



Recycling & Reuse Options



Omaha Spring Cleanup

Recycling & Reuse Vendors

- Keep Omaha Beautiful identifies potential partner organizations each year that can help you recycle items or divert them for reuse.
- The Recycling & Reuse Guide contains a list of vendors KOB has contacted and confirmed they're willingness to work with you.
- Contact information is provided for each organization's representative.





RECYCLING & REUSE OPPORTUNITIES

RESOURCES TO CREATE AN ENVIRONMENTALLY-FRIENDLY CLEANUP SITE

The following organizations have indicated that they are willing to be a part of your neighborhood's Omaha Spring Cleanup (OSC) event. They can help divert waste material you receive at your site for recycling or beneficial reuse, rather than all of the waste going directly to the landfill.

The contact listed with each organization is familiar with OSC, and they are expecting your call or email. We encourage you to reach out to these organizations, but you are welcome to contact and work with other organizations not listed here that may be a good fit for your cleanup.

**Please note: This resource guide is not a comprehensive list, nor does Keep Omaha Beautiful officially endorse any of the organizations listed.*

METAL, ELECTRONIC, & SPECIAL RECYCLING

ORGANIZATION Scrap Central
CONTACT NAME Joy Mortenson
PHONE 402-393-6620
EMAIL joy@scrapcentral.com
MATERIAL ACCEPTED Any and all metal materials,
appliances, e-scrap
(no televisions or monitors)

ORGANIZATION Throw Out the Junk
CONTACT NAME Tom Klinkacek
PHONE 402-689-9555
EMAIL tom@throwoutthetjunk.com
MATERIAL ACCEPTED Electronic & Computer waste,
Metal items, Appliances, Cables,
Batteries

ORGANIZATION Plastilite Corporation
CONTACT NAME Pam Ehly
PHONE 402-453-7500 ext. 202
EMAIL nehly@plastilite.com

Recycling & Reuse Guide



Omaha Spring Cleanup

Recycling & Reuse Vendors

- It is the responsibility of the association to contact these organizations and arrange for attendance at your event.
- None of the organizations are officially endorsed by KOB or the City of Omaha.
- Three categories of vendors:
 - Metal & Electronics Recycling
 - Plastics Recycling
 - Donations





Omaha Spring Cleanup

Recycling & Reuse Vendors

- Vendors are not required, but encouraged to divert waste from the landfill
- Available on a first-come, first-served basis
- You are welcome to work with vendors not listed
- If you identify a good vendor that should be added to the list next year, please provide KOB with their contact information





Omaha Spring Cleanup

Recycling & Reuse Vendors

Associations cannot have metal recycler at your site if your site is the designated “appliance” collection site for the weekend.





Omaha Spring Cleanup

Working with Recycling/Reuse Vendor

- Reach out to vendors early to schedule them to be onsite
- Confirm date, location, and time
- Vendors should arrive at 8 a.m. to set up
- Consider vendor's needs when setting up your site
 - (e.g., *How much space do they need?*)

**UnderTheSink will continue to
be open on OSC Saturdays**



9am to 2pm + no appointment

Resources on KOB Website



Q WHO WE ARE • WHAT WE DO • GET INVOLVED • RESOURCES • NEWS & PHOTOS



www.keepomahabeautiful.org/Omaha-cleanup/coordinator.html



Omaha Spring Cleanup

Questions & Answers

Visit www.keepomahabeautiful.org/Omaha-cleanup/coordinator.html

- If your question/answer not listed, please submit via the form on the website
- Be sure to check out the other videos in the Kickoff Series to learn more about:
 - Event logistics + site coordination
 - Promotional materials
 - Volunteer recruitment resources



Thank you!