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The waste management office of the Kaiserslautern county administration is responsible for all questions on the disposal of waste or the re-use of recyclable materials. The aim of this Garbage Guide is to point out and explain the possibilities of waste separation and recycling offered by the county.

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Foreword

Dear fellow citizens,

I am pleased to announce at the beginning of my term of office that in 2018 we will be able to reduce the fees for 60- to 240-liter cans for non-recyclable waste based on a new fee calculation model.

At the same time, in the course of the new calculation model as well as changes in the legal regulations the fees for containers with a volume of 1.1 to 5.5 m³ [so-called 4-wheel containers] have to be increased accordingly.

In the first place fee payers will profit from the new rates which guarantee a fairer distribution because fees will largely be based on the quantity of waste.

Rate differences between households who prefer home composting and households using a can for biodegradable waste will be narrowed. The aim of this adjustment is to make sure that the can for biodegradable waste is actually being used. Recent checks have shown that in many cases organic waste was not composted properly but was disposed of along with non-recyclable waste. This is prohibited by law and does not make sense from an environmental perspective.

After we had limited the size of the brown can for biodegradable waste depending on the size of the can for non-recyclable waste in 2015, some citizens requested further brown cans beyond statutory requirements. This will be possible as of 2018. For an additional yearly fee households or businesses that have already been allocated a brown can have the opportunity to order an extra 120- or 240-liter can for biodegradable waste.

I hope that these changes will help improve waste separation and keep fees at stable levels.

Ralf Oppermann
County Commissioner

To the Kaiserslautern Military Community,

Whether a uniformed member of one of our services, a family member, a civilian employee or a contractor, we are all ultimately guests of our host country and that means following the local German laws and customs – from traffic regulations to environmental practices.

It is up to all of us, as good environmental stewards, to help take care of our surroundings and understand the policies that govern our area’s recycling programs. Every contribution counts as we strive to preserve the environment for ourselves and for future generations. This guide serves as a great resource, enabling all of us to take an active role in the proper and efficient disposal of waste and recyclable materials. Using this information and following the guidelines herein can significantly contribute to the protection of our environment.

Please take the time to educate yourself on the information provided in this guide. German recycling rules differ from those in the United States and are often more specific in regards to what can and cannot be done with various types of waste, to include oil, grease, yard waste, batteries, wood and metals. Germany operates a very progressive solid waste program and almost no waste is disposed of in landfills. Rather, the collected waste streams are sent for separation and recycling at large recycling facilities, energy recovery, and/or incineration plants.

We ask that you help represent our military community favorably in regard to the sensitive issue of environmental impact by reducing our waste footprint. We owe it to our hosts and neighbors to take care of our homes and environments as best we can.

If you have any questions about recycling, the Kaiserslautern waste management team stands ready to assist at the phone numbers provided in the back of this guide.

Thank you for taking responsibility for keeping our environment clean, safe and healthy. We are all proud to live and work here – let’s show it.

Brigadier General Richard G. Moore, Jr.
Non-recyclable waste is picked up every other week, alternating with bio-degradable waste. Please place the container for non-recyclable waste (black can) at the curb before 6 a.m. on the collection day.

After registering with the Resident Registration Office every household automatically receives a black can. For persons who are not required to register – generally members of the armed forces – the home owner must notify the waste management office of the county administration [in writing or by phone].

The minimum can size for non-recyclable waste depends on the number of household members. If the allocated can is not sufficient for a household, the county administration will provide a larger can upon written request of the home owner. Minimum volume of non-recyclable waste cans depending on the household size:

<table>
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<tr>
<th>Household size</th>
<th>Vorgeschriebene Mindest-Non-recyclable wast volumen in zwei Wochen</th>
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<tr>
<td>1 person</td>
<td>30 liters</td>
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<td>2 persons</td>
<td>55 liters</td>
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<td>3 persons</td>
<td>75 liters</td>
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<td>4 persons</td>
<td>90 liters</td>
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<td>5 persons</td>
<td>105 liters</td>
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<td>6 persons</td>
<td>120 liters</td>
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<td>each additional household member</td>
<td>15 additional liters pp.</td>
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<td>businesses</td>
<td>30 liters minimum</td>
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WASTE FEES (normal and reduced)
These are yearly charges depending on the can size for non-recyclable waste.

If you use all the organic waste of your household for composting in your garden, you can cancel the can for biodegradable waste. As a consequence you will be granted a reduction in waste disposal fees.

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<th>Household size</th>
<th>Can size (in liters)</th>
<th>Waste fees</th>
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<tr>
<td>1-2 pers.</td>
<td>60 l</td>
<td>156.72 €</td>
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<td>3-4 pers.</td>
<td>90 l</td>
<td>216.96 €</td>
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<td>5-6 pers.</td>
<td>120 l</td>
<td>289.20 €</td>
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<td>7-8 pers.</td>
<td>90+60 l</td>
<td>373.68 €</td>
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<td>9-10 pers.</td>
<td>120+60 l</td>
<td>445.92 €</td>
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<td>11-12 pers.</td>
<td>120+90 l</td>
<td>506.16 €</td>
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<tr>
<td>13-14 pers.</td>
<td>240 l</td>
<td>549.00 €</td>
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JOINT DISPOSAL
It is possible to request joint disposal, i.e. two or more households living on the same lot share a can for non-recyclable waste. For this option all households participating in joint disposal must either compost their organic waste or use a brown can. Joint disposal of private households and businesses is possible as well, provided that the minimum can size for non-recyclable waste (30 liters for the business) is respected.

Please fill in the specific application form to request joint disposal. The form is available at the waste management office of the county administration or your municipal administration. You can also download and print the form at https://www.kaiserslautern-kreis.de/buerger/service/formular-pool.html [in German only].

If you request to change the size of your black can, you will be charged a one-time fee of 25.00 €.

Please note: Waste bags have to be tied up properly for collection. Open bags will not be picked up.

Waste disposal fees include the following services:
• Supply and emptying of cans for non-recyclable, biodegradable and paper waste
• Disposal of hazardous waste at the hazardous waste truck (“Umweltmobil”) and at the hazardous waste storage of the ZAK recycling center
• Battery collection points
• Bulk waste pick up
• Disposal of electrical appliances
• Organic waste collection points
• Disposal of small amounts of recycling waste at the recycling centers Kindsbach and ZAK.

