

Fairfield County's Recycling Guide



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www.fairfieldrecycles.org

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ACCEPTED MATERIALS

ALUMINUM CANS

(Drain & rinse.)

STEEL CANS

(Vegetable, cat food, soup cans etc. Drain & rinse)

GLASS BOTTLES AND JARS ONLY

(Drain & rinse. Accepted at certain locations)

#1 & #2 PLASTIC ONLY

(Drain & rinse.)

NEWSPAPER/MAGAZINES/CATALOGS

OFFICE PAPER

PAPERBOARD

(Cereal boxes, tissue boxes, beverage container boxes, frozen entree boxes, etc. Flatten and place in paper bin)

CORRUGATED CARDBOARD



UNACCEPTED MATERIALS

- Paper with a heavy wax coating
- Carbon paper
- Plastics other than #1 & #2
- Medicine containers (pill bottles)
- Plastic toys
- Syringes or medical waste
- Window glass, ceramics, glass tableware, decorative glass, glass vases and light bulbs
- Aluminum foil and food trays
- Plastic peanut butter containers
- Plastic antifreeze and motor oil containers
- Styrofoam
- Furniture



Lancaster-Fairfield Community Action Recycling Center

23 Convenient Drop Off Trailers

Call 740-687-1295 for more information or visit us on the web at:

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****Locations that accept glass**

Lancaster Area Locations:

1. ****Community Action Agency – 1743 East Main Street, Lancaster – West Parking Lot**
2. Community Transition Center - 151 E. Hubert Avenue, Lancaster
3. Crossroads Event Center – 2095 West Fair Avenue, Lancaster – East Parking Lot
4. ****Liberty Center – 951 Liberty Drive, Lancaster - Off of West Fair Avenue**
5. Ohio University – 1570 Granville Pike, Lancaster - University Parking Lot
6. St. Mark Parish – 324 Gay Street, Lancaster – Near Church Entrance

Pickerington Area Locations:

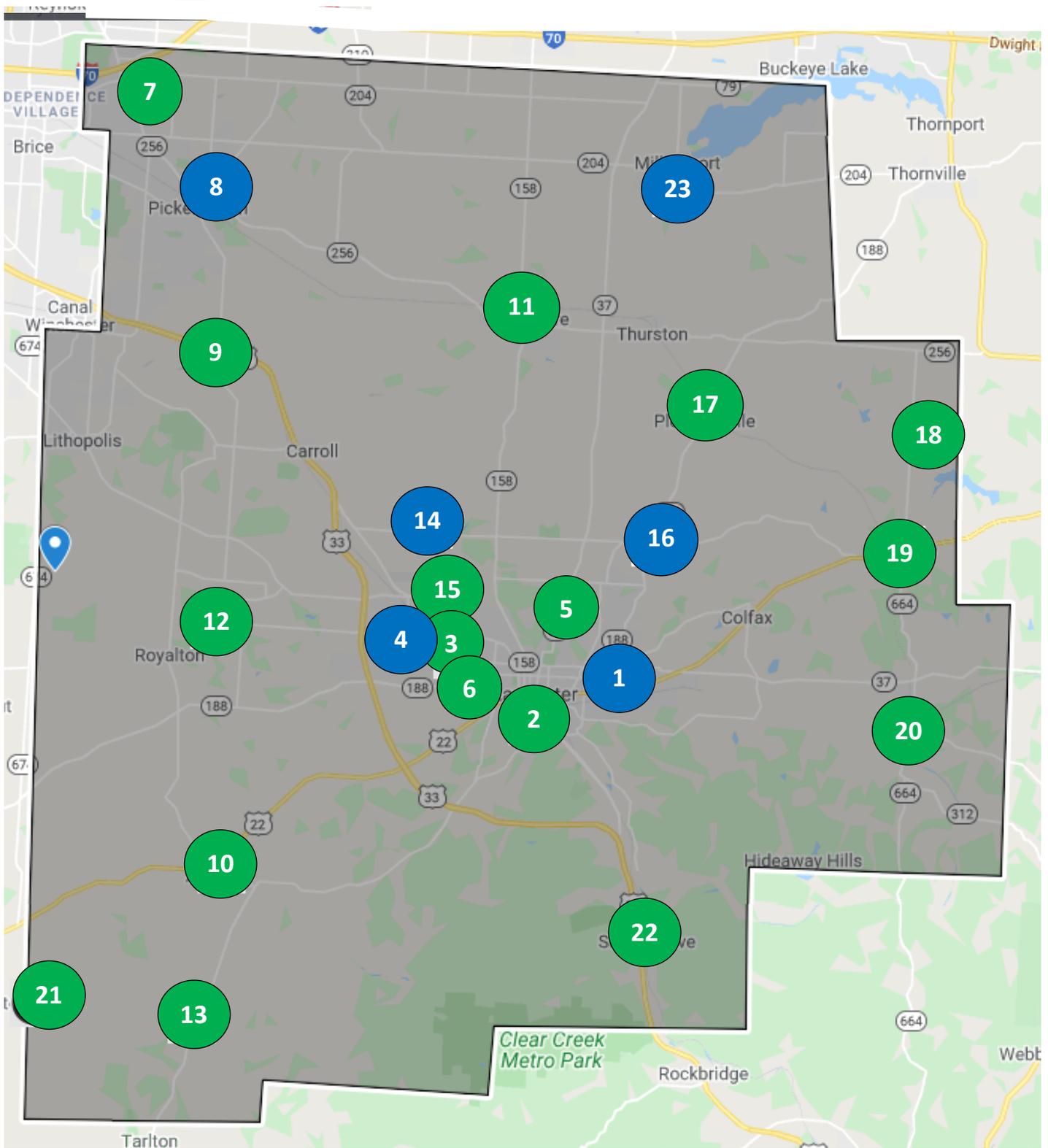
7. Ohio University – 12933 Stonecreek Drive N.W., Pickerington
8. ****Township Maintenance Building – 417 N. Center Street, Pickerington at Stemen Road**
9. Zeller Park – 8475 Benadum Road N.W., Canal Winchester at Amanda Northern Road

