

Moving It On 2023

Local resources for donating, recycling, and selling your stuff

(PT- Port Townsend, PH- Port Hadlock, PL-Port Ludlow. Area code 360 unless noted.)

See **County Website**, www.jeffersoncountysolidwaste.com or **360-385-9160** for information on:

- Recycle lists, locations and hours; drop box and curbside collection.
- Recycle sites: Transfer Station, 325 Landfill Rd, off Jacob Miller Rd., PT, 360-385-3194, Tues-Sat 9-4:30; Quilcene, 295312 Highway 101, 360-765-3051; also, sites in PH, PL, and Kala Point.
- Yard Waste collection, for the Transfer Station and curbside.
- Tipping Fees at the Transfer Station and Quilcene Site.
- Household Hazardous Waste: periodic collection events.

Printable brochures of acceptable recycling and hazardous waste items are on the web page.

Printed brochures available at JC Transfer Station, Public Works (PT QFC parking lot), or phone 360-385-9160.

Thrift Stores

- Goodwill, 602 Howard St., off Sims Way, PT, 360-385-6600. Daily 10-5 for donations.
- Adventist Thrift Shop, uptown PT, on Pierce St., corner of Franklin, at the Better Living Center. Drop box in the side of the building. No big stuff! Good clean basic clothing, housewares, bedding, shoes.
- Habitat for Humanity store, 2001 W. Sims Way, PT, 360-385-9653. Tu-Sat 10-5.

Internet

- Freecycle: Local listings of items offered for free. You can decide to whom, if anyone, you give the item. To list, go to www.freecycle.org and search for “Jefferson County WA”, then follow instructions to sign up. A very active list, with over 1300 local participants.
- Craig’s List: To post items for sale, or free, to Olympic Peninsula list: <https://olympic.craigslist.org/>
- *NextDoor.com*. • *FaceBook group Buy Nothing Port Townsend*.

Appliances

- Habitat for Humanity Store. Only certain types. Call 360-385-9653.
- Peninsula Recycling, *see Metals*. Residential refrigerating appliances \$25; others free. 360-301-1229.
- Transfer Station. Fee based on weight; additional fee for refrigerators and freezers.
- Around Again, *see Building Materials*.

Batteries

- **Household:** Alkaline: Place in the trash. All other household battery types are accepted at the Transfer Station, and Quilcene disposal site. Or bring to the lobby of Public Works or Env. Public Health (in PT QFC lot). Staples and Office Depot accept rechargeable batteries.
- **Automotive:** Townsend Electric, 2227 Washington St., PT. Mon- Th 8:30-12:30; 385-3780; Peninsula Auto Wrecking & Recycling, 4711 S. Discovery Road (Four Corners area) PT

Bicycles: The ReCyclery, 1925 Blaine St. (Mt. View), PT, 360-643-1755. Tu-Sat 12-5, accepts usable bike equipment and bicycles in any condition.

Boats: Donation: boatsforsale@nwmaritime.org. “Take Action” link.

Disposal: Public Works, 385-9160.

Books

- County and PT Libraries. What they don't add to their collections is sold for other library needs. PH 360-385-6544 and PT 360-385-3181 have drop boxes by their parking lots.
- William James Bookseller, 829 Water St, PT, 360-385-7313. williamjamesbookseller.com

Building Materials

- Waste Not Want Not, 1532 W. Sims Way, PT, 360-379-6838. Accepts doors, windows, cabinets, light fixtures, toilets, tools, architectural salvage. Buy, sell or trade. Mon-Sat 10-5.
- Around Again, www.aroundagainstore.org, 22 Gilbert Rd., just west of Sequim, 360-683-7862. Accepts a wide variety of tools, products, furniture, appliances. Call first. Tu, Th, Sat 10-3.

Cell Phones and Chargers

- Dove House, 1045 Tenth St., PT, 360-385-5292. No chargers.
- Cell Phone Bank, www.911cellphonebank.org, 1-866-290-7864 for shipping label.
- County Public Works lobby and Environmental Public Health lobby, recycle.