Examples of joint disposal

<table>
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<th>Household size</th>
<th>Required minimum volume per 2 weeks</th>
<th>Number and size of cans for joint disposal</th>
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<tr>
<td>1 person + 2 persons</td>
<td>30 liters + 55 liters = 85 liters</td>
<td>90 liters</td>
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<tr>
<td>2 persons + 3 persons + 1 person</td>
<td>55 liters + 75 liters + 30 liters = 160 liters</td>
<td>60 + 120 liters</td>
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<tr>
<td>1 person + 1 business</td>
<td>30 liters + 30 liters = 60 liters</td>
<td>60 liters</td>
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When determining the can size for joint disposal, the minimum volumes for non-recyclable waste of each participating household or business have to be totaled.

Non-recyclable waste
**Non-recyclable waste**

**WHAT TO DO WHEN RELOCATING**
- Please contact the waste management office without undue delay. Make sure to inform them in writing if the ownership of your home changes. You will be provided with the required waste cans automatically.
- Do not take waste cans with you when you move! Each can has an identification number assigned to a specific lot.
- While waiting for your cans, you may use the black waste bags available at the Kaiserslautern county administration or your municipal administration (3.00 € each). The first waste disposal fee will be charged for the month following the supply of the cans.
- Each household receives their own can for non-recyclable waste. If you intend to make use of joint disposal and/or compost organic waste, kindly notify the county administration in writing as soon as possible (see page 9).
- Please also inform the county administration in case persons with different last names are living in the same household. Otherwise each person will be considered a separate household and receive their own waste cans.

**WHAT GOES IN THE BLACK CAN?**
- **Toiletries**
  - Cotton rounds and stabs, tissues, wipes, tampons, sanitary pads, diapers, toothbrushes, dental floss, etc.
- **Household waste**
  - Soiled paper towels, paper bags, dust bags, toilet brushes, rinsing and cleaning sponges or rags, small quantities of dishes, cutlery, pots, bowls, candlesticks, glasses, bulbs, coal and briquette ash, wallpaper, cigarette butts, sweepings, mineral cat litter, dog dirt, etc.
- **Textiles**
  - Soiled clothing, torn shoes, handbags, hats, belts, etc.

**WHAT DOES NOT GO IN THE BLACK CAN?**
- **Packaging without content**
  [see “Yellow bag”]
- **Organic waste**
  [see “Biodegradable waste”]
- **Construction debris**
  - Sand, stones, bricks, timber, etc.
- **Hazardous waste**
  [see “Hazardous waste”]
  - Medication, halogen lamps, energy saving bulbs, small electric appliances, asbestos, etc.

**Biodegradable waste**

**WHAT GOES IN THE BROWN CAN?**
- **Toiletries**
  - Cotton rounds and stabs, tissues, wipes, tampons, sanitary pads, diapers, toothbrushes, dental floss, etc.
- **Household waste**
  - Soiled paper towels, paper bags, dust bags, toilet brushes, rinsing and cleaning sponges or rags, small quantities of dishes, cutlery, pots, bowls, candlesticks, glasses, bulbs, coal and briquette ash, wallpaper, cigarette butts, sweepings, mineral cat litter, dog dirt, etc.
- **Textiles**
  - Soiled clothing, torn shoes, handbags, hats, belts, etc.

**THE BROWN CAN**

In Kaiserslautern county, organic waste is disposed of in the brown can and recovered separately. Unless you have requested home composting (see page 9), you will be supplied with a brown can together with the black can. The size of your brown can depends on the volume of the black can allocated to your household or home. For private households the brown can is at least as large as the black can, with the option of doubling the size on request. As opposed to private households, for businesses the maximum brown can size included in the waste fees is the size of the black can.

The following fees apply for extra brown can sizes:

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<th>Can size</th>
<th>Yearly charges</th>
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<td>120 l</td>
<td>78.72 €</td>
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<td>240 l</td>
<td>157.56 €</td>
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Please note: If the extra can is provided after the regular waste containers have been supplied, you will be charged a one-time fee of 25 €.

Additional brown cans can only be ordered for households who have already been allocated cans for non-recyclable and biodegradable waste.

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<th>Volume black can</th>
<th>Standard volume brown can</th>
<th>Maximum volume brown can (upon request)</th>
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<tr>
<td>60 liters</td>
<td>120 liters</td>
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<td>90 liters</td>
<td>120 liters</td>
<td>240 liters*</td>
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<td>120 liters</td>
<td>120 liters</td>
<td>240 liters</td>
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<td>240 liters</td>
<td>240 liters</td>
<td>2 x 240 liters</td>
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Derogations may be granted in duly justified cases.

* When using a 60 or 90 liter can for non-recyclable waste, the volume of the can for biodegradable waste can be increased to 240 liters in specific cases as per request.
**WHAT GOES IN THE BROWN CAN?**

**Garden waste**
Leaves, grass clippings, plants, potting soil

**Kitchen waste**
Coffee/tea filters, paper towels, egg shells, raw meat or fish, banana and citrus peel, food leftovers, bread, pastries, cheese, cold cuts, vegetables, fruit, etc.

**Other organic waste**
Potted plants, nut shells, small amounts of wood ash, feathers, newspaper for wrapping leftovers, etc.

**Do not pack biodegradable waste in plastic bags!**

**WHAT DOES NOT GO IN THE BROWN CAN?**

**Packaging**
Made of plastic, metal, composite materials, glass, etc.

**Non-recyclable waste**
e.g. diapers, cigarette butts, leather, sweepings, dust bags, hygiene products, animal excrements, mineral cat litter, etc.

**Construction debris**
e.g. sand, stones, bricks, timber, etc.

**Hazardous waste**
e.g. medication

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**Biodegradable waste**

If all your organic waste is composted and used in your garden, you don’t need a brown can. In this case, the home owner may apply for a reduction of waste disposal fees for home composters.

**HOME COMPOSTING**

**Please note:** The application for home composting has to be renewed whenever the tenant or owner changes. Otherwise a brown can will be supplied for biodegradable waste.

Application forms are available at your municipal administration.

A written notice is required if you intend to stop composting. Supplying or returning a container at a later date will be charged with a one-time fee of 25 €.

To be admitted for the re-use of organic waste in your own garden, it is necessary that correct composting procedures are applied, that the entire amount of organic waste generated is composted properly, that there is sufficient garden space available to use the entire compost, and that the existence of a composter with decomposing material can be proved.