Other Fairfield County Locations:

10. Amanda Village – Halderman and Kirby Street, Amanda – Near Water Tower
11. Baltimore Village – 500 Washington Street, Baltimore – Liberty Union High School Lot
12. Bloom Township – 7698 Oberlin Ct., Lancaster – Next to firehouse in College View Subdivision
13. Clearcreek Township – 9101 Chillicothe Lancaster Road, Amanda – Oakland Grocery, SR 159
14. ****Greenfield Township – 3245 Havensport Rd. NW, Carroll –Next to firehouse.**
15. Greenfield Township – 2784 N. Columbus Street, Lancaster – Matt Taylor Kia
16. ****Pleasant Township – 3005 Lancaster-Thornville Rd. N.E., Lancaster - SR 188 & Coonpath Rd.**
17. Pleasantville Maintenance Building– 106 East Columbus St. Pleasantville
18. Richland Township - 8885 Pleasantville Road N. E., Thornville - Township Barn
19. Richland Township – 3150 Market Street, Rushville – Fire Department
20. Rushcreek Township – 127 S. Mulberry St., Bremen – Next to Township Building
21. Stoutsville Village - Main Street, Stoutsville - Behind Village Garage
22. Sugar Grove Village – 600 N. Elm Street, Sugar Grove – In the Village Park
23. ****Walnut Township - 11420 Millersport Rd. NE, Millersport – Near township building**



Fairfield County Residential Recycling Locations



Locations that accept glass.



No glass recycling at these locations.

Directory

The following are listed for informational purposes only. Call for services and pricing.

