

Will County's Residential Recycling Program

Earlier in 2011, Governor Pat Quinn signed legislation that made extensive changes to the amended Illinois Products Recycling and Reuse Act in 2012. The amend legislation ban electronic items from landfills. As of January 1, 2012, Garbage Disposal Companies will no longer pick-up electronic items covered under the new legislation. Will County responded to legislation with a new program called Will County's New Residential Electronic Recycling Program. This program offers 13 free of charge drop-offs locations, as well as a FREE front-door collection service for electronic items. The pick-up service is offered by Will County's contractor, Vintage Tech Recyclers.

Examples of items accepted (broken or obsolete) include but are not limited to:

- Personal Computers
- Laptops
- Monitors
- Keyboards
- Cable / Satellite Receives
- Printers
- Fax Machines
- Televisions
- VCR, DVD, Laser Disc Players
- Cameras
- Cell Phones / Telephones
- Microwaves

For more information regarding items accepted and the guidelines for recycling please visit Will County's Green website www.willcountygreen.com, or call University Park Public Works Department at (708) 534-4823.

To schedule pick-up from your front door, contact Vintage Tech recyclers by phone or email.

- Call (866) 631-1707 Monday – Friday 9am to 5pm
- Email them at willcounty@vintagetechrecyclers.com

When emailing include your name, address, and telephone number as well as the type and number of items you want picked-up. There is a limit of ten items per collection.

If you plan to drop your items off, the three closest locations to University Park are listed below. The complete list can also be found on Will County's Green website.

<p>Monee Monee-Forest Preserve District of Will County 27341 Ridgeland Ave (Monee Reservoir) 708-534-8499 Hours: 7 days a week 8am-4pm</p>	<p>Manhattan Manhattan Township 24645 S Eastern Ave 815-478-3123 Hours: Monday-Friday 7am-3pm 1st & 3rd Sat 8am-Noon</p>	<p>Beecher Beecher-Washington Township 30200 Town Center Road 708-946-2026 Hours: Tuesdays & Thursdays 9am-3pm 2nd Sat of the Month 8am-12pm</p>
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