For that reason your application for home composting must indicate the size of the garden and the type of composting. The application must be signed by the property owner. The information provided may be verified during an inspection.

Garden clippings (hedges, trees, grass) can also be taken to the organic waste collection point in your community.

For further information on composting organic waste feel free to contact the waste management office of the Kaiserslautern county administration.

Phone: (0631) 7105-408 or -505, e-mail: abfallwirtschaft@kaiserslautern-kreis.de

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Dumping banned waste in the brown can is an administrative offense subject to a fine!

Useful hints to avoid unpleasant smells and maggots:
- Wrap organic kitchen waste in newspaper.
- Keep the can in a shady place with the lid closed!
- Put the waste in compostable paper bags.

If your can contains banned waste, it won’t be emptied and a red label will be attached to it. In this case you have the following options:
- Sort out the waste that is not biodegradable and place the can at the curb on the next collection day.
- Dispose of the mixed waste in your container for non-recyclable waste or in a black waste bag available from the Kaiserslautern county administration [see page 5].
THINGS TO KNOW ABOUT THE YELLOW BAG

• Put items in the bag one by one, not packed in plastic bags.
• Make sure that different materials do not stick together.
• Remove the aluminum foil from plastic cups.
• Only collect empty packaging and wrappings.
• Packaging containing pollutant-free leftovers are non-recyclable waste.
• Packaging containing residues of pollutant substances must be taken to the hazardous waste truck.

Yellow bags are distributed once a year. You can get more bags at the Kaiserslautern county administration or your local municipal administration. In Kaiserslautern-Süd you can also contact the Trippstadt tourist office ("Verkehrsamt").

Yellow bags to use for the following year are distributed during three or four weeks before year-end. The distribution in the relevant communities will be announced in the local newspapers "Wir im Landkreis" and "Amtsblatt" as well as on our web site.

Each household receives 60 bags with drawstrings.

WHAT GOES IN THE YELLOW BAG?

Plastics
Foils: e.g. bags, pouches, cling film
Plastic bottles: e.g. for detergents, toiletry, beverages
Cups: e.g. for margarine or yogurt [please remove aluminum lids]
Foamed material: clean styrofoam packaging, foamed wrappings e.g. for fruits or vegetables

Metals
Empty spray cans, beverage cans, aluminum [e.g. lids of yogurt cups, foil], bottle caps

Composite materials
Beverage cartons, coffee packaging, vacuum packs

WHAT DOES NOT GO IN THE YELLOW BAG?

• Glass, paper, cardboard
• Packaging with [residual] contents e.g. spoiled food
• Foamed materials e.g. mattresses, chair cushions
• Records, cassettes, CDs/DVDs
• Plastic pipes
• Insulating foams
• Bicycle tires, water hoses
• Pieces of carpet flooring and wallpaper
• Plastic items or furniture, e.g. chairs, laundry baskets, etc.
• Products made of [synthetic] leather
• Insulating material [styrofoam, polystyrene]
• Plastic household items and toys, e.g. bowls, buckets, Bobbyscars, toilet brushes

Please note: Yellow bags are not distributed and collected on behalf of the Kaiserslautern county administration. These services are not included in the waste fees.

The yellow bag is being financed exclusively by the dual systems in Germany which receive a fixed monetary amount for each individual packaging sold. The dual systems publish tender invitations for the required yellow bag services and place orders accordingly.

ATTENTION

The yellow bags are for packaging made out of plastic, metal or composite materials only. Any kind of misuse, e.g. as bag for non-recyclable waste or for the collection of used clothes, is prohibited and can lead to a fine!

The dual system that is currently responsible for Kaiserslautern county is Zentek GmbH & Co. KG Cologne.

Should you have any complaint because yellow bags, please contact the company Spedition und Containerdienst Steuerwald GmbH at (0800) 7236661 (toll-free hotline)

Feel free to call the waste management office of the Kaiserslautern county administration at (0631) 7105-408 or -505 in case your complaint is not successful. We will notify the contracting authority Zentek GmbH & Co. KG.
The blue cans used for the collection of waste paper in Kaiserslautern county have a volume of 240 liters. Usually each home will be assigned one can. If a larger volume is required for waste paper because of the number of persons or the existence of a business additional 240 l cans will be provided upon request.

In case a home requires more than four cans it might be advisable to choose a 1,100 l container (1.1 m³) for waste paper instead. The container is easier to handle than multiple cans and cardboard can be dumped more conveniently. Unlike with 240 l containers cardboard boxes do not have to be torn. They can simply be folded to fit into the container.

1,100 l containers must be ordered in writing [mail, fax or e-mail] because we need to communicate a billing address to the container provider who charges the monthly leasing fee.

Please get in touch with the waste management office if you are interested in a 1,100 l paper container.

**What goes in the blue can?**
- Newspaper, magazines, catalogues
- Books
- Cardboard boxes (no beverage cartons)
- Wrapping and packing paper (no foil)
- Paper
  - e.g. advertising brochures and flyers, letters, envelopes
  - (Outer) packaging made of paper or cardboard
    - with or without the “green dot” symbol
- Only clean paper and cardboard may be put in the container!

**What does not go in the blue can?**
- Composite materials e.g. beverage cartons – please put them in the yellow bag!
- Wallpaper
  - It goes in the black can.
- Soiled paper or cardboard
  - e.g. parchment paper, pizza boxes, paper towels, or used tissues go in the black can.
- Ring binder
  - Must be put in the black can.

In individual cases e.g. after a relocation, the volume of your paper can or container might not be sufficient for your waste paper. In such circumstances you can put your waste paper in cardboard boxes and place them next to your paper can on the collection day or take the excess waste to the recycling centers Kindsbach or ZAK.

**Attention**
- Paper cans and paper containers are for waste paper, cardboard and cartons only.
- Any inappropriate use of the paper can or container is an administrative offense subject to a fine.
Electronic scrap

SMALL ELECTRICAL APPLIANCES

Small electrical appliances include any electrically or battery powered device not larger than a coffee maker.

These appliances can be disposed of at the hazardous waste truck ("Umweltmobii"). Alternatively, you can deposit small appliances at the recycling centers in Kaiserslautern Kindsbach or Kapiteltal.