Antifreeze

- Frank Used Auto Parts: 740-987-2277

Automobiles

- Lancaster Auto Recycling: 740-687-1295

Appliances

- Best Buy: 740-654-8314 (Lancaster), 614-863-3442 (Reynoldsburg)
- Lancaster City Transfer Station: 740-687-6660

Bags & Film

(Plastic)

- Giant Eagle
- Kroger
- Meijer
- Walmart
- Target
- Lowes

**Battery terminals (+/-) on all batteries should be taped before recycling.

Batteries

(Alkaline)

- County Records Office: 138 W. Chestnut St. Lancaster (For residents only).
- Fairfield County District Library: (Amanda Johns Branch, Baltimore Branch, Bremen Branch, Main Branch, Northwest Branch. For residents only.)
- Lancaster-Fairfield Community Action Recycling Center: 740-205-8027 (For residents only, terminals must be taped before recycling).
- Retrieval Technologies Inc.: 740-862-9013

Batteries

(Lead-Acid)

- Scott's Marathon Service Center: 740-653-1448 (limited 2)
- Tuffy Tire & Auto Service Center: 740-653-7054
- Retrieval Technologies Inc.: 740-862-9013

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Batteries **(Rechargeable)**

- Best Buy: 740-654-8314 (Lancaster), 614-863-3442 (Reynoldsburg)
- Lancaster-Fairfield Community Action Recycling Center: 740-205-8027 (For residents only, terminals must be taped before recycling).
- Lowes: 740-681-3464 (Lancaster), 614-769-9940 (Reynoldsburg)
- Retrieval Technologies Inc.: 740-862-9013

Building **Supplies**

- Micro Roll-Off Containers: 740-862-0751
- Restore: 740-654-3434 (Accepts new/gently used building supplies, appliances, or furniture that can be reused)

Cardboard

- Lancaster-Fairfield Community Action Recycling Center & Residential Recycling Sites: 740-687-1295 (flatten all cardboard. See page 4 for a list of recycling locations.)

Cell Phones

- Best Buy: 740-654-8314 (Lancaster), 614-863-3442 (Reynoldsburg)
- EcoATM: Kiosk located at Kroger (1621 N. Memorial Dr.) and River Valley Mall
- Lancaster-Fairfield Community Action Recycling Center: 740-205-8027
- Lowes: 740-681-3464 (Lancaster), 614-769-9940 (Reynoldsburg)
- Target: 740-681-1012 (Lancaster), 614-655-5001 (Reynoldsburg)

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Clothing

- Goodwill: 740-654-5150 (Lancaster), 614-751-3766 (Pickerington)
- Maywood Mission: 740-653-4458
- Salvation Army: 740-687-1921
- St. Vincent De Paul: 740-653-6037
- Ohio Thrift: 740-808-8819

Computer Equipment & Electronics

- AT-Ohio's Computer Recycling & Redistribution Program: 740-808-8819 (working units only)
- Best Buy: 740-654-8314 (Lancaster), 614-863-3442 (Reynoldsburg)
- Fairfield Core & Recycling: 740-277-7907
- Staples: 614-866-1332 (Reynoldsburg)
- Ohio Mulch: 614-833-6160
- TDR: 614-379-2093

Demolition & Debris

- Ewing St. Stone: 740-277-6115 (concrete and asphalt disposal only)
- Farmers Refuse & Trucking Inc.: 740-385-7228 (Logan)
- Micro Roll-Off Containers: 740-862-0751

Document Destruction

- Global Document Destruction: 888-269-5174
- Lancaster-Fairfield Community Action Recycling Center: 740-687-1295
- Ohio Mobile Shredding: 614-236-1979
- Stericycle: 859-201-9868

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Drug Drop Off

- Lancaster Police Department:
- Pickerington Police

Florescent Light Bulbs

- Menards: 740-654-3538

Furniture & Household Items

- Goodwill: 740-654-5150 (Lancaster), 614-751-3766 (Pickerington)
- Ohio Thrift: 740-808-8819
- Restore: 740-654-3434 (Accepts new/gently used building supplies, appliances, or furniture that can be reused)
- Salvation Army: 740-687-1921
- St. Vincent De Paul: 740-653-6037

Glass

- Lancaster-Fairfield Community Action Recycling Center & at 8 Residential Recycling Sites: See page 4 for locations. Glass from bottles and jars only.
- Strategic Materials: 740-349-9523 (Newark)

Household Hazardous Waste

- Environmental Enterprises Inc.: 614-294-1300
- SWACO: 614-871-5100 (Columbus)

Helium Tanks

- Steel & aluminum tanks can be recycled or disposed with your regular trash once the pressure has been released. The valve should be opened and the tank marked "empty". Follow the instructions that came with your tank & contact your local hauler to see if they will pick them up.
- Lancaster City Transfer Station: 740-687-6660

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Industrial Materials

- U.S.T. Environmental Contractor: 800-878-1727

Ink Cartridges

- Best Buy: 740-654-8314 (Lancaster), 614-863-3442 (Reynoldsburg)
- Office Max: 740-653-8941
- Many ink companies have a “mail it back” program where you can recycle your ink cartridges for free. Literature included in your cartridge will have further instructions about offered programs.

