



Swap Shop



South Portland’s Swap Shop at the Transfer Facility was created to divert usable goods and materials from the waste stream. Residents may drop off items that have some useful life in them as well as pick something up that might be of use. Although it is called a swap shop, residents do not need to drop an item off to take an item from the shop.

Smooth operation of the Swap Shop requires help from all South Portland residents. The Swap Shop needs contributions of usable goods and materials. That will require some judgment on what should be saved and what should go into the waste stream. Volunteers and staff will make that judgment and their say will be final. Please do not loiter at the Swap Shop. Look for what you need and make room for others to access the facility.

<i>What the Swap Shop Accepts:</i>	<i>What the Swap Shop Does Not Accept:</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Household items (kitchen items, picture frames, décor, lamps, etc) ✓ Small furniture ✓ Jewelry, handbags, luggage ✓ Toys, games, puzzles (no missing/broken pieces) ✓ Sporting goods ✓ Curtains, tablecloths, small rugs ✓ Working small electric/electronic appliances ✓ Tools (garden, workshop) ✓ Hardware ✓ Books, magazines, dvds ✓ Office supplies ✓ Mobility assistance (crutches, walkers, wheelchairs) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✗ TVs and computer monitors ✗ Broken items beyond repair, or with sharp edges ✗ Clothing (use the Goodwill Bin) ✗ Latex paint (between November and April) ✗ Any non-latex paint or solvents ✗ Refrigerators, stoves or similar large appliances* ✗ Mattresses and bedding* ✗ Food or other perishable items ✗ Household trash ✗ Bottles and jars (put these in the "silver bullet" bin) ✗ Large or upholstered furniture <p>*See the attendant for disposal of these items</p>

Interesting in volunteering? Contact Public Works at 767-7635 or email publicworks@southportland.org

**The Swap Shop at South Portland Transfer Facility, 929 Highland Ave,
Open April 1 – December 1, Tues-Sat 8am-3:30pm**