In addition every union community offers at least one collection point with a container for small electrical appliances. You will find them at the below locations:

Bruchmühlbach-Miesau union cmtty:
- Fuchs Haushaltstechnik, St. Wendeler Straße 19, OT Miesau
- Hochspeyer town hall, Hauptstraße 121

Enkenbach-Alsenborn union cmtty:
- WASGAU supermarket Rosenhofstraße 10, Alsenborn
- Hochspeyer town hall, Hauptstraße 121

Kaiserslautern Süd union community:
- Bakery Ulrich Hoch, Hauptstraße 23, Schopp
- Tourist information Hauptstraße 26, Trippstadt

Otterbach-Otterberg union cmtty:
- WASGAU supermarket, Ziegelhütter Straße 69, Otterbach
- WASGAU supermarket, Gewerbestraße 4, Otterberg

Landstuhl union community:
- KAUFLAND, Torfstraße 10, Landstuhl

Ramstein-Miesenbach union cmtty:
- E-CENTER Jahke supermarket, Rathausring 6, Ramstein

Weilerbach union community:
- Municipal administration Weilerbach Rummelstr. 15, entry near parking lot

The container slot is 28 x 18 cm to accommodate for small appliances only!

These include, for instance:
- Household appliances such as irons, hair dryers or curlers, electric toothbrushes, egg boilers, electric knives, hand mixers, toasters, water kettles, phones, clocks, pocket calculators, fire detectors, flashlights, etc.
- Small power tools such as drilling machines, cordless screwdrivers, grinders, glue guns, soldering irons, etc.
- Home electronics such as remote controls, cell phones, smartphones, tablets, MP3 players, radios, headphones, speakers, keyboards, mouse devices, cables, etc.
- Battery powered toys

You may not deposit energy-saving bulbs, batteries and appliances with non-removable batteries here!

Such appliances have to be taken to the hazardous waste truck or one of our recycling centers. Please remove batteries from the appliance before putting it into the container or dumping it at the recycling center.

LARGE ELECTRICAL APPLIANCES

Large electrical appliances, gas ranges and refrigeration units are picked up upon request. Kindly remember to indicate the type and amount of appliances. You will be notified of the pickup date approx. 14 days after your request. Please place the appliances at the curb before 6 a.m. on the collection day.

You can request the pickup of electrical appliances by phone, fax, or e-mail with a normal postcard.

Phone: (0631) 7105-250/-500
Fax: (0631) 7105-449
E-mail: elektrischrott@kaiserslautern-kreis.de

Please note: Should the address where the appliances are to be picked up be different from your mail address, make sure to indicate this when sending a written request.

Which large electrical appliances are picked up?
- Computers
- CD/DVD players
- Printers
- Range hoods
- Steam cleaners
- Electric grills
- Electric heaters and radiators
- Electric lawn mowers and tools
- Ergometers and other gym equipment with electronic components
- Electric ranges
- Gas ranges
- TVs, computer monitors
- Large electric toys
- Freezers, refrigerators, fridges freezers
- Lamps [without bulbs]
- Microwave ovens
- Mobile AC units
- Vacuum cleaners
- Dishwashers
- HiFi systems
- Video players
- Washing machines
- Dryers, spin dryers

This list is non-exhaustive. Feel free to call us for further details.

NOT PICKED UP

Commercially used electrical appliances

Please note: Alternatively, you can deposit any appliance, including refrigerating units, free of charge at the recycling centers Kindsbach or ZAK.

Tip: If you wish to donate second-hand clothes or shoes, you can have the staff take them along when they pick up your electrical appliances (see page 19 for details).
According to the Battery Regulation consumers are required to return used batteries, accumulators or button cells to the seller.

Non-removable batteries in electric appliances must be disposed of with the appliance [see page 14-15]!

Batteries can be returned to the dealer, the hazardous waste truck, the recycling centers in Kaiserslautern Kapiteltal and Kindsbach, at the offices of the Kaiserslautern county administration in Burgstraße 11 or Am Altenhof 6, Kaiserslautern, or to one of the following battery collection points.

When buying starter batteries (e.g. car batteries) consumers are charged a deposit, which is refunded when the battery is returned to the seller. In addition, the ZAK center for hazardous waste storage accepts old starter batteries free of charge. A refund of deposits is not possible in this case.

Battery collection points in Kaiserslautern county:
- Bruchmühlbach-Miesau union community:
  - Bruchmühlbach: new town hall, elementary school
  - Miesau: elementary school
- Enkenbach-Alsenborn union community:
  - Enkenbach: municipal administration parking lot, Hauptstraße [side entrance]
  - Baalborn: community center ("Bürgerhaus") parking lot, Kehrstraße
  - Hochspeyer: town hall
- Kaiserslautern Süd union community:
  - Kaiserslautern: municipal administration
  - Krickenbach: parish hall ("Gemeindehaus")
  - Queidersbach: secondary school
- Landstuhl union community:
  - Bann: elementary school, town hall
  - Hauptstuhl: fire station
  - Kindsbach: elementary school, Kindsbach recycling center
  - Landstuhl: town hall, elementary school "In der Au", IGS secondary school, elementary school Theodor-Heuss-Grundschule, rehabilitation center Langwiedener Straße
- Otterbach-Otterberg union community:
  - Hirschhorn: at the railroad crossing
  - Katzweiler: Eisenbahnstraße, near the glass containers
  - Mehlbach: former school
  - Olsbrücken: mayor’s office
  - Otterbach: Sterner Straße, parking lot of FC Phönix soccer club
  - Niederkirchen: town hall
  - Otterberg: municipal administration
- Ramstein-Miesenbach union community:
  - Ramstein: municipal administration
- Weilerbach union community:
  - Reichenbach-Steegen: Bahnhofstraße
  - Rodenbach: former milk house, Turmstraße
  - Schwedelbach: at the glass containers near organic waste collection point
- Weilerbach: municipal administration
Hazardous waste includes everything that is harmful for humans, animals and the environment. For reasons of public safety it is not collected together with other waste. **Hazardous waste may under no circumstance be disposed of in household waste containers or toilets.**

Private households can drop small amounts of hazardous waste free of charge at the hazardous waste truck ("Umweltmobil") or at the hazardous waste storage of the ZAK recycling center in Kaiserslautern Kapiteltal.

