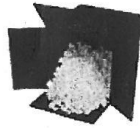


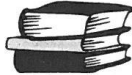


And how do I get rid of...



Polystyrene "Peanuts"

Call CET at 445-4556. Also taken at most packing and shipping stores.



Books

Donate to libraries. Some stores buy and sell used books. Check out www.adoptalibrary.org for reuse ideas.

Paint



Latex paint: Open can and let paint dry, then throw away with household trash.

Oil paint: Bring to a Household Hazardous Waste collection. Contact DPW at 499-9330 for dates.



Propane Tanks

Small empty camp stove tanks can be thrown in the trash. Bring larger grill-size tanks (20 lb.) to Pittsfield Welding, George Propane, AmeriGas, Carr Hardware and some fire stations (call first). A fee may apply.

Yard Waste



Pittsfield residents can place yard waste in clear plastic bags and bring to Covanta. Yard waste makes great compost! Call 499-9344 to purchase compost bins at City Hall. Contact CET for composting information www.cetonline.org or 445-4556.

Televisions



Contact Best Buy or Goodwill. They will accept TVs for a fee. Do not place a TV at the curb for pick-up.

Computers



For non-working and working computers, contact Goodwill at 442-0061 for free recycling. Best Buy (445-5812). A fee may apply. For working computers contact ReCompute at 496-9849.

Rechargeable Batteries & Cell Phones



There are drop boxes for these items located at City Hall and CET (112 Elm St.). Can also bring to any Staples, Best Buy or Radio Shack stores.



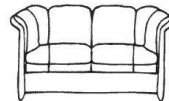
Fluorescent Bulbs

Bring compact fluorescents (cfl's) to Home Depot. All fluorescent bulbs, as well as thermostats and thermometers, bring to Covanta: 443-7373 on Hubbard Ave. for recycling.

"White Goods"



This include refrigerators, freezers, dishwashers, washers, dryers, air conditioners and stoves. These can not be thrown away or left at the curb. Call Sayers Auto Wrecking at 443-1635, Perlman & Sons at 442-7127 or Covanta at 443-7373. Disposal fees may apply.



Bulky Waste

Acceptable items: automobile tires, oversize plastic toys, wooden posts or fencing, upholstered chairs & couches, broken-down wooden furniture, mattresses, box springs and carpet rolls. \$15 curbside disposal sticker required.

Questions? Call the Pittsfield DPW at (413) 499-9330

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