

FLINT HILLS RECYCLING DIRECTORY



2009-2010

Listings for Manhattan, Junction City and the surrounding communities

SPRING CLEAN-UP – City of Manhattan – Early April
For exact date and more information call – (785) 587-4540

EARTH DAY – April 22
For more information visit www.earthday.net

AMERICA RECYCLES DAY – November 15
For more information visit www.americarecyclesday.org

Riley County Planning & Development
110 Courthouse Plaza
Manhattan, Kansas 66502
(785) 537-6332
Look for updates at www.rileycountyks.gov















The following companies/organizations will pay for items marked *. This information no way constitutes an endorsement of any recycling outlet or business on the part of Riley County. Any omission is unintentional Call (785) 537-6332 to include your business in this directory. Information is subject to change.

NAME AND LOCATION	PHONE	MATERIALS ACCEPTED	COLLECTION DAYS & HOURS	
Bayer Construction 120 Deep Creek Rd. Manhattan	776-8839	Asphalt paving rubble and broken rock	U-deliver Mon-Fri 8am-4:30pm	
Burnett Automotive 400 McCall Road Manhattan	539-8970	Used tires \$2.00 charge per auto/light truck; larger tires are prorated	U-deliver Mon-Sat 8am-5pm	
Dillons 130 Sarber Lane Manhattan	776-9285	*Plastic & paper sacks (Reuse your own bag and get .05 off grocery bill per bag)	U-deliver 7 days week/24 hours	
Dillons 1000 Westloop Manhattan	539-7631	*Plastic & paper sacks (Reuse your own bag and get .05 off grocery bill per bag)	U-deliver 7 days week/24 hours	
Dillons 618 West 6th Street Junction City	238-2141	*Plastic & paper sacks (Reuse your own bag and get .05 off grocery bill per bag)	U-deliver 7 days week/24 hours	
Disabled American Veterans Thrift Store 1505 N. Washington Junction City	238-1430	Household goods; small appliances; clothing; furniture; dishes; books; tools	U-deliver/Call first Mon-Sat 9am-5pm	
Document Resources Inc 414 S. 4th Manhattan	537-1222	Paper; files and paper materials to be destroyed by shredding. Fee for service - call for pricing. Materials destroyed are recycled. No sorting of paper necessary.	Pick-up/Call first	
Dusty Bookshelf 700 N. Manhattan Manhattan	539-2839	*Hardback & paperback books	Pick-up/U-deliver Mon-Fri 10am-8pm Sat 10am-6pm Sun 1pm-5pm	
Episcopal Church Encore Shop 6th and Poyntz Manhattan	776-7866	Clothing; linens & blankets; curtains; collectibles; jewelry; pots & pans; dishes; small appliances; toys	U-deliver Mon-Sat 1pm-4pm	
The EyeDoctors - Optometrists: Drs. Price, Young, Odle, Horsch, P.A. & Associates 3012 Anderson Manhattan	537-1118	Eyeglasses	U-deliver Mon & Wed 8am-5pm Tues & Thr 8am-7pm Fri 9am-5pm Sat 8am-2pm	
Family Center Budget Shop 730 Colorado Street Manhattan	565-5010	Clothes; books; small household items; jewelry; dishes; toys; linens; cookware; collectables	U-deliver Tue-Fri 12-3pm Sat 10am-1pm Closed June & July	Donation Hours: Mon-Fri 9-5 Sat 10-2pm
Flint Hills Breadbasket 905 Yuma Manhattan	537-0730	Canned foods; staple foods; garden produce; working garden equipment; twisty ties; paper & plastic sacks; baby formula; operational vehicles	Mon-Fri 8:30am-4pm Closed 12-1pm	
Fort Riley Recycle Center Building 1980 Camp Funston Fort Riley	239-2094	Cardboard; office paper; plastics; aluminum; steel; glass; metals	U-deliver Mon-Fri 7am-3pm	
www.freecycle.org		All items except animals. Find a home for your stuff by sending an e-mail offering it to members of your local Freecycle group.	Free membership	
Grand Ol' Trunk Thrift & Bookstore 1304 Pillsbury Drive Manhattan	537-2273	Clothing; *jewelry; *hand tools; *major & small appliances; *furniture; *books; *CD's; *miscellaneous items	Pick-up/U-deliver Mon-Sat 10am-6pm Closed Sunday	
Hess Salvage 4th & Bridge Clay Center	632-5233 800-974-5233	All types of metals; cars; trucks; pick-ups; Kansas Oxygen Dealer	U-deliver Mon-Fri 8am-5pm Sat 8am-12pm	

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Hess & Sons Salvage 1209 N. Perry Junction City	238-3382	*Aluminum cans; *copper; *scrap iron; *aluminum; *radiators; *brass: *farm equipment	U-deliver/will pick-up large quantities Mon-Fri 8am-5pm Sat 8am-12pm
Howie's Enterprises, Inc. 625 South 10th Manhattan	776-8352	*Aluminum cans; glass containers; telephone books; magazines; newspapers; computer, white bond, & mixed paper; cardboard; aluminum foil; plastic jugs #1 & 2 only (milk, pop, etc.); *scrap metals (brass, copper, magnesium, stainless steel); transmissions; radiators; steel vegetable cans; wiring; aluminum storm doors/ windows; aluminum siding; car batteries; scrap iron; all appliances; clothing, shoes, belts & purses; Roll-off boxes are available in 20, 30 or 40-yard sizes for all refuse including construction and demolition waste.	U-deliver Mon-Fri 8am-5pm Sat 8am-12pm Riley County Household Hazardous Waste will pick-up at this site on the 2nd Saturday of each month from 8am-12noon
Kansas Wildlife & Parks Tuttle Creek State Park (River Pond Area) Manhattan		Used Christmas Trees	U-deliver 7 days/week, 24 hrs/day Dec 20 - January 31
K-Hill Engine Service 8430 E. Hwy 24 Manhattan	776-4181	Lawn mowers; any lawn and garden equipment	U-deliver/Call first Mon-Fri 8am-5pm Sat 8am-12pm
Laser Tech Service 3612 Rocky Ford Ave Manhattan	539-8011	*Laser cartridges	Pick-up/Call first Mon-Fri 8am-5pm
McDonald's Salvage W. Baron Street Leonardville	293-5240	*Scrap iron; *cast/forged aluminum; *aluminum cans; *copper; *brass; *appliances; *car batteries; *junk cars	Pick-up/U-deliver Mon-Fri 8am-6pm
Manhattan Emergency Shelter 416 S. 4th Manhattan	537-3113	Appliances (small); dishes; furniture; blankets; personal hygiene items; cleaning supplies	U-deliver/Call first Mon-Fri 8am-5pm
Manhattan Ink Inc. 3348 Newbury Street Manhattan	539-9222	Laser printer toner cartridges-boxed or packaged; Laser printers dead or alive	Pick-up/Call first for appt. Mon-Fri 9am-5pm
Manhattan Public Library 629 