**HAZARDOUS WASTE INCLUDES:**
- Waste oil
- Asbestos cement components, 5 kg max. (wrapped in tearproof, dustproof film; not accepted at the hazardous waste truck)
- Car batteries
- All types of batteries
- Gasoline, diesel, petroleum
- Sealing and insulating compounds
- Fertilizers
- Energy-saving bulbs
- Fire extinguishers
- Fixatives and developer solutions
- Gas bottles
- Halogen lamps
- Wood preservatives
- Insecticides
- Adhesives
- Condensers
- Varnishes and paints
- Leaches
- Fluorescent lamps (do not break)
- Solvents
- Medicine [without packaging]
- Mineral fiber and insulating material, up to 1 m³ free of charge (in dustproof wrapping; not accepted at the hazardous waste truck)
- Nail polish and remover
- Oil-polluted cloths
- Cans with polyurethane foam
- Pesticides
- Mercury thermometers
- Detergents e.g. drain cleaners
- Acids
- Pest killers
- Spray cans with or without content
- Substances containing tar
- Herbicides
- Diluents

In addition to hazardous waste the hazardous waste truck also accepts small electrical appliances [see page 14].

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Please note: The hazardous waste truck does not accept hazardous waste from businesses.

Companies as well as small businesses have to dispose of their hazardous waste at the hazardous waste storage of the ZAK recycling center.

**ATTENTION**

Please make sure to hand hazardous waste and small electric appliances over to the staff of the hazardous waste truck.

Do not leave any items unattended. Any violation of this provision is a punishable offense.

**OPENING HOURS**

Hazardous waste collection point of the ZAK recycling center in Kaiserslautern Kapiteltal

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Used clothing

As of mid-2013 the Kaiserslautern county waste management has collected and recycled second-hand clothes and shoes. With the assistance of the ZAK recycling center we cooperate with certified companies that guarantee a high-level re-use of the textiles. Every waste fee payer in the county benefits from the proceeds of this project.

You can find ZAK containers for used clothing and shoes at the recycling centers in Kindsbach and Kapiteltal, in Bruchmühlbach at Penny supermarket as well as in Sembach near the glass containers (Kaiserstraße/road L401).

Alternatively, you can hand the textiles over to the staff of the hazardous waste truck or of the truck for electrical appliances when they are being collected.

Please donate clean textiles and shoes (in pairs) packed in bags only.
Many communities in Kaiserslautern county offer collection points where private individuals can dump organic waste that cannot be composted in the garden. This service free of charge.

To ensure high-quality compost it is essential that collection points are not contaminated by other waste. Please note the following instructions for garden clippings:

**YOU MAY DEPOSIT**
- Grass clippings
- Leaves
- Plant parts
- Plants
- Clippings of trees and hedges, trunks, and root stocks without soil with a maximum diameter of 40 cm

**YOU MAY NOT DEPOSIT**
- Construction debris
- Stones
- Timber and furniture wood
- Wooden fences
- Grave decorations
- Windfalls
- Straw and hay
- Pet litter
- Non-recyclable waste
- Biodegradable waste, e.g. fruit, vegetables, food leftovers
- Root stocks and hedges exceeding 40 cm in diameter

Feel free to ask your municipal administration for opening hours or visit [www.kaiserslautern-kreis.de/verwaltung/abfallwirtschaft](http://www.kaiserslautern-kreis.de/verwaltung/abfallwirtschaft) (in German only).

**ATTENTION**
Dumping commercial waste at any of the free collection points is an administrative offense that can be penalized.

Disposing of organic waste outside the opening hours of the collection points or other than organic waste is also prohibited.

**Kaiserslautern Süd union community:**
- Queidersbach/Linden/Krickenbach: near the sewage plant Queidersbach, L363
- Schopp: Im Kobertal
- Trippstadt: former dumping ground, village exit towards Antonihof

**Landstuhl union community:**
- Bann: Ziegelkopf (access via Ziegelsteige)
- Hauptstuhl: village exit towards Hütschenhausen “Im Bruch unter den Wegen”
- Kindsbach: across from “Untere Große Wiesen” new housing area (access via Marktstraße/Eisenbahnstraße)
- Landstuhl: Bruchwiesenstraße, near the city nursery
- Mittelbrunn: former dumping ground
- Oberarnbach: In der Hub (600 m towards Obernheim, on the right)

**Otterbach-Otterberg union community:**
- Frankelbach: at the cemetery
- Heimkirchen/Morbach/Niederkirchen: near the sports ground and pond, Niederkirchen
- Mehlingen: industrial zone “Am Wasserturm”
- Neuhemsbach: former storage location, Hauptstraße
- Sembach: place near the water container, traffic circle, access West
- Hochspeyer: Hauptstraße towards Kaiserslautern, at village exit, entry on the right
- Waldleiningen: at the cemetery

**Bruchmühlbach-Miesau union cmt:**
- Buchholz: Industriestraße (next to sewage plant)
- Martinshöhe/Gerhardsbrunn: Road K68 between the two communities

**Enkenbach-Alsenborn union cmt:**
- Enkenbach: Birkenstraße opposite the police department
- Mehlingen: at the cemetery

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**Otterberg:** at the former sewage plant, road L389 junction L387 towards Erlenbach

**Schaloldenbach:** near cemetery
- **Schneckenhausen:** Schlehenhögel quarry
- **Wörsbach:** Hebelstraße

**Ramstein-Miesenbach union community:**
- Hüutschenhausen: Auf’m Kieshöbel
- Kottweiler-Schwanden: Ober der Neuwiese
- Niedermohr: road K6 “Alte Höhe”, access via Sickental
- Ramstein: city nursery Talstraße
- Steinwenden: Kendelhauser Tal, Weltersbach

**Weilerbach union community:**
- Mackenbach: near sewage plant
- Reichenbach-Steegen: road K6 between Reichenbach and Fockenberg-Limbach
- Rodenbach: near the former sewage plant (Hübelbrunnenstraße)
- Schwedelbach: Pörrbacher Straße
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Glass containers

**WHAT GOES IN THE GLASS CONTAINER?**
Clean and empty non-returnable glass bottles, flasks, and jars

**WHAT DOES NOT GO IN THE GLASS CONTAINER?**
Chinaware, clay pots and vases, car screens/window panes, light bulbs, leaded glass, vases, heat-resistant glass, e.g. preserving jars

**GLASS OF OTHER COLORS**
Please put glass that is not white, brown or green, e.g. red or blue glass, into the container for green glass.

**DROP-OFF HOURS**
Monday -  8.00 - 13.00 hours
Saturday:  15.00 - 19.00 hours
Not on Sundays or German holidays! It is not permitted to discard glass at other times.

