recycling it. Many thrift stores accept electronics in good working condition, while some organizations refurbish donated computers and provide them to qualified nonprofit organizations and schools throughout Colorado.

Electronics waste (e-waste) can contain a number of potentially hazardous materials. E-waste recycling is a fairly new industry, so there are still questions as to whether all e-waste recyclers are responsibly handling materials in a manner that benefits the environment and ensures toxic materials remain in developed countries (OECD) through their final disposition and are not exported to developing countries or processed by prison labor. Denver Recycles and the City and County of Denver do not endorse any of the companies listed in our recycling directory, nor certify their recycling process. As a consumer, it is your responsibility to ask questions about how your waste will be recycled and handled to ensure a company's business practices meet your satisfaction.

Some possible questions to consider asking any e-waste recycler are:

- *Where do the components of the e-waste go for intermediate and final processing?*
- *Where do hazardous materials, such as leaded glass, circuit boards, mercury and batteries retrieved from processing go for recycling*
- *Can the company provide documentation of your "down-stream" recyclers of these hazardous materials that shows materials are remaining within developed countries?*
- *What are the company's data destruction procedures and requirements?*

*If you are unsure or uncomfortable asking these questions, but wish to find a recycler that follows strict environmental standards, consider using the **Basel Action Network's E-steward Program** to find a local recycler. For a list of local e-stewards visit BAN.org Please keep in mind that recycling e-waste can be costly and you should expect to pay a fee.*

Guaranteed Recycling Experts (GRX)

Call for fees to recycle TVs, monitors, printers, copiers, PCs, Macs, cell phones, PDAs, scanners, and other electronic equipment. All recycling is done to the highest environmental standards.

www.grxrecycles.com

4920 Washington St.

Denver, CO

720-377-7700

Waste Management Recycle America

Call for fees to recycle electronic items including computers equipment, monitors, TVs and more.

3730 E. 48th Ave.

Denver, CO

303-399-6351

Luminous Electronic Recycling, Inc.

Call for fees to recycle CPUs, servers, monitors, keyboards, mice, laptops, mainframe computers, modems, phone systems, PDAs, network switches and cables.

www.luminouselectronicrecycling.com

11809 E. 51st St.

Denver, CO

303-660-2000

Curbside, Inc.

There is a fee. Call for details.

www.curbsideinc.com

1-800-449-PKUP (7587)

A-1 Electronic Recycling

Offers computer & electronic recycling and hard drive erasure & destruction (Mon. - Fri. 9 AM - 6 AM, Sat. 10 AM - 6 PM).

www.a-1electronicrecycling.com
941 Telluride St
Aurora, CO 80011
303-366-1108

Mountain Electronics Recycling

Call for fees to recycle computers, monitors, batteries, faxes, cell phones, hard drives, servers, laptops, printers and copper wire. There is a charge for some of these items and a fee for pick up. Call for details.

www.mountainrecycling.com
4120 Brighton Blvd. Unit A-1
Denver, CO
303-287-0060

Next Generation, Inc.

Call for fees to recycle monitors, printers, faxes, scanners, computers, laptops, cell phones, phones, batteries, VCR's, DVD's, radios, clocks, speakers, keyboards, mice, hubs, modems, routers, copy machines, power supplies and metal wire (Hours: Mon. - Fri. 8 AM - 5 PM, Sat. 10 AM - 2 PM).

www.nextgenerationinc.com
1865 W. Union Ave., Bldg. U
Sheridan, CO 80110
303-781-1089

Provider's Resource Clearinghouse

Recycles computers. Call for details (Hours: Mon. - Fri. 8 AM to 4:30 PM).

14200 E. 35th Pl., #105
303-962-2270

Recycling Connections

Recycles monitors, CPUs, circuit boards, hard-drives, fax machines, copiers and more. Call for details.

9985 E. 104th Ave.
Henderson, CO 80640
303-333-6363

Technology Recycling

Call for fees to recycle computers and monitors. Call for fees (Hours: Mon. - Fri. 8 AM - 5 PM).

www.techrecycle.com
19776 E. Loyola Cir.
Aurora, CO
303-766-9608 or (1-800) 803-5442

TechnoRescue

Call for fees to recycle desktop computers, laptops, monitors, cabling, electrical wiring, cameras, phones, copiers, printers, fax machines, hard-drives, keyboards, mice, scanners, servers, televisions and any computer or UPS batteries. Call for details.

www.TechnoRescue.com
6150 E. 49th Ave.
Commerce City, CO 80022
303-482-2207

Dell Computers

There is no fee for recycling but you must pay shipping. Visit online or call for details to purchase prepaid shipping labels.

www.dell4me.com/recycling
1-800-915-3355

Waste Management Recycle America

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Greendisk.com

CDs & DVDs, diskettes, video and audio tapes and their cases, inkjet and toner cartridges, cell phones, pagers and PDAs, cords, cables, mice, printed circuit boards, computers, monitors, and peripherals. There is a fee.

www.greendisk.com

IBM

The IBM PC Recycling Service allows consumers and businesses to recycle any manufacturer's PCs, including system units, monitors, printers and optional attachments. Call for shipping estimates.

www.ibm.com
1-888-SHOP-IBM

Sam's Club

Items accepted under the program include desktop and laptop computers, game systems, LCD monitors, printers, camcorders, digital cameras and MP3 players. Items not collected in the stores, but members will receive a voucher to ship items free of charge to recycling centers.

Office Depot

"Tech Recycling Boxes" available for a fee to recycle monitors, TVs, fax machines, computers, telephones, cameras, and other electronic equipment.

www.officedepot.com

ELECTRONICS – REUSE/DONATION

If your electronics are not in good working condition, please do not consider making a donation, as you will only be burdening the nonprofit with the cost of recycling your electronics.

Jared Polis Foundation, Community Computer Connection

Refurbishes donated working computers and provides them to qualified nonprofit organizations and schools throughout Colorado. Accepts working desk top PC-based computers and laptops that are Pentium III or equivalent, 700 MHz or faster and other working components and peripherals such as monitors, printers, monitor cords, mice, scanners, projectors, digital cameras, etc. *Must call to make a drop-off appointment.*

www.jaredpolisfoundation.org
14200 E. 35th Pl. Unit 105
Aurora, CO
303.962.2270

Cartridges for Kids

Pays for used inkjet, laser, fax and copier cartridges, used cell phones, laptops and PDAs. If you would like to donate any of the above items to a local school or non-profit organization, CFK will either pick up the items or provide you with pre-paid shipping labels. Access Computer Products, Inc. also provides a program that recycles computers, monitors, printers and other electronic waste materials.

www.cartridgesforkids.com

451 W. 69th St.

Loveland, CO

1-800-420-0235

Denver Tech For All

Accepts working computers for donation. Call for details or to arrange a drop-off appointment.

www.denverttechforall.org

1709 S. Acoma St.

Denver, CO

303-777-7711, ext.114

Gives Foundation/ Mountain Recyclers

Accepts working computers for donation. Fees may apply on older models. Call for information or an appointment.

Longmont, CO

303-682-3171

YouthBiz

Accepts desktop computers and laptop computers (Pentium III or higher) and most reusable computer equipment for their youth programs. No fees. Will pick up in Denver metro area but prefers drop-off. Call for more information.

YouthBiz.org

3535 Larimer St.

Denver, CO

303-297-0212

Cerebral Palsy of Colorado

Accepts used laptop computers.

www.cpco.org/recycling

2200 S. Jasmine St.

Denver, CO

303-691-9339