Clothing: *See Thrift Stores. See Textiles.*

- New Image, Mt. View Commons, 1925 Blaine St., 360-385-0300. Current well-made attractive clothing, shoes, outerwear; given to women and teens in need. Tu, Thurs 10-2.
- Fancy Feathers, 910 Water St., PT. Consignment. 360-344-8117 for appt. Open daily 11-5.

Electronic Equipment: Freecycle, BuyNothing, NextDoor. (*See Internet* above).

- Transfer station, and Goodwill, accept for free items taken by E-Cycle Washington: only computers, monitors, laptops, tablet computers, televisions, portable DVD players and e-readers. No printers! For details, see <http://www.ecy.wa.gov/programs/swfa/eproductrecycle/>
- Office Depot and Best Buy stores accept most electronic equipment and peripherals, (small fee); Staples (free). In Seattle, RePC 206-623-9151 recycles, buys.

Eyeglasses

- Lions Club, c/o Pacific Optical 2029 E. Sims Way, PT, 360-385-9580. Mon-Th 8-12, 1-5. Fri 8-12, 1-4. Also, via collection box at PT Post Office or Port Hadlock Post Office, and at Safeway pharmacy.

Food, Personal Care Items

- Tri-Area Food Bank, Chimacum. Barrel by PH QFC. Unopened, non-perishable food items; pet food/supplies, baby food, diapers, cleaning supplies, toiletries. Non-food items may be opened.
- PT Food Bank. 360-531-0275. *Items as for Tri-Area, above.* Bring in Tu 9-1. Non-perishables can be left any time building is open. Donation barrel at Food Coop. PT Food Bank also accepts fruits and vegetables from local gardeners.
- Toiletries, Personal hygiene items: Unopened. Dove House, 1045-10th St., PT 360-385-5292.

Fruit: Quimper Community Harvest will harvest apples and other fruit; surplus goes to food banks, seniors, schools and meals programs. Contact Seth Rolland 379-0414 or Kathy Darrow 623-533-0171. ptgleaning@gmail.com.

Furniture: *See Thrift Stores.*

- Habitat Store accepts in good condition, no particle board; pick up possible. 385-9653. Tu-Sat 10-5.
- Cherry Blossom, 2203 E. Sims Way, PT. Donate, consign, sell; send photo to cherryblossomporttownsend@hotmail.com. 360-379-0853. 11-4 except Weds.

Homeless Supplies: Sleeping bags, good tents, warm socks, outerwear. Shelter, Legion Hall basement, Monroe and Water St., PT, 385-1403. Bring after 4 pm Nov-March; summer after 7 pm.

Household Hazardous Waste: Periodic collection events around the county. *See County web site.*

Marine: <https://nwmaritime.org/marine-thrift>. Boat Haven, Wed-Sat 9-3. 360-379-5807.

Mattresses: Post on Freecycle, NextDoor, or BuyNothing. Thrift shops don't take them.

Medical Equipment: ECHHO loans medical items for free. They accept walkers, wheelchairs, crutches, commode chairs, hospital beds; 1110 Jefferson St., PT. Mon-Fri 10-4. Phone ahead: 379-3246.

Medications: *Don't flush: they damage marine life and drinking water. See also Sharps.*

<https://www.hca.wa.gov/disposing-safely-unwanted-medication>

- Jefferson County Sheriff's Dept., 79 Elkins Rd., PH, 360-385-3831. No sharps or vitamins.
- PT Police Dept., 1925 Blaine St. 360-385-2322. Drop box. Mon-Thurs 10-3; no sharps, liquids.
- QFC Pharmacy drop box; PT and Hadlock.
- Safeway Pharmacy drop box; 442 Sims Way; Port Townsend; open Mon.-Sun., 5AM-1AM.

Metals: Peninsula Auto Wrecking & Recycling, 4711 S. Discovery Road (Four Corners area) PT. Autos; "anything metal." *See Appliances* for fees. 9-5 M-Th, 9-4 Fri, 10-2 Sat. Call Ed 301-1229.

Motor Oil: *Oil filters ;, double-wrap in newspaper and place in your trash.*

- Transfer Station and Quilcene Site (*see County web site*). Used oil, antifreeze.

