

Since Feb. 2006, electronic devices cannot be thrown away with the regular solid waste or recyclables -- they contain metals such as cadmium, lead and mercury. The Merced County Association of Governments (MCAG) & the Merced County Regional Waste Management Authority offer this **list of places that accept electronics for recycling or repair.**



1. **All Green Electronics Recycling**, 1-800-780-0347; [www.allgreenrecycling.com](http://www.allgreenrecycling.com) – Accepts all electronics except for large, household appliances and/or TV's and computer screens that are larger than 40 inches.

**Address:** 1853 Bellevue Rd, Atwater  
(Collection site located at the 4G Verizon Wireless Store)  
**Hours:** Mon. – Sun.: 11 AM – 5 PM

2. **Best Buy®**, 209-383-3623; [bestbuyinc.com](http://bestbuyinc.com) – All Best Buy® stores accept electronics for recycling. Customers can bring in up to two (2) units of consumer electronics per day, per household, for free, including televisions and monitors up to 32", computer CPUs and notebooks, computer mice, keyboards and speakers, small electronics, DVD and VCR players, phones and remotes.

Best Buy also accepts the following in a collection kiosk between the sliding doors: cell phones, CDs, DVDs, inkjet cartridges, PDA/smart phones, and rechargeable batteries.

**Address:** 1764 W. Olive Ave, Merced  
**Hours:** Mon. – Thurs.: 10 AM – 10 PM  
Fri. and Sat.: 10 AM – 10 PM  
Sun.: 10 AM – 7 PM

3. **Casey Moving Systems**, 209-357-3384; [www.caseymoving.com](http://www.caseymoving.com) – Accepts the following: camcorders, cell phones, CRT monitors, CRT televisions, desktop computers, digital cameras, game systems, GPS systems, keyboards and mice, LCD monitors, LCD televisions, MP3 Players, printers and faxes, scanners, smart phones and PDAs.

**Address:** 300 Commerce Ave, Atwater  
**Hours:** Mon. – Fri. 9 AM – 4 PM

4. **Goodwill Industries International®**, 209-384-2586; [www.goodwill-sjv.org](http://www.goodwill-sjv.org) – All Goodwill® stores accept computer monitors and other computer equipment.

**Address:** 32 W. Olive Ave, Merced  
**Hours:** Please call for hours.

5. **Ike's Appliances**, 209-723-4631; Offers quotes on appliance repairs and will accept electronics and appliances for recycling.

**Address:** 434 W. Main Street, Merced  
**Hours:** Please call for hours.

Locations continue onto the next page.

6. **Merced County Regional Household Hazardous Waste Facilities**, 209-723-4481; [www.mercedrecycles.com/hhw.html](http://www.mercedrecycles.com/hhw.html) – these facilities accept electronics at no cost from Merced County residents. Businesses and other small generators should visit during scheduled collection events. Please call the Merced County Regional Waste Management Authority for more information at 209-723-4481.

Other items accepted from residents include: antifreeze, car/truck batteries & household batteries, CFLs and fluorescent tubes, electronics and other products containing mercury, latex paint and used motor oil/oil filters.

<b>Address:</b> 17173 S. Billy Wright Rd, <b>Los Banos</b> ; or 7040 N. State Highway 59, <b>Merced</b>	
<b>Hours:</b> Mon. – Fri.: 8 AM – 3:30 PM	Mon. – Fri.: 7 AM – 3:30 PM
Sat.: 8 AM – 12 PM	Sat.: 8 AM – 12 PM
(Closed during Sunday & holidays)	(Closed during Sunday & holidays)

7. **Moosehead Electronics**; (209) 723-4712 – Offers repair quotes for all electronics.

**Address:** 1343 W. 18<sup>th</sup> Street, Merced 95340  
**Hours:** Mon. – Fri.: 9 AM – 5 PM

8. **Staples®**, 209-383-0306; [Staples.com®](http://Staples.com) – All Staples® stores accept cell phones, hand-held electronics, and Dell® branded items for free. *Please note:* Some fees apply for other electronics, such as fax machines, copiers, and non-Dell® branded computers.

**Address:** 20 W. Olive Ave, Merced 95340  
**Hours:** Please call for hours.

9. **United Recycling**, 209-862-4331 – accepts all electronics. To schedule a pickup appointment, please contact the shop manager at 580-768-1263.

**Address:** 2126 L Street, Suite C, Newman  
**Hours:** Mon. – Fri.: 8 AM – 5 PM  
Sat.: 9 AM – 1 PM

10. **Universal Service Recycling (USR)**, 209-233-3100, [www.USRscrap.com](http://www.USRscrap.com) – accepts all electronics and small/large appliances. USR also accepts car/truck batteries, tractor batteries, and metal.

**Address:** 450 N. Tower Road, Merced  
**Hours:** Mon. – Fri.: 8 AM – 4 PM  
Sat.: 8 AM – 2 PM

11. **UNICOR Federal Prison Industries**, 209-386-4861; [www.unicor.gov](http://www.unicor.gov) - accepts all electronics.

Located in **Atwater**. Please call to schedule a drop-off or pickup appointment.

**Note:** All of the following stores accept cell phones for recycling: AT&T Wireless®, Best Buy®, Goodwill®, Lowe's®, Target®, SuperTarget®, RadioShack® and Verizon Wireless®.



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