



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.

Household Goods / Home Décor

*housewares such as pots and pans, dishes, cutlery, baskets, towels, and bedding;
decorative items such as lamps, vases, baskets, etc.*

1. **Reuse** items. For example:
 - a) Reuse *sheets* for paint drop cloths or frost protection for outdoor plants.
 - b) Reuse *towels* as cleaning rags.
 - c) Reuse *baskets* for storage or gift giving.
 - d) Visit the [HGTV website](#) for an extensive (and very creative) list of ways to reuse and recycle household items.

2. **Sell:**
 - a) [furniture consignment store](#) (*home décor or collectibles* only)
 - b) yard sale
 - c) Internet
 - d) [Craigslist For Sale](#)—Select “post” to list your items.
 - e) free newspaper ad in the [St. Petersburg Times](#) (3-line limit)

3. **Donate:**
 - a) Drop off *towels, sheets, or blankets* at an [animal shelter](#) for bedding.
 - b) Drop off *vases or baskets* at a florist for reuse. There are over 150 florists in the county, and they welcome donations of usable containers.
 - c) Donate to a [local thrift store or charity](#).
 - d) Use [Freecycle](#)—Sign up for a local group (Clearwater, Clearwater Beach, North Pinellas, Largo, or St. Petersburg), and list your items.
 - e) Use [Craigslist Free Stuff](#)—Select “post” to list your items.
 - f) Free newspaper ads—[St. Petersburg Times](#) (3 lines) or [Tampa Bay Newspapers](#) (15 words).

Also see: [Appliances](#)
[Furniture / Collectibles](#)
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