

## BOYLE COUNTY CONVENIENCE CENTERS

### SOLID WASTE AND RECYCLING

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#### **Boyle County Convenience Centers:** (Closed Holidays)

- **Gose Pike** Danville (859)-238-1106  
Monday – Saturday 7am-5pm
- **Alum Springs** Junction City (859)-854-3404  
Tuesday – Saturday 9am-5pm  
Closed Monday
- **Perryville** City of Perryville (859) 332-8225  
Mon., Thur. - Sat 7am-5pm  
Closed Tues. - Wed.
- **Mitchellsburg** Mitchellsburg (859) 332-4918  
Tuesday – Saturday 9am-5pm  
Closed Monday
- **Forkland** Forkland (859) 332-7268  
Monday, Tuesday 9am – 5pm  
Friday, Saturday  
Closed Wednesday and Thursday

**Holidays:** New Year’s Day, Martin Luther King Jr. Day, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Veterans Day, Thanksgiving (Thursday and Friday), Christmas Eve and Christmas Day (**Check newspaper for exact dates**)



## **SOLID WASTE:**

### **For Boyle County Residents Only**

#### **Must show proof of Residency**

Boyle County Solid Waste Residential Stickers available at Convenience Centers upon request

Each Convenience Center has an Operator willing to assist you with your solid waste or recycling questions. If we cannot accept your waste for any reason we will give you a location and telephone number of one that can. Below we have a list of area disposal options.

**For Convenience Center Concerns and/or Complaints call Donna Fechter at (859) 319-4803 or Ralph Smith at (859) 238-1116**

## **NO:**

- **For-Profit Business or Industry** (recycling options enclosed)
- **Out of County Residents** (recycling options enclosed)
- **No uncovered loose household waste** (Bag it or Can it)
- **Construction or Demolition Debris** (disposal options enclosed)
- **Hazardous or Liquid Waste** (Solid Waste main page for Household Hazardous Waste)
- **Propane, Gas, or other type flammable or explosive tanks** (disposal option enclosed)
- **Dead Animals** (disposal information enclosed)
- **No Dumpster Diving** (physically going into a waste box for the collection of an item)

All Boyle County Convenience Centers have 40-yard Compactors and 30-yard Open Tops for your convenience and are fully recycling friendly. Bag it or can it. All household waste should come into the center in bags or cans; this will help keep our roads litter-free. All household waste should go into compactors unless instructed by operator. All bulky waste such as couches and mattresses to be placed in 30-yard open tops, stairs have been provided for your safety and convenience. If an item should be brought in that is too heavy or bulky for you to comfortably put in one of our 30-yard boxes please do not try to do this by yourself. Let the operator know and if he/she cannot assist you they will instruct you where to put the item on the ground for us to handle at a future time. No dumpster diving. Boyle County realizes the value of re-use and recycling, our operators allow residents to put items out for the general public wishing to take them, but if it has been placed in a dumpster box or compactor it is no longer available. No exceptions. You're Safety and our employee's safety is our number one concern.

### Landfills and Transfer Stations

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| <b>1. Tri-K Landfill</b>                    | Lincoln County - KY Hwy 3249  | (606) 365-7806                    |
|   | Monday – Friday   | 7am – 4pm      Closed Holidays    |
|   | Saturday  | 7am – Noon                        |
| Gate Rate:                                  | Municipal Solid Waste   | \$46.50 per ton                   |
|   | Construction and Demolition Debris  | \$38.25 per ton                   |
|   | Special Waste (ex. shingles, asbestos)  | Call (\$ varies)                  |
| Special Waste:                              | Medical, Asbestos, Industrial, Contaminated Soil ECT  |                                   |
|   | Call Jeff Perry (502) 352-6250  |                                   |
| <b>2. Rumpke Transfer Station</b>           | Garrard County - US Hwy 27 and Hanging Fork Road  | (859) 792-6353                    |
|   | Monday – Friday   | 8am – 4pm      Saturday 8am- Noon |
| <b>3. Mercer County Transfer Station</b>    | Harrodsburg/Mercer County   | (859) 734-4754                    |
|   | Monday – Friday   | 8am – 4:15pm                      |
|   | Saturday  | 8am - 11:45am                     |
| <b>4. Mid-State Recycling (Scrap Metal)</b> | Danville/Boyle County   | (859) 238-4136                    |
|   | Monday – Friday   | 8am – 4:30pm                      |
| <b>5. Dead Animal (Livestock) Removal</b>   | Boyle County Residents  | (888) 744-1186                    |
|   | Bluegrass Recycling Services Cattle, Horses, Hogs, Ostrich,<br>Llamas, Goats, Sheep and Deer  |                                   |
|   | Monday – Friday   | 8am – 5pm      Closed Holidays    |
|   | For a complete list of livestock and pick-up specifications call Bluegrass Recycling Services |                                   |

- 6. Tree and Limb Drop-off** Boyle County Residents Only (859) 854-3404  
Alum Springs Convenience Center: 775 Yates Road  
Tuesday – Saturday 9am – 5 pm, closed Holidays. Proof of Residency Required.  
No mulch, leaves, or wood chips.

