

THIS GUIDE WAS MADE POSSIBLE
THROUGH THE USDA RURAL
DEVELOPMENT SOLID WASTE
MANAGEMENT GRANT PROGRAM.

MORE INFO?

Visit the Lakes Region
Planning Commission website.
Check out our solid waste tab
for more disposal information.

<https://www.lakesrpc.org/service/solidwaste.asp>



TIPS FOR DISPOSING:

MONITORS (CRT)

RECHARGEABLE BATTERIES

FLUORESCENT TUBES/BULBS

MERCURY CONTAINING DEVICES

& ELECTRONIC WASTE

**NEW HAMPSHIRE
LAKES REGION
LRPC**

The Lakes Region
contains 40% of New
Hampshire's surface
water that is use for our
homes, drinking &
recreation. Proper
disposal of universal
waste can prevent
unwanted contamination
and protect of our
precious resources.



BEST MANAGEMENT PRACTICES

What is Universal Waste?

Examples: antifreeze, CRT's, rechargeable batteries, mercury containing devices, fluorescent lamps/bulbs. *

* Check with your local transfer station first and ask if they accept these items.

Definition: Regulated Hazardous Waste that is routinely discarded by households and businesses.

Scan the QR code below and visit the NHDES website for a PDF of Best Management Practices for Universal Waste in New Hampshire.



Call2Recycle

RBRC is a non-profit public service organization dedicated to recycling rechargeable batteries and old cell phones through their national program called Call2Recycle. Many transfer stations and businesses in the lakes Region are already drop-off locations for this program and do not charge residents to recycle.

call2recycle.org or



Warning

- Single use and rechargeable batteries are disposed differently.
- Lithium batteries can have thermal runout and cause fires at the transfer station if disposed improperly.
- Rechargeable batteries should not be thrown away in the trash.
- Check with your local transfer station first.



Know your batteries, recycle safe!!
You could prevent a fire.

FREE DISPOSAL Lowes

Free disposal of CFL bulbs & rechargeable batteries.

- Gilford: 603-556-6032
- Tilton: 603-729-2016
- Rochester: 603-833-4000
- Concord: 603-573-4101
- N. Conway: 603-356-4130

Home Depot

Free disposal of CFL bulbs & rechargeable batteries.

- Rochester: 603-335-1300
- Tilton: 603-286-9599
- Concord: 603-227-0580
- N. Conway: 603-356-4130

Staples

Free disposal of rechargeable batteries & electronic waste.

- Tilton: 603-286-9301
- Concord: 603-225-9573
- Rochester: 603-330-0165
- N. Conway: 603-356-0730