Moving Boxes: Offer on Freecycle, NextDoor, or BuyNothing.

Musical Instruments: Crossroads Music, 2100 Lawrence St., PT, 360-385-1471. Mon-Fri 10-6, Sat 12-4. Donate or consign. Check with school music departments, with band or orchestra instruments.

Packing Materials: *See also Styrofoam.*

- Mail Plus, PT QFC lot, Mon-Fri 830-530. 360-379-1156. Peanuts, bubble wrap, air pillows: call first.
- Port Ludlow Mailing Services, 46 Village Way, 437-2939. Bagged foam peanuts, bubble wrap. 9-4.

Paint: Full cans to Waste Not, or Around Again (*see Building Materials*); Peninsula Paint, 315 Decatur, 379-8025, accepts latex and oil based house paint, stains, varnishes.

- Water-based. Disposal: discard lid, thicken with kitty litter or sawdust and place in trash.

Pet Supplies: Center Valley Animal Rescue, 11900 Center Road, Quilcene, appreciates donations of pet food. Call for information. 360-765-0598, by appt. only. Also towels. Food Bank also takes pet food.

Plastic Bags: Recycle clean, dry, empty bags at collection bins in QFC and Safeway. No labels.

Plastic Bottles, Containers: PLASTIC BOTTLES AND JUGS. No other plastics. No lids. See <https://jeffersoncountysolidwaste.com/recycle/>

Plastic lids: *PTpotentialmystrikingly.com*, also FaceBook. 3rd Saturdays, 2-4pm, Food Coop.

Prescription Pill Bottles: <https://m25m.org/pillbottles>

Printer Ink Cartridges

- PT Computers, in PT QFC lot, 360-379-0605, accepts inkjet and laser cartridges. 10-4 Mon-Fri.
- Staples, Office Depot, and Best Buy stores accept both inkjet and laser cartridges.

Refillable Propane Cylinders

- Peninsula Auto Wrecking & Recycling, *see Metals*. Also Transfer Station. Fee based on weight

Sewing Supplies: Project Linus, c/o Phyllis Carey 360-797-7417. Welcomes yarn, machine-washable solid or child-friendly print material, batting, etc. Volunteers make quilts for children in need.

Sharps: Put in durable plastic or red sharps container, lid taped securely, on top of trash, with curbside service. Also collection kiosks at Transfer Station and Quilcene site. See <http://jeffersoncountypublichealth.org/701/Home-Syringe-Disposal.l>

Shoes: soles4souls.org or via aroundagainstore.org (Sequim).

Smoke Alarms: Put in the trash.

Styrofoam: Rigid, clean, white. See <https://www.facebook.com/PortTownsendStyrofoam>. Food Coop has bin in parking lot for bagged peanuts, bubble wrap.

Textiles

Goodwill accepts ANY clean textiles, to reprocess; they sort, so it's OK to mix with resellable clothing.

Tires

- Les Schwab, 2355 Sims Way, PT, 360-385-0124, passenger car tires, no rims for \$3; on rims \$10.
- County Transfer Station (for a fee), up to 4/day/customer. On or off rims.

Tools

- Habitat for Humanity Store accepts most hand tools and working power tools.
- Northwest Tool & Trade, 1893 Irondale Rd., Port Hadlock. 360-554-0606. Tu-Sat 10-5.
- Around Again, Sequim and Waste Not Want Not, PT: *see Building Materials*.
- Marine Thrift, Boat Haven, Wed-Sat 10-3.

Trash

- Transfer Station. Tues-Sat 9-4:30. Quilcene Site Tu, Th, Sat 9-12, 12:30-4:30.
- Disposal companies: DM Disposal/Olympic Disposal, 360-385-6612.

Vehicles:

- Habitat store 360-9653. • KPTZ. • NPR <https://www.kuow.org/donate-your-car>
- Charitable Auto Resources 855-500-7433. Also see <https://careasy.org>
- Peninsula Auto Wrecking and Recycling. *See Metals*.

Yard Waste: PT Biosolids Composting Facility at the Transfer Station. Yard waste, brush and small tree limbs. No dirt, sod, rocks or stumps. Weight-based fees.

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