

DO NOT THROW RECHARGEABLE BATTERIES IN THE TRASH OR RECYCLING BIN.

Improper battery disposal has caused an increased number of fires in New Jersey recycling centers, waste facilities and garbage trucks, resulting in millions of dollars in damage and lives put in danger.

Be battery safety smart!

Used household batteries can and should be recycled.

Manage your household batteries safely & responsibly with these easy battery disposal guidelines.

Rechargeable (can be recharged multiple times)	Single-Use: Lithium, Button Cell (cannot be recharged)	Single-Use: Alkaline (non-hazardous, cannot be recharged)
<p>Name on battery:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nickel Cadmium (Ni-Cd) • Nickel Metal Hydride (Ni-MH) • Lithium Ion (Li-Ion) • Small Sealed Lead Acid (SSLA/Pb) 	<p>Name on battery:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lithium 	<p>Name on battery:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Alkaline • Zinc-carbon • Zinc-chloride (Heavy Duty)
		
<p>Proper disposal:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Recycle with Call2Recycle® (call2recycle.org/locator, only batteries weighing less than 11 lbs. each). ✓ Take to your local drop-off location which accepts batteries for recycling. 	<p>Proper disposal:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Take to your local drop-off location which accepts batteries for recycling. 	<p>Proper disposal:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Purchase a battery recycling kit at call2recycle.org/store or visit Earth911.org for recycling locations near you. ✓ Check the Recycle Coach app or dispose of in the regular trash. <p>For more information please visit www.MCMUA.com</p> 

! Bag each battery or tape each terminal prior to storing, transport to a collection site, or for disposal.

Have questions?

Visit www.call2recycle.org, www.njhazwaste.com, www.MCMUA.com, or use the [Recycle Coach](#) app to learn more about safely managing your household batteries.

Need to schedule an appointment to recycle your bagged or taped rechargeable batteries with the MCMUA?

Visit www.MCMUA.com to schedule an appointment. **(Alkaline batteries will not be accepted at this location)**