Mattresses

- Lancaster City Transfer Station: 740-687-6660
- Milton LLC. Mattress Recycling (Nelsonville): 740-541-7974

Mercury Thermostats

- Fairfield County Health Department: 740-652-2800 (remove any unnecessary housing or parts before disposal)

Motor Oil

- Advance Auto Parts: 740-687-3381 (819 E. Main St. Lancaster), 740-689-0098 (1208 N. Memorial Dr.)
- Lancaster-Fairfield Community Action Recycling Center: 740-205-8027 (Used must be free from water, antifreeze and other contaminants.)
- O'Reilly Auto Parts: 740-687-0087
- SWACO: 614-294-1300 (Columbus)
- Tire Choice Auto Service Center: 740-212-2637
- Tractor Supply: 740-654-1496 (Carroll)
- Walmart Tire & Lube Express: 740-687-0323 (Lancaster), 614-833-3930 (Canal Winchester)

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Packaging Material

- The UPS Store: 740-654-5335

Paint

- Use leftovers to paint closets, tool sheds, doghouses, etc.
- Donate it to parks, day cares, churches, theater groups, etc.
- If disposal is necessary: Remove lids if no more than half full. Set out in a well ventilated area away from children and pets. Add kitty litter or sawdust to aid in drying process. Once dried it can be placed with household trash.

Paper

- Lancaster-Fairfield Community Action & Residential Recycling Sites (see page 4): Newspaper, office paper, phone books, catalogs, magazines, paperboard (ex. Mac & Cheese box), mail, and office paper are accepted.

Plastic

Lancaster-Fairfield Community Action & Residential Recycling Sites (see page 4): 740-687-1295, Plastics #1 & #2 only.

Planters

- Home Depot
- Lowes
- Walmart
- Many local gardening stores accepts planters as well. Call before taking them.

Propane Tanks

- SWACO: 614-294-1300
- Ohio Gas of Lancaster: 740-654-7973
- United Landmark: 740-626-9300

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Scrap Metals

- Fairfield Core & Recycling: 740-277-7907
- Lancaster-Fairfield Community Action Recycling Center: 740-687-1295

Steel Cans

- Lancaster-Fairfield Community Action & Residential Recycling Sites (see page 4): 740-687-1295

Styrofoam

- Fabricated Packaging Materials: 740-687-5934, Expanded Polystyrene only.

Tires

- Firestone Complete Auto Care: 614-434-6988
- Huddle Tire Co.: 740-653-4050
- Katz Tires: 740-785-5044
- Lancaster City Transfer Station: 740-687-6660

Yard Waste

- Micro Materials: 740-862-0751
- Ohio Mulch: 614-863-0445
- Pine Grove Landfill: 740-969-4487

DISCLAIMER

These companies are listed for informational purposes only. Fairfield County does not endorse any of these entities nor their services. For more information on where to recycle or for proper disposal, contact the Lancaster-Fairfield Community Action Recycling & Litter Prevention Program at 740-205-8027.

***Note: Services are subject to change at any given time.**

Waste & Recycling Haulers

Call for services & pricing.

