



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.

Business Fees for Hazardous Waste

These fees are charged to businesses bringing hazardous waste (electronics or chemical waste) to a Pinellas County [mobile collection](#) or [EnviroBusiness Day](#). These are the County-negotiated rates charged by our chemical and electronics contractors. **NOTE: It is illegal for businesses to put electronics or hazardous chemicals in the regular trash!**

ELECTRONICS:

Contractor = Creative Recycling (813-621-2319)

Electronic Item	Fee (per lb.)	Sample Fee
Camcorder	FREE	NO CHARGE
Camera - digital	FREE	NO CHARGE
Cassette player	FREE	NO CHARGE
CD player	FREE	NO CHARGE
Cell phone	FREE	NO CHARGE
Computer - accessories (keyboard, mouse, cable, game hardware, external drive, etc.)	FREE	NO CHARGE
Computer - CPU or laptop	Rebate	5¢ per lb. rebate
Computer - modem	FREE	NO CHARGE
Computer - monitor	5¢	\$1.50 for 30 lb. monitor
Computer - printer	FREE	NO CHARGE
Fax machine	FREE	NO CHARGE
GPS unit	FREE	NO CHARGE
Laptop	FREE	NO CHARGE
Marine depth finder	FREE	NO CHARGE
Microwave oven	FREE	NO CHARGE
Pager	FREE	NO CHARGE
PDA wireless device	FREE	NO CHARGE
Photocopier	5¢	\$15 for 300 lb. photocopier
Power tools	FREE	NO CHARGE
Printer cartridge (laser or inkjet)	FREE	NO CHARGE
Projector	FREE	NO CHARGE
Radio	FREE	NO CHARGE
Scanner	FREE	NO CHARGE
Speakers	FREE	NO CHARGE
Stereo	FREE	NO CHARGE
Telephone	FREE	NO CHARGE
Television (TV)	15¢	\$11.25 for 75 lb. TV
Typewriter	FREE	NO CHARGE
UPS power protection	FREE	NO CHARGE
VCR	FREE	NO CHARGE

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The listing is not all-inclusive or exclusive, and is subject to change. Contact the organizations listed to verify program details.

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Business Fees for Hazardous Waste *continued*

CHEMICALS:

Contractor = EQ Florida (813-319-3400)

Chemicals are accepted only from small waste generators (businesses producing less than 25 gallons, or 250 pounds, of chemical waste per month).

Type of Chemical	Examples	Fee (per lb.)	Sample Fee*
Aerosols	air freshener, bug spray, WD-40, furniture polish, tile cleaner	80¢	80¢ for a full can of tile cleaner (1 lb.)
Batteries - alkaline	disposable household alkaline batteries such as AA or C	\$1.25	\$1.25 for 10 assorted alkaline batteries (1 lb.)
Batteries - button cell	small round batteries found in watches, calculators, cameras	\$1.25	\$1.25 for 50 button cell batteries (1 lb.)
Batteries - rechargeable	found in cordless devices such as power tools or laptop computers	\$1.25	\$1.25 for 7 assorted small rechargeable batteries (1 lb.)
Corrosives	drain cleaner, lye, pool chemicals	54¢	\$1.35 for 1 quart of drain cleaner (2.5 lbs.)
Flammables-liquid	acetone, ethanol, lighter fluid, mineral spirits, automotive fluids (oil, steering, trans.), paint thinner	25¢	25¢ for 1 quart of paint thinner (1 lb.)
Flammables-solid	roofing tar	92¢	\$7.36 for 1 gallon of tar (8 lbs.)
Float switch	water pump control used for wells or boats	\$7	\$20 for 2 lb. switch used for a small boat
Fluorescent bulbs	energy-efficient lighting tube (contains mercury)	15¢ per foot	\$1.20 for an 8 foot fluorescent bulb
Oxidizers	bleach, fertilizer, iodine, mildew remover, stump remover	\$2.00	\$4.50 for 1 quart of bleach (2.5 lbs.)
Paint - latex	water-based latex, vinyl, or acrylic paint in a spray or can	20¢	20¢ for 1 gallon of latex paint (1 lb.)
Paint - oil	oil-based alkyd, polyurethane, or varnish paint in a spray or can	48¢	\$2.40 for 5 gallons of oil paint (5 lbs.)
Poisons	creosote, herbicides, pesticides	90¢	\$4.50 for 5 lbs. of Weed & Feed

* *These are the maximum prices. Fees vary based on packaging and weight (e.g., liquids weigh from 7-10 lbs. per gallon). Low bulk rates are available for large quantities.*

CONTAINER:

Chemical waste must be in an approved Dept. of Transportation container. If not, the charges shown at right apply:

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Container	Fee
5-gallon pail	\$8.00
20-gallon fiber drum	\$29.38
30-gallon fiber drum	\$22.50
30-gallon steel drum	\$18.75
55-gallon poly drum	\$16.25
55-gallon steel drum	\$30.00
85-gallon salvage drum	\$132.00