### **OTHER DISPOSAL OPTIONS**

- **AUTOMOTIVE FLUIDS** (Used Oil, Powers Steering Fluid, and Transmission Fluid)

1. Advance Auto Parts: 911 Hustonville Road, Danville; 7 days a week; 859-236-1540
2. Auto Zone: 611 South 4<sup>th</sup> Street, Danville; 7 days a week; 859-236-8425
3. Diesel Tech: 151 South Danville By-pass, Danville; Monday – Friday; 859-236-2545
4. O’Reilly Auto Parts: 1509 Hustonville Road, Danville; 7 days a week; 859-236-0209

- **BATTERIES**

All Boyle County Convenience Centers accept household batteries (A, AA, AAA, C, and D), automobile, tractor, lawnmower, and ATV

- **COOKING OIL**

No need to worry where you can dispose of your deep fryer cooking oil. All spent or used cooking oil can be taken to the Gose Pike Convenience Center. This oil is collected and recycled into biodiesel fuel by Griffin Industries Inc. This service is free of charge to Boyle County Residents. No petroleum.

- **ELECTRONICS**

All Boyle County Convenience Center accept electronics for recycling, including all wires and connectors. For a location near you call 859-238-1116.

- **GUNS AND AMMUNITION**

For disposal of guns or ammunition call the Boyle County Sheriff’s Department at 859-238-1123

- **NEEDLES AND SYRINGES**

For disposal of needles and syringes call the Boyle County Health Department at 859-236-2053. You pay \$5.00 for a sharps container and when filled return to Health Department for disposal. The \$5.00 fee covers the container and disposal.

- **PERScription DRUGS**

For prescription drug disposal call the Boyle County Sheriff's Department at 859-238-1123

- **PESTICIDES** (Farms)

The Kentucky Department of Agriculture, Office of Consumer and Environmental Protection, runs FREE pesticide collection and disposal program, the hotline for this FREE program is 1-800-205-6543, 8am – 4:30pm Monday-Friday

- **RINSE AND RETURN**

The Rinse and Return Program for pesticide containers is a voluntary, cooperative program sponsored by the Kentucky Department of Agriculture and the Agri-Business Association of Kentucky (ABAK). Other partners include Farm Bureau, the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Natural Resources Conservation Service and the local conservation districts. For more information go to [www.kyagr.com](http://www.kyagr.com)



## GOING GREEN IN BOYLE

### **RECYCLING:**

#### **Residence**

Boyle County Department of Solid Waste Management will be upgrading the Recycling areas of all its Convenience Centers from July 2011 – June 2012 with the help of a grant from the Kentucky Division of Waste Management. Please bear with us as this transformation takes place. Our intention is to make recycling drop-off safe, convenient, and help to pay for itself. With your assistance and cooperation in recycling drop-off we can divert solid waste cost and increase revenue through recycling commodities. If you need assistance or have questions please speak with one of our operators, they are there to assist you. Boyle County thanks you for recycling.

## **Out-of-County Residence**

Boyle County Convenience Centers **cannot** accept your solid waste; call your County Solid Waste Coordinator for your County Solid Waste Options. But we **can assist** out-of-county residents, especially those at our borders or working in Boyle County, by reducing their solid waste through recycling. Any out-of-county residents can drop-off any recycle material accepted at our Centers. This can help to keep your solid waste disposal cost down whether you pay by the bag or the ton. We welcome your participation and thank you for recycling.

## **For-Profit Business and Industry**

Boyle County Convenience Centers **cannot** accept your solid waste for disposal; call or e-mail Donna Fechter, Director of Solid Waste if you need assistance with locating Solid Waste Haulers that are registered and permitted in Boyle County. We **can assist** you by reducing your Solid Waste Stream through Recycling. Small for-profit businesses such as rental property management, electricians, plumbers, carpenters ECT can drop-off your recycled material such as cardboard, appliances, and metal. Businesses and Industry that generate a large amount of any type of recycled material accepted in the Boyle County Recycling program please call the Boyle County Department of Solid Waste Management for scheduled drop-off at the main Recycle Center at 1862 South Danville By-Pass. We have free paper shredding with document destruction certificate and recycling weight documentation for your corporate office to track your solid waste reduction percentage. Going Green in Boyle is a way to convey to your local, national, and international customer base that you care about the environmental impact or carbon foot print your company leaves behind.