**GLASS CONTAINER LOCATIONS**

**Bruchmühlbach-Miesau union cmtys:**
- **Bruchmühlbach:** Access to Penny supermarket, former gas station Alte Straße
- **Elschbach:** village square
- **Gerhardsbrunn:** at the water reservoir
- **Lambsborn:** cemetery parking lot
- **Langwieden:** village exit, near the cemetery
- **Martinshöhe:** parking lot Elisabethenstraße
- **Miesau:** outdoor pool parking lot, EDEKA supermarket

**Enkenbach-Alsenborn union cmtys:**
- **Enkenbach:** Josefsstraße fairground, swimming pool parking lot
- **Alsenborn:** Josefsstraße fairground, swimming pool parking lot
- **Baalborn:** turning area at the end of Steinstraße
- **Enkenbach:** IGS secondary school Am Mühlberg, intersection of Mühlweg/Hainweg (industrial zone), intersection of Bruchwiesen/Gartenstraße (above of Aldi supermarket), Protestant retirement home "Untere Eselsmühle"

**Mehlingen:** fairground Friedrichstraße, sports center, organic waste collection point "Am Wasserturm"
**Neuheimbach:** Hauptstraße, village exit towards Heinzental
**Sembach:** Kaiserstraße, village exit towards Kaiserslautern
**Diemerstein:** Evangelical Children’s Home Diemersteiner Straße
**Fischbach:** multi-purpose hall Frontalstraße
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**Kaiserslautern-Süd union community:**
**Finsterbrunnertal:** "Naturfreundehaus" hostel
**Johanniskreuz:** "Johanniskreuz" hotel and restaurant
**Krickenbach:** community administration Linder Straße, village square
**Langenohr:** parking lot near traffic circle
**Linden:** road L363 near sewage plant
**Quedersbach:** intersection Bachstraße/Bruchstraße, vehicle hall Auf der Heide, secondary school Jaunstraße
**Schopp:** Schmalenberger Straße forest parking lot, at the cemetery

**Steinberg:** fire station, Römerweg turning area
**Trippstadt:** parking lot opposite of Karlsthalhalle [Auf dem Steig], Sägmühle camping area, construction facilities, Aschbachhof, Dengel Inn [Neuhof]

**Landstuhl union community:**
**Bann:** Schillerstraße road to tennis court, fairground Bruchstraße, elementary school, Hauptstraße near traffic circle
**Hauptstuhl:** fire station
**Kindsbach:** multi-purpose hall, cemetery parking lot, parking lot near “Bärenlochweiher” pond, construction facilities Hirtenpfad
**Landstuhl:** fire station, fairground Neuer Markt, parking lot Werderstraße, IGS secondary school, Friedrich Ebert secondary school, Bahnhofstraße near Stutzinger kitchen store, Torfstraße near Fressnapf store
**Mekerei:** Burgweg
**Atzel:** Fichtenplatz parking lot, Stettiner Straße, Nardinistraße parking lot at the driveway to the shooting club, In der Atzel, elementary school Königsberger Straße, Berliner Straße, rehabilitation center Am Rotenberg
**Mittelbrunn:** intersection Mühlenweg/ Wimmelsbacher Weg
**Oberarnbach:** fire station Banner Straße
You can access the online All-for-Free-Market using the hyperlink on the web site of the Kaiserslautern county administration. It is a free, non-commercial online platform where people can exchange or give away objects of daily use.

Citizens of Kaiserslautern county can place advertisements to exchange, give away or find used furniture in good condition, operative electrical appliances, or other items. The more detailed the description, the more likely it is to find people interested in the offer. Citizens of other communities can equally view the advertisements.

**HOW TO ACCESS THE ONLINE ALL-FOR-FREE-MARKET:**

To access the free online platform visit [www.kaiserslautern-kreis.de](http://www.kaiserslautern-kreis.de) and click the text graphic (see image on the right).

### Garbage Guide App

**AS OF JANUARY 2017 THE WASTE MANAGEMENT OFFICE OFFERS A GARbage GUIDE APP WITH REMINDER FUNCTION TO ITS CITIZENS.**

The app notifies the users of pick up dates for non-recyclable waste, biodegradable waste, waste paper, light packaging (yellow bag) or the arrival of the hazardous waste truck. Users can also look up collection points for glass and garden clippings and find more valuable information about waste management anywhere and anytime. An English version of the app is available under the name "Garbage Guide KL County".

Please use the QR code below or on the web site of the county administration to download the app from the App Store [Apple iOS] or the Google Play Store [Android].
The recycling center is located on the premises of the Landstuhl municipal construction facilities in Kindsbach, Hirtenpfad 65.

**OPENING HOURS**

- Wednesday: 13.00 - 17.00 hours
- Thursday: 13.00 - 17.00 hours
- Friday: 13.00 - 17.00 hours
- Saturday: 9.00 - 13.00 hours

For further information concerning the Kindsbach recycling center feel free to phone the waste management office of the Kaiserslautern county administration at (0631) 7105-505 or -408.

Private households as well as businesses which are registered for waste disposal in Kaiserslautern county and have a can or container for non-recyclable waste can dump recyclable material here. The maximum monthly volume is 0.5 m³ per material.

**ATTENTION**

Waste exceeding the allowed volume will be rejected by the recycling center staff. Dumping recycling material at the recycling center outside the opening hours is prohibited and represents an administrative offense.

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**ACCEPTED WASTE**

- Non-polluted scrap wood such as doors, furniture wood, wall and ceiling lining - painted or glued, not treated with wood preservatives
- Used clothing, shoes and other textiles - not soiled or moldy
- Recyclable construction debris such as stones, concrete, soil, tiles, sanitary ceramics
- CDs/DVDs
- Plasterboards without styrofoam
- Glass bricks
- Electronic scrap, electrical appliances including refrigerators and freezers
- Energy saving bulbs, LED, halogen and fluorescent lamps
- Window frames made of metal or plastic [without glass]
- Sheet glass e.g. window panes
- Natural corks [no plastic corks]
- Bulky plastic items, e.g. garden furniture or laundry baskets [no packaging material!]
- Metals – ferrous and nonferrous metals [no oil tanks!]
- Clean cardboard, cartons, and paper [no wallpaper!]
- Cans with polyurethane foam
- Clean plastic foils [no agricultural foils, e.g. silage films!]
- Clean styrofoam [no polystyrene]
- Bulk waste: furniture, carpets, mattresses, etc.

