

**You Make the Difference.  
We've Made It Easier.**

Your everyday choices matter—and now, making a positive impact is even simpler. Recycling at home now includes plastic and paper to-go cups!



Every cup you recycle adds up. Because small steps lead to big change.

**Always Recycle**



**Plastic Bottles, Cups & Containers**



**Paper & Paper Cups**



**Glass Bottles & Containers**



**Flattened Cardboard & Paperboard**



**Food & Beverage Cans**

**Do Not Include in Your Recycling Container**



**NO Batteries, Power Tools, Flammables or Hazardous Waste**



**NO Foam Cups, Containers or Straws**



**NO Food or Liquids**



**NO Clothing, Furniture or Carpet**



**NO Loose Plastic Bags, Bagged Recyclables or Film**

Empty recyclables directly into your bin



**NO Green Waste**



# Village of Lombard

2026 Reuse and Recycling  
with Charities and Local Businesses

## **Non-Expired Foods, Diapers, Wipes, Toiletries, Cleaning Supplies and Clean Seasonally Appropriate Clothing in Good Condition**

Bring these items to The Outreach House at 700 Springer Drive. Volunteers and monetary donations are also needed. (630) 693-0185 [info@theoutreachhouse.org](mailto:info@theoutreachhouse.org) | [theoutreachhouse.org](http://theoutreachhouse.org)

## **Clothing, Shoes, Furniture and Appliances**

Goodwill accepts these items in good condition provided they are no larger than a mini-fridge. Clean clothing in any condition is accepted since some is recycled for fibers. [amazinggoodwill.com](http://amazinggoodwill.com)

## **Books, School Supplies, Vinyl Records, Musical Instruments and Like-New Art & Office Supplies**

SCARCE collects these items at 800 S. Rohlwing Road in Addison for reuse by teachers and charities. Volunteers are also needed. [scarce.org](http://scarce.org)

## **Electronics**

Goodwill's store at 351 E. Roosevelt Road accepts electronics in any condition during business hours for recycling, with exception of CRT televisions and monitors. Information on disposal of CRTs may be found at [villageoflombard.org/electronicsrecycling](http://villageoflombard.org/electronicsrecycling).

## **Hardware, Building Materials and Tools**

Drop off and also purchase these items at ReStore at 869 S. Rohlwing Avenue in Addison to benefit Habitat for Humanity. [gohabitatrestore.com](http://gohabitatrestore.com)

## **Toiletries, Hand Sanitizer and Cleaning Supplies**

PADS homeless shelters needs these items as well as others. Drop off 24/7 at 703 W. Liberty Drive in Wheaton. (630) 682-3846 [dupagepads.org](http://dupagepads.org)

## **Bicycles and Accessories**

Used, repairable bicycles and accessories may be dropped off for charitable reuse through Working Bikes 501c3 at Trek Bicycles, 240 W. St. Charles Road in Villa Park or at SCARCE at 800 S. Rohlwing Road in Addison. [workingbikes.org](http://workingbikes.org)

## **Eyeglasses, Hearing Aids and Keys**

Eyeglasses, hearing aids & keys are collected in the Village Hall lobby for the Lions Club.

## **Scrap Metal**

Iron, steel, and other metals are permissibly collected curbside by roaming scrapppers prior to arrival of regular solid waste collection trucks.

## **Unused Medical Supplies and Equipment**

Non-motorized wheelchairs, crutches, canes, and other supplies and equipment (but not commodes) in good condition may be dropped off at Project CURE, 10305 Argonne Drive in Woodridge. The list of acceptable items is listed at [projectcure.org/chicago](http://projectcure.org/chicago).

## **Cell Phones**

Phones may be dropped off at SCARCE at 800 S. Rohlwing Road in Addison. Phones are either wiped clean for charitable reuse or recycled for revenue. [scarce.org](http://scarce.org)

## **American Flags**

Donate American Flags to the VFW via a mailbox in front of the Village Hall at 255 E. Wilson Avenue.

## **Car/Marine/Sump Pump Batteries**

Many automotive centers accept the lead cell batteries for recycling but call first.

## **Foam #6 (Styrofoam)**

This is **not** acceptable in curbside recycling, but Dart Container accepts dropped-off **#6 stamped**, clean foam of any color, **not** including packing peanuts or insulation. Their site is open 24/7 at 310 Evergreen Drive in North Aurora. [dartcontainer.com](http://dartcontainer.com)

Additional, comprehensive guidance on a wide array of items is provided by the County of DuPage at [dupageco.org/OnlineRecyclingGuide](http://dupageco.org/OnlineRecyclingGuide).

Document shredding and recycling events are listed at [dupageco.org/recyclingevents](http://dupageco.org/recyclingevents).

A guide for refuse, recycling & yard waste is at [villageoflombard.org/solidwasteguide](http://villageoflombard.org/solidwasteguide).

