



HOW DO I GET RID OF IT?

The A to Z Guide for Recycling & Disposal in Pinellas County

<http://www.pinellascounty.org/utilities/getridofit>

Questions? Call Solid Waste at 464-7500.

All phone numbers are area code 727, unless otherwise indicated.

Packing Materials

Styrofoam or plastic packaging such as peanuts, polystyrene, or bubble wrap

1. **Reduce** waste by using items you have on hand instead of buying new packing materials. For example, use crumpled plastic grocery bags or newspaper to pad items to be mailed.
2. **Reuse** packing materials. Designate an area to keep used boxes, bubble wrap, and packing peanuts so you will have them handy when needed for:
 - a) Mailing
 - b) Storage
 - c) Potting plants (use packing peanuts in the bottom of a large pot to promote drainage, save on potting soil, and add minimal weight)
3. **Drop off** at a mailing store for reuse.
 - a) All of the stores listed below accept plastic packing peanuts and bubble wrap.
 - b) Only the stores marked “yes” accept molded Styrofoam (also called EPS or polystyrene) used to cushion items such as computers.

List is alphabetical by city and then store name.

City	Store Name	Address	Phone	Styrofoam blocks?
Belleair Bluffs	UPS Store (<i>peanuts only</i>)	2840 W. Bay Dr.	584-6144	No
Clearwater	Bubbles Wrap & Send	2174 Nursery Rd.	538-9727	Yes
Clearwater	Goin' Postal	1550 McMullen Booth Rd. Ste. F-3	797-1550	Yes
Clearwater	Pac N' Send	1548 Missouri Ave. S.	461-0461	No
Clearwater	UPS Store	140 Island Way	446-0660	No
Clearwater	UPS Store	2519 McMullen Booth Rd.	726-3456	Yes
Clearwater	UPS Store	2643 Gulf to Bay Blvd.	725-9985	Yes
Clearwater	UPS Store	2655 Ulmerton Rd.	556-0500	Yes
Dunedin	Pac N' Send	1110B Overcash Dr. Ste. E	736-6500	Yes
Dunedin	UPS Store	1497 Main St.	738-4409	No
Largo	B&D Pack & Ship	7500 Ulmerton Rd. #16	536-8542	Yes
Largo	Orbit Profess. Packing (<i>bubble wrap only</i>)	13732 W. Rena Dr.	507-7447	No
Largo	Pac N' Send	14100 Walsingham Rd.	596-0569	Yes
Largo	Pak Mail	873 W. Bay Dr.	584-8801	Yes
Largo	Pak Mail (<i>peanuts only</i>)	10500 Ulmerton Rd.	584-2992	No
Largo	UPS Store	13785 Walsingham Rd.	517-2355	No
Largo	UPS Store	3665 E. Bay Dr. #204	535-0620	Yes
Palm Harbor	Goin' Postal	1334 Tampa Rd.	772-0424	Yes
Palm Harbor	Mail Room	3438 East Lake Rd. #14	786-7795	Yes



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Palm Harbor	Pack / Ship Unlimited	30617 US Hwy. 19 N.	789-2005	Yes
Palm Harbor	Postal Center USA	2710 Alt. 19 #301	787-7678	Yes
Palm Harbor	UPS Store	334 East Lake Rd.	785-4900	Yes
Palm Harbor	UPS Store	35246 US Hwy. 19 N.	784-4040	No
Palm Harbor	UPS Store	36181 East Lake Rd.	785-6633	Yes
Pinellas Park	UPS Store	7780 - 49 th St. N.	209-2459	Yes
Seminole	UPS Store	10801 Starkey Rd. #104	391-6094	Yes
Seminole	UPS Store	11125 Park Blvd.	399-8066	Yes
Seminole	UPS Store	13799 Park Blvd. N.	394-0104	Yes
St. Pete Beach	Pack & Mail	7217 Gulf Blvd.	360-9008	Yes
St. Petersburg	Central Ave. Pack & Ship	7110 Central Ave.	345-8474	Yes
St. Petersburg	Family Pak & Ship	2822 - 54 th Ave. S.	865-2320	Yes
St. Petersburg	I Sold it on eBay (peanuts only)	10452 Roosevelt Blvd. (Gateway Crossing Plaza)	577-3229	No
St. Petersburg	Mail Box Express	3993 Tyrone Blvd. N.	384-2811	Yes
St. Petersburg	Mail Relief	8401 - 9 th St. N. Ste. C	577-9009	Yes
St. Petersburg	Packaging Store	3150 - 46 th Ave. N.	526-4204	Yes
St. Petersburg	PKG's	2421 - 4 th St. N.	895-7547	Yes
St. Petersburg	Sending TLC	4604 - 49 th St. N.	520-1314	Yes
St. Petersburg	UPS Store	10460 Roosevelt Blvd.	579-0700	Yes
St. Petersburg	UPS Store	200 - 2 nd Ave. S.	826-6075	Yes
St. Petersburg	UPS Store	204 - 37 th Ave. N	822-5823	Yes
St. Petersburg	UPS Store	4905 - 34 th St. S.	867-7234	Yes
St. Petersburg	UPS Store	6822 - 22 nd Ave. N.	381-2011	Yes

Local FedEx Office stores do not participate in reusing packing material at this time. There is a peanut recycling hotline (800-828-2214) and [website](#), but neither list is comprehensive.

4. **Businesses** can use the options listed above. For large quantities of Styrofoam, contact one of the following companies:
- [EPS Partners](#) (813-475-5755)
 - [Intercon Solutions](#) (813-625-1122)
 - [Keep Pinellas Beautiful](#) (533-0402)
 - [RecycleTech](#) (863-665-3755)

Also see: [Plastic bags](#) (to recycle “inflated air pillow packing”)
[Plastic waste](#) (to recycle commercial plastic)