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**NOT ACCEPTED**

- polluted scrap wood: treated with wood preservatives [wooden fences, pressure-treated wood], moldering wood with fungal infections, burnt or oil-polluted wood
- Agricultural foils
- Car batteries
- Old tires
- Material containing asbestos e.g. asbestos cement sheets]
- Trunks and root stocks, garden clippings
- Non-recyclable construction debris, i.e. containing plastic, wood, insulation material, or plasterboards
- Insulation material [glass or rock wool]
- Fire extinguishers
- Yellow bags for recycling material
- Non-recyclable waste
- Wallpaper
- Hazardous waste [e.g. residues of varnish, paint or glue, wood preservatives]
- Material containing tar or bitumen [e.g. roofing felt]
Commercial waste

THE CATEGORY OF SO-CALLED COMMERCIAL MUNICIPAL WASTE INCLUDES:
Non-production related and solid waste that is generated on business premises, in commercial and industrial enterprises, in schools, kindergartens, hospitals, nursing homes, or by freelancers, such as office waste, heating residues, sweepings, or similar waste that will not be fed into the production cycle.

If possible, companies can recycle their commercial municipal waste on their own responsibility.

Non-recyclable commercial municipal waste must be disposed of in the county’s waste management system.

Depending on the quantity of non-recyclable waste generated the company can choose one or more black cans with a volume of 60 l, 90 l, 120 l, or 240 l that is emptied every other week or a 4-wheel container with a volume of 1.1 m³, 3.3 m³ and 5.5 m³ that is emptied weekly or every other week.

According to the information provided by the company the size of cans or containers and the waste fee will be determined on the basis of population equivalents using the corresponding table in the Waste Management Statutes.

Without joint disposal the black can for non-recyclable waste has a minimum volume of 60 l.

A can for biodegradable waste is not necessary if organic waste is composted or re-used externally (proof required). In this case businesses will benefit from a reduced waste fee in the same way as private households do (see table on page 4).

If the business cannot substantiate that biodegradable waste is re-used, one or more brown cans will be provided depending on the black can size determined.

Contrary to private households, for businesses the brown can[s] may not be larger than the black can[s].

It is possible to request joint disposal for businesses and private households located on the same a lot (see page 4–5).

DISPOSAL USING LARGE CONTAINERS

Large containers required for waste disposal have to be ordered by the person obliged to register for waste disposal, usually the property owner. Please make sure to use standard containers that are available for lease from a container provider or for sale from a container manufacturer.

The leasing fee is not part of the waste fee but will be invoiced directly by the provider.

For further information feel free to call the waste management office of the Kaiserslautern county administration at (0631) 7105-329 or -235.

Please note: When disposing of waste in skip or roll-off containers additional costs will be incurred according to the ZAK Fee Statutes.

The county administration will send you a notification of charges where the fees for collection and disposal are listed separately.

A bill of lading (weighing slip) issued by ZAK will be enclosed as proof.

### Yearly fee for the collection and disposal of non-recyclable waste once a week:

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### One-time fee for the collection of non-recyclable waste (without disposal):

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Please note: In addition to the waste fees stated above leasing fees may apply for the long-term provision of 4-wheel containers. Such fees will be invoiced directly by the provider.
### ANIMAL CARCASSES
According to the Waste Law animal carcasses are not considered waste and may not be disposed of in any of the containers provided by the Kaiserslautern county administration. Their disposal is subject to the Animal Carcass Disposal Law. For more information please contact Zweckverband Tierkörperbeseitigung Rheinland-Pfalz, Am Drashbach 2, 54518 Rivenich, phone (06508) 81430, fax (06508) 827, or the Kaiserslautern veterinary office, phone (0631) 7105-408.

### ASBESTOS, FIBER CEMENT, ASBESTOS SHINGLES, FACADE PANELS
Avoid the generation of dust when treating items containing asbestos [e.g. sawing or breaking]. The dust can cause cancer. Always have companies with a certificate of competence according to the Technical Rule for Hazardous Substances TRGS 519 remove asbestos products. Such products must be treated as hazardous waste. For more information please call the Kaiserslautern county administration at (0631) 7105-408 or -505.

### BATHTUBS
and shower trays of any material will not be collected together with bulk waste. You have to take these items to one of the recycling centers.

### CAR BATTERIES
According to the Battery Regulation consumers are charged a deposit when buying starter batteries. The deposit is refunded when the battery is returned to the seller. Alternatively, you can dump car batteries free of charge at the hazardous waste truck or the ZAK recycling center. A refund of deposits is not possible in this case.

### CAR TIRES
Should be returned to the dealer. You can drop-off a maximum of 4 tires [with or without rims] free of charge at the ZAK recycling center.

### CIS/DVDS
Can be dumped in the black can or the containers for plastic at the recycling centers.

### DOORS AND DOORFRAMES
Can be dumped at the recycling centers [see page 28-29].

### DUVETS AND PILLOWS
Please offer duvets and pillows that are still useable to a charity organization. Alternatively, you can have them collected with the bulk waste or take them to one of the recycling centers.

### ELECTRIC STORAGE HEATINGS / NIGHT STORAGE HEATERS
These appliances can contain different amounts of loosely or firmly bound asbestos products. You can check with the waste management office of the Kaiserslautern county administration whether your appliance contains asbestos. Please indicate brand and product type. Phone: (0631) 7105-408 or -505. Please wrap unopened storage heatings in dust-proof film and hand them over to the ZAK recycling center staff.

Only specialized companies holding a certificate of competence according to TRGS 519 are permitted to dispose of storage heaters. Never open such appliances!

For more information on qualified companies please call the municipal craftsmen association (“Kreislandwerkerschaft”) at (0631) 37122-0.

### ENERGY SAVING BULBS AND HALOGEN LAMPS
Are accepted at the hazardous waste truck or the recycling centers in Kindsbach and Kapiteltal.

### EXCAVATED SOIL
Can be taken to ZAK or authorized sand pits for a charge. You can also use the local exchange platform for soil and construction debris at www.alois-info.de.

### EXPIRED MEDICATION
Is accepted at the hazardous waste truck or the ZAK recycling center. Never flush medicine down the toilet!

### FIRE EXTINGUISHERS
Can be taken to the hazardous waste truck or the ZAK recycling center. If possible, please return bottles to the dealer for re-use.

### GAS BOTTLES / CARTRIDGES
Can be taken to the hazardous waste truck or the ZAK recycling center. If possible, please return bottles to the dealer for re-use.