**Please call us so we can help (859) 238-1116.**



**Accepted Items:**

**? - ASK OUR OPERATORS FOR ASSITANCE**



- **Bulky Metal:** 30- yard open top dumpster for all sizes, all types. Ferrous and Non-Ferrous. Swing sets, car rims, appliances, hot water heater, aluminum doors, grill ECT. (**No propane, gas or other type of hazardous tanks.**)

**PLACE ALL ACCEPTED ITEMS IN PROPER CONTAINERS OR BOXES**



- **Cardboard:** 30-yard open top dumpster. Please remove all packaging material and flatten all boxes. Materials included, but not limited to, are: Cardboard packing boxes, cardboard tubes, boxes (with grey or brown insides), pizza boxes, cereal boxes, beverage boxes and cardboard tubes (paper towel/toilet, foil, plastic/saran wrap) Please **remove metal strip** from foil, plastic and saran boxes.



- **Newspaper and Paper:** 20-yard enclosed box. • White paper • colored paper • envelopes • calendars • brown paper bags • notepads • folders • newspapers • fliers • brochures • phone books • junk mail and shredded paper (bagged in plastic bag) **No loose plastic bags.**

**PLACE ALL ACCEPTED ITEMS IN PROPER CONTAINERS OR BOXES**



- **Magazines:** 2-yard enclosed box. All magazines. **No plastic bags,** Keep it loose.





- **Books:** 96-gallon blue container. All hardcover or paperback books. **No plastic bags**, Keep it loose.



- **Glass Food and Beverage Containers:** 96-gallon blue container. Any glass food or beverage bottles and jars, any color. No need to remove labels, Keep it loose. **No lids or plastic bags**. No Pyrex, ceramic, plate glass, and light bulbs. Metal lids can be recycled in the bulky metal box.

**PLACE ALL ACCEPTED ITEMS IN PROPER CONTAINERS OR BOXES**



- **Steel and Aluminum Food and Beverage Containers:** 30-yard enclosed box. Any Steel or Aluminum food and beverage container. **No need** to remove labels. No plastic bags, Keep it loose



- **Batteries:** We do accept household batteries, car, all-terrain vehicle, and lawn mower batteries.



- **E-Scrap:** The list of accepted e-scrap includes CPUs, servers, CRT- and LCD-based computer monitors, computer mice, printers, cables, modems, speakers, scanners, electronic peripherals, networking hardware, power tools (corded or battery powered), VCRs, CD players, DVD players, remote controls, calculators, cell phones, telephones, radios, CB radios, stereos, fax machines, answering machines, Walkmans, iPods, MP3 players, computer game items, audio/visual equipment, cables and wires (assorted and knotted), miscellaneous electronic equipment, non-alkaline batteries (rechargeable or lithium) and battery backups. **NO TELEVISIONS**



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**Plastics:** 30-yard enclosed box. **FORGET THE NUMBERS GAME!!!** Check out some examples. Breakfast drinks, juice, liquor & mixes, milk, sodas/ale, sports drinks, tea, vegetable juice, shampoo, conditioner, vitamin and prescription, bleach, fabric softener, detergent, stain remover, dish washing, and vinegar. **No need** to remove labels. No lids and Keep it loose.



- **Plastic Bags:** We do accept plastic grocery bags for your convenience, looked for the marked container, but when possible drop them off at your favorite grocery store.

# Recycling Facts from Recycling Revolution:

## Aluminum Recycling Facts

- ♻️ A used aluminum can is recycled and back on the grocery shelf as a new can, in as little as 60 days. That's closed loop recycling at its finest!
  - ♻️ Used aluminum beverage cans are the most recycled item in the U.S., but other types of aluminum, such as siding, gutters, car components, storm window frames, and lawn furniture can also be recycled.
  - ♻️ Recycling one aluminum can saves enough energy to run a TV for three hours -- or the equivalent of a half a gallon of gasoline.
  - ♻️ More aluminum goes into beverage cans than any other product.
  - ♻️ Because so many of them are recycled, aluminum cans account for less than 1% of the total U.S. waste stream, according to EPA estimates.
  - ♻️ An aluminum can that is thrown away will still be a can 500 years from now!
  - ♻️ There is no limit to the amount of times aluminum can be recycled.
  - ♻️ We use over 80,000,000,000 aluminum soda cans every year.
  - ♻️ At one time, aluminum was more valuable than gold!
- A 60-watt light bulb can be run for over a day on the amount of energy saved by recycling 1 pound of steel. In one year in the United States, the recycling of steel saves enough energy to heat and light 18,000,000 homes!



## Paper Recycling Facts

- ♻️ To produce each week's Sunday newspapers, 500,000 trees must be cut down.
- ♻️ Recycling a single run of the Sunday *New York Times* would save 75,000 trees.
- ♻️ If all our newspaper was recycled, we could save about 250,000,000 trees each year!
- ♻️ If every American recycled just one-tenth of their newspapers, we would save about 25,000,000 trees a year.



