



RESOURCEFUL • SANTA FE

This is meant to be a general guideline. We are selective because we know what items are in demand for reuse and repurposing. If we end up accepting items and then just have to pay to dispose them, it is an additional expense for our nonprofit. Thank you for your understanding! Occasionally, we can accept full donations and if there's items we cannot use, we will give them to another nonprofit. If you have a question about acceptable items or to schedule a donation, please call Sarah Pierpont at 505-603-0558.

EXAMPLES of ACCEPTABLE DONATIONS:

We gladly accept weird, old things that your grandparents saved in their garage or all of those items that you've saved for years because "somebody should do something with this," and you finally realized after 25 years that you are not that somebody. Most things fiber, metal or wood are accepted and most things vintage (1990s or earlier). To help you better understand what we mean, think of:

- Appliances (working but please call first to make sure we have space)
- Architectural salvage
- Arts & Crafts Supplies
- Antique or Vintage items (pre-1990's)
- Interesting Bags, Purses, Good Backpacks
- Bikes and bike parts
- Books (art, coffee table, new, best-sellers, children's)
- Building & construction materials (nothing too giant)
- Containers: Tins, Film Canisters, Glass Jars, Cigar Boxes
- Ephemera (old cool things!)
- Fabric
- Frames, Artwork, Canvases
- Garden Supplies—tools, pots, lawn decor
- Furniture: Smaller pieces made out of wood or metal (no particle board)
- Holiday Decor (in-season only)
- Home Décor/Housewares (lamps, vases, vintage glassware sets, etc.)
- Electronics: string lights, working lightbulbs, musical instruments, working speakers & audio equipment, working power tools
- Mechanical and machine parts (scrap metal)
- Small Working Appliances— hand mixers, blenders, hotplates, irons, sewing machines, hair dryers, soldering irons, craft appliances. All electronics must work *immediately* when plugged in
- Jewelry, Watches, Beads, Jewelry Bits
- Kitchen Gadgets (working only)
- Kitchenware
- Leather, Lace, Ribbon
- Magazines: National Geographics, Art Magazines, Image Heavy. Please no New Yorkers or text only!
- Musical Instruments, Musical Instrument Accessories, Sheet Music
- Office & School Supplies
- Other cool weird items
- Paper, Maps, Posters, Postcards, Greeting Cards, Calendars
- Paints: Acrylic, Watercolor, Oil, Fabric, Spray Paint, Glazes, Crafts Paints. Please no house paints or stains!



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- Party Supplies & Gift Wrap (in-season holiday)
- Photographs
- Scrapbooking Gear (stamps, paper, stickers, glitter, etc.)
- Sewing Patterns & Notions
- Shells, Feathers, Small Art Tile (2" or less)
- Tools (working power, hand tools, vintage)
- Toys and Games
- Typewriters (non-electric only)
- Vintage items
- Yarn & Knitting Supplies

Examples of Items we do NOT accept:

In general we do not want plastic, or single-use items and we may be limited by our space. If in doubt, please call 505-603-0558.

We are unable to accept the following due to legal or liability risks, safety or hazardous/universal waste concerns, recycling and/or disposal fees:

- Christmas Decor (before November)
- Clothes/Shoes
- Healthcare Items: Crutches, Walkers, Intubators, Braces, etc.
- Curriculum (teaching curriculum – take that to Partners in Education)
- Disposable Dishes (solo plates/cups/mugs/utensils, etc.)
- Hazardous/Flammable materials (House paint/varnish, fuels, solvents, dead batteries, etc.)
- Electronics: vintage items OK, please none of the following: Loose Cords and Cables, Phones, Computers, TVs, Monitors, Routers, Printers/Scanners, Shredders, Vacuums, etc.
- Media: VHS, Home-recorded Media (VHS or cassettes), Tapes without Cases
- Oversized Plastic Toys
- Plastic yogurt lids, bottle caps, assorted packaging, egg cartons, toilet paper rolls, etc (if we have a recycled art workshop that specifically needs these items we will place a call out to our email list!)
- Promotional Materials (Calendars, Cards, Address Labels, Mugs, etc.)
- Stuffed Animals
- Styrofoam & Packing Peanuts, Bubble wrap