- **AJW Sanitation: 740-243-7351**
- **BSS Waste Disposal: 740-385-6552**
- **Buckeye Hauling Disposal: 740-438-5125**
 - **D&D Refuse: 740-474-3001**
- **Farmers Refuse & Trucking: 740-385-7228**
 - **Glass City Recycling: 740-407-7227**
 - **JNR Services: 740-654-9832**
- **Lancaster City Sanitation: 740-687-6660**
- **Lancaster-Fairfield Community Action Recycling Center: 740-687-1295**
 - **Local Waste Services: 614-409-9375**
 - **Micro Construction: 710-862-0751**
- **No Better Kontainer Services: 937-414-0173**
 - **R&R Waste Services: 740-939-0067**
- **Republic Waste Services: 740-272-3981**
 - **Rumpke: 740-474-9790**
 - **Trace's Sanitation: 740-385-6951**
- **Waste Management: 866-797-9018**

Educational Services

The average American generates a substantial amount of waste per year, throwing away approximately 4lbs of trash a day. Recycling can be confusing to many, but we can help! LFCAA Recycling & Litter Prevention offers a variety of services to make recycling and waste disposal easy for your organization.

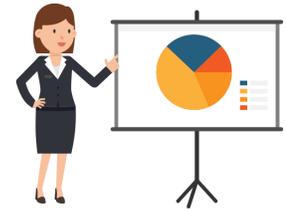


Educational Programs & Workshops

LFCAA Recycling & Litter Prevention offers free educational programs about recycling & sustainability for businesses, schools and organizations. We offer a variety of environmental programs such as recycling, composting, micro-plastics, buying recycled, etc. Programs can be held in person or virtually!

Waste Consulting

From the breakroom to the manufacturing process, we will help your company divert waste! Let us help you find solutions for hard to recycle items or reduce your company's recycling contamination. Waste consults can be done virtually or in person at your facility.



Adopt-A-Road & Litter Clean Ups

Help beautify the community and protect our waterways and wildlife by cleaning up a local road, park or stream! LFCAA Recycling & Litter Prevention provides free clean-up supplies to businesses, industries, schools and organizations interested.

Loan a Recycling Bin

Encourage participants to recycle at your next community event by borrowing LFCAA Recycling & Litter's recycling bins!



Receive our quarterly Business & Industry Newsletter

Every quarter we send out helpful information on recycling and sustainability. We also recognize a local business and industry who is practicing sustainability. To sign up or have your company be featured in our newsletter, contact us at 740-205-8027 or by email kmurphy@faircaa.org.

If your organization is interested in one of the following programs, contact Keri, LFCAA Recycling & Litter Prevention's Environmental Education Specialist at **740-205-8027** or by email kmurphy@faircaa.org.

Additional Resources

The following resources provide educational information on disposal and recycling.

⇒ Coshocton-Fairfield-Licking-Perry Solid Waste District: 740-349-6308, www.cflpswd.org

⇒ Earth 911: www.earth911.com

⇒ Lancaster-Fairfield Community Action Recycling & Litter Prevention: 740-687-1295,
www.fairfieldrecycles.org, Facebook & Instagram @faircaarecycles

⇒ Ohio EPA Recycling Directory: www.recyclesearch.com

⇒ Solid Waste Authority of Central Ohio (SWACO): 614-871-5100, www.swaco.org

⇒ Terracycle: www.terracycle.com



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@faircaarecycles

REPORT ILLEGAL DUMPING

Illegal dumping has a large impact on our neighborhoods, safety, roads, waterways and wildlife. You can help put an end to illegal dumping by providing the following information to Fairfield County's Sheriff's Office:

- License plate number and description of vehicle.
- Description of the dumper & material dumped.
- Address of where the dumping occurred.
- If possible, take photos/videos of the dumping.



REPORT ILLEGAL DUMPING TO FAIRFIELD COUNTY'S
LITTER DEPTUY GARY HUMMEL AT 740-652-7900

Frequently Asked Questions

- **Are plastic bags recyclable?**

Not at our facility. Please recycle materials loosely into our bins and take your plastic bags back to your local grocery store.

- **Do I have to sort my recyclables?**

When different materials are mixed, it makes it more difficult to sort the materials which increase contamination. Each market has a limit on the types of accepted material and contaminants allowed. These standards have to be met in order to meet vendor requirements. When visiting recycling sites, please follow the directions listed on each recycling container.

- **Can pizza boxes be recycled?**

Yes and no. Typically only the top of pizza boxes can be recycled. Grease containments cardboard, which makes it unable to be recycled. Compost or throw away greasy pizza boxes. If the grease spot is smaller than a quarter on the box, then you may proceed with recycling.