If you had a 15-year-old tree and made it into paper grocery bags, you'd get about 700 of them. A busy supermarket could use all of them in under an hour! This means in one year, one supermarket can go through over 6 million paper bags! Imagine how many supermarkets there are just in the United States!!!

The average American uses seven trees a year in paper, wood, and other products made from trees. This amounts to about 2,000,000,000 trees per year!



The amount of wood and paper we throw away each year is enough to heat 50,000,000 homes for 20 years.



Approximately 1 billion trees worth of paper are thrown away every year in the U.S.



Americans use 85,000,000 tons of paper a year; about 680 pounds per person.



The average household throws away 13,000 separate pieces of paper each year. Most is packaging and junk mail.



In 1993, U.S. paper recovery saved more than 90,000,000 cubic yards of landfill space.



Each ton (2000 pounds) of recycled paper can save 17 trees, 380 gallons of oil, three cubic yards of landfill space, 4000 kilowatts of energy, and 7000 gallons of water. This represents a 64% energy savings, a 58% water savings, and 60 pounds less of air pollution!





The 17 trees saved (above) can absorb a total of 250 pounds of carbon dioxide from the air each year. Burning that same ton of paper would *create* 1500 pounds of carbon dioxide.



The construction costs of a paper mill designed to use waste paper is 50 to 80% less than the cost of a mill using new pulp.



### **Plastic Recycling Facts**

-  Americans use 2,500,000 plastic bottles every hour! Most of them are thrown away!
-  Plastic bags and other plastic garbage thrown into the ocean kill as many as 1,000,000 sea creatures every

year!

- ♻️ Recycling plastic saves twice as much energy as burning it in an incinerator.

Americans throw away 25,000,000,000 Styrofoam coffee cups every year.



### **Glass Recycling Facts**

- ♻️ Every month, we throw out enough glass bottles and jars to fill up a giant skyscraper. All of these jars are recyclable!

The energy saved from recycling one glass bottle can run a 100-watt light bulb for four hours or a compact fluorescent bulb for 20 hours. It also causes 20% less air pollution and 50% less water pollution than when a new bottle is made from raw materials.

- ♻️ A modern glass bottle would take 4000 years or more to decompose -- and even longer if it's in the landfill.

Mining and transporting raw materials for glass produces about 385 pounds of waste for every ton of glass that is made. If recycled glass is substituted for half of the raw materials, the waste is cut by more than 80%.



### **Solid Waste and Landfills**

- ♻️ About one-third of an average dump is made up of packaging material!
- ♻️ Every year, each American throws out about 1,200 pounds of organic garbage that can be composted.
- ♻️ The U.S. is the #1 trash-producing country in the world at 1,609 pounds per person per year. This means that 5% of the world's people generate 40% of the world's waste.
- ♻️ The highest point in Hamilton County, Ohio (near Cincinnati) is "Mount Rumpke." It is actually a mountain of trash at the Rumpke sanitary landfill towering 1045 ft. above sea level.
- ♻️ The US population discards each year 16,000,000,000 diapers, 1,600,000,000 pens, 2,000,000,000 razor blades, 220,000,000 car tires, and enough aluminum to rebuild the US commercial air fleet four times over.

- ♻️ Out of every \$10 spent buying things, \$1 (10%) goes for packaging that is thrown away. Packaging represents about 65% of household trash.



### Miscellaneous Recycling Facts

- ♻️ An estimated 80,000,000 Hershey's Kisses are wrapped each day, using enough aluminum foil to cover over 50 acres of space -- that's almost 40 football fields. All that foil is recyclable, but not many people realize it.
- ♻️ Rainforests are being cut down at the rate of 100 acres per minute!
- ♻️ A single quart of motor oil, if disposed of improperly, can contaminate up to 2,000,000 gallons of fresh water.
- ♻️ Motor oil never wears out, it just gets dirty. Oil can be recycled, re-refined and used again, reducing our reliance on imported oil.
- ♻️ On average, each one of us produces 4.4 pounds of solid waste each day. This adds up to almost a ton of trash per person, per year.
- ♻️ A typical family consumes 182 gallons of soda, 29 gallons of juice, 104 gallons of milk, and 26 gallons of bottled water a year. That's a lot of containers -- make sure they're recycled!

These recycling facts have been compiled from various sources including the National Recycling Coalition, the Environmental Protection Agency, and Earth911.org. While I make every effort to provide accurate information, I make no warranty or guarantee that the facts presented here are exact. We welcome all *polite* corrections to our information.

Please also feel free to contact us if you have additional recycling facts to share.

[www.recycling-revolution.com](http://www.recycling-revolution.com)

For even more information and additional recycling facts, please visit  
[The National Recycling Coalition](#)



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