### GAS RANGES
Will be collected with electrical appliances upon request.

### LAWNMOWERS
You can take gas mowers to a certified collection point or recycling company recognized according to the End-of-life Vehicle Directive. Electric lawnmowers are picked up by the Kaiserslautern county administration upon request. Recycling centers accept electric lawnmowers as well. Manual lawnmowers are accepted at the recycling centers or collected with bulk waste upon request.

### LUMINESCENT TUBES
Can be taken to the hazardous waste truck or the ZAK recycling center.

### OLD VEHICLES, CAR WRECKS, CAR PARTS
Must be recycled by certified companies who are recognized according to the End-of-life Vehicle Directive (see Yellow Pages).

### OIL TANKS
Must be disposed of by a certified company. Please see the Yellow Pages for addresses [look for “Tankreinigung”].

### PET AND CAT LITTER
You can put compostable wood or straw [without excrements] into the brown can. Excrements and mineral litter go in the black can. Never flush pet litter down the toilet!

### POTS, DISHES AND CUTLERY
You can take large amounts to the recycling centers in Kindsbach or Kapiteltal. Small amounts go in the black can.

### RING BINDERS
Empty ring binders go in the black can.

### SANITARY CERAMICS
Such as toilets, bidets, urinals, or sinks must be dumped at the recycling center in Kindsbach or Kapiteltal.

### SYRINGES AND CANNULAS
Must be packed in an impenetrable, firmly closed box and disposed of in the black can.

### THERMOMETERS
Mercury thermometers are hazardous waste accepted by the hazardous waste truck. Digital thermometers are electronic scrap.

### VIDEO TAPES
They go in the black can.

### WALLPAPER
It goes in the black can.

### WASTE OIL
According to the Waste Oil Regulation dealers of engine and gear oil must take back the amount sold at no cost. Please make use of this opportunity. Small amounts of oil or polluted waste oil as well as oil filters are accepted by the hazardous waste truck or the ZAK recycling center.
Contacts

If you have any question, feel free to contact the waste management team of the Kaiserslautern county administration. Address: Am Altenhof 6 (former "Casino"), Kaiserslautern.

**CONSULTATION HOURS**
- Monday: 8.00 - 12.00 hours
- and Tuesday: 13.30 - 16.00 hours
- Wednesday: 8.00 - 12.00 hours
- Thursday: 8.00 - 12.00 hours and 13.30 - 18.00 hours
- Friday: 8.00 - 12.00 hours

**WEB SITE**
www.kaiserslautern-kreis.de/en/administration/waste-management.html

**GENERAL CONTACT INFORMATION**
- Fax 0631 / 7105-449
- E-mail waste management abfallwirtschaft@kaiserslautern-kreis.de
- E-mail bulk waste sperrmuell@kaiserslautern-kreis.de
- E-mail electronic scrap elektroschrott@kaiserslautern-kreis.de

**WASTE MANAGEMENT OFFICE**
- 0631 / 7105-505 Bruchmühlbach-Miesau, Landstuhl, Ramstein-Miesenbach and Weilerbach union communities
- 0631 / 7105-408 Enkenbach-Alsenborn, Kaiserslautern-Süd and Otterbach-Otterberg union com.

**ELECTRONIC AND BULK WASTE PICK UP**
- 0631 / 7105-500 Kaiserslautern-Süd, Landstuhl, Otterbach-Otterberg and Ramstein-Miesenbach union communities
- 0631 / 7105-250 Bruchmühlbach-Miesau, Enkenbach-Alsenborn and Weilerbach union communities

**ALLOCATION FOR HOUSEHOLDS (cans, fees)**
- 0631 / 7105-435 Bruchmühlbach-Miesau and Weilerbach union communities
- 0631 / 7105-405 Landstuhl union community
- 0631 / 7105-433 Otterbach-Otterberg and Enkenbach-Alsenborn union communities with the communities Hochspeyer, Fischbach, Frankenstein and Waldleiningen
- 0631 / 7105-329 Ramstein-Miesenbach union community
- 0631 / 7105-508 Kaiserslautern-Süd and Enkenbach-Alsenborn union communities with the communities Enkenbach-Alsenborn, Mehlingen, Neuemsbach and Sembach

**ALLOCATION FOR BUSINESSES (cans, fees)**
- 0631 / 7105-329 Bruchmühlbach-Miesau, Kaiserslautern-Süd, Landstuhl and Ramstein-Miesenbach union communities
- 0631 / 7105-235 Enkenbach-Alsenborn, Otterbach-Otterberg and Weilerbach union communities

**CONTAINER PROVISION**
- 0631 / 7105-235 for all union communities

**ILLEGAL DUMPING OF WASTE**
- 0631 / 7105 - 472 for all union communities

**E-Mail**
umweltbehoerde@kaiserslautern-kreis.de

**PAYMENT QUESTIONS**
If you have questions concerning payment transactions, e.g. SEPA direct debit, or new account or bank details, please contact the county accounts office at 0631 / 7105-588

**COMPANY RESPONSIBLE FOR WASTE DISPOSAL IN KAIERSLAUTERN COUNTY**
- Jakob Becker Entsorgungs-GmbH
  An der Heide 10 · 67678 Mehlingen
  Phone (06303) 804-0
- REMONDIS GmbH Region Südwest
  Staffelberg 8 · 66954 Pirmasens
  Phone (06331) 5139-0
- Zeller Recycling GmbH
  In der Schlicht 6 · 67112 Mutterstadt
  Phone (06324) 9474-0
- Zentrale Abfallwirtschaft Kaiserslautern (ZAK)
  Kapiteltal · 67657 Kaiserslautern
  Phone (0631) 34117-0

**COMPANIES RESPONSIBLE FOR THE DUAL SYSTEMS IN GERMANY**
- Spedition und Containerdienst Steuerwald GmbH
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At our recycling center, you can leave, for example, old clothes, construction waste, electronic scrap, plastics, metals, paper or bulky objects (furniture etc.). You’re always at the right place when you visit our drop-off point for hazardous waste to dispose of, for example, empty batteries, excess paint or expired medication. This kind of waste will also be accepted by our hazardous waste truck, which also makes regular stops near you.

But because time is just as valuable as the materials you want to dispose of, you should separate the individual kinds of waste before loading. Please also remember to remove batteries from old electrical appliances. Many thanks!