SAGUARO ENVIRONMENTAL CUSTOMER SERVICE: 520-745-8820

Acceptable Recyclable Materials

Paper

White & colored Exception: no neon bright colors

Coated & non-coated paper

Open mail (with non-paper items removed; window envelopes & labels OK)

Adding machine tape

Accounting ledgers

Tabulating & time cards

Pamphlets, brochures, advertising flyers, posters

Booklets & magazines & catalogs (less than 1/2" thick)

Carbonless multi-forms (i.e., NCR paper)

Paper from legal, steno, note & message pads

Sticky (Post-It) notes

Fax & telex sheets, computer & copy paper

Manila or pastel file folders

Shredded paper in a secured, clear plastic bag

--Please put white paper in a separate bag if possible

this is the only time plastic bags should go in a recycling container

Paperboard/chipboard (like cereal or stationery boxes.

Exception: no paperboard with metallic and wax coating)

- Phone books, Newspaper & brown bags
- Fiberboard (like paper egg cartons & some packing material)
- Milk & juice cartons
- #6 polystyrene (Styrofoam) food containers and packing blocks Exception: no "peanuts"
- Corrugated cardboard (flatten & cut as needed to fit in container)
- #1 & #2 plastic bottles & jugs with necks or screw-on lids Exception: no tubs, pails with metal handles
- Steel & tin cans (including non-aerosol cans)
- Aluminum cans & foil & foil baking pans
- Glass food & beverage containers

Do not flatten cans, jugs or bottles, labels ok

Unacceptable Recyclable Materials

- Plastic bags
- Food waste
- Styrofoam "peanuts"
- Yard/Landscape debris

- Window glass
- Ceramics, crystal
- Mirrors, Plastic chairs
- Glued binders, Blueprints
- Wide-mouthed plastic containers (i.e. yogurt containers)
- Paper plates, Paper cups, Paper towels, Tissue paper
- Hazardous items, Medical supplies, Electronics or Batteries, Green/food waste

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SAGUARO ENVIRONMENTAL CUSTOMER SERVICE: 520-745-8820 Household Hazardous Waste Disposal Options

Household Hazardous Wastes (HHW) should never be placed in household trash or flushed into the sewer system. There are four disposal options for residents in the Green Valley area.

Each year, early Spring and late Fall HHW collection events are held in Green Valley. All Household Hazardous Wastes may be taken to the HHW Main Site located at 2440 West Sweetwater Drive in Tucson only on Fridays and Saturdays from 8:00 AM to Noon. (See the back of this page for directions to the HHW Main Site.)

On the first Saturday of each month (excluding holidays), there are HHW collections at "outreach" sites. The "outreach" site closest to Green Valley is at the El Pueblo Neighborhood Center, 101 W. Irvington Road. (See the back of this page for directions.) Antifreeze, Batteries, Oil, and Paint (ABOP) products can be taken to a drop-off station located at the Sahuarita Landfill. The ABOP Drop-Off Station at Sahuarita Landfill is one of five such collection stations in Tucson and Pima County.

Outdated Fire Extinguishers may be dropped off at any Green Valley Fire District Station, or at the Green Valley Fire District Administration Offices located on Encanto just east of the corner of Camino Del Sol and Encanto. Outdated Fire Extinguishers are the only HHW accepted by the Green Valley Fire District.

Directions to the Household Hazardous Waste Main Site

From Green Valley, take I-19 north to I-10. Take I-10 west to the Prince Road exit, go left (west, under I-10) on Prince Road to Business Center Drive, north to River Park Drive, turn left, then right on Commerce Drive, left on Access Drive, and right onto Sweetwater Drive. The HHW Main Site (the building with the United States flag) is directly north of the Stop Sign (also just north of the Aufmuth Motors building). On Friday and Saturday mornings, HHW A-frame signs are posted to direct you to the site.