



New E-Waste Recycling Law in the State of Illinois

Effective January 1, 2012 a new law in the state of Illinois will effectively BAN several types of electronics being dumped at a landfill. The law establishes a statewide system for recycling and/or reusing computers, monitors, televisions, and printers discarded from residences by requiring electronic manufacturers to participate in the management of discarded and unwanted electronic products.

The following list of electronics will be banned from landfills beginning January 1st, 2012:

- Televisions
- Monitors
- Printers
- Computers (including tablet computers)
- Electronic Keyboards
- Facsimile Machines
- Videocassette Recorders
- Portable Digital Music Players
- Digital Video Disc Players
- Video Game Consoles
- Small Scale Servers
- Scanners
- Electronic Mice
- Digital Converter Boxes
- Cable Receivers
- Satellite Receivers
- Digital Video Disc Recorders

Currently, there are multiple collectors and recyclers in the Metro East Area. Please contact a local recycler for more information on how to dispose of the residential electronic waste. A complete list of registered recyclers and collectors can be found online at:

<http://www.epa.state.il.us/land/electronic-waste-recycling/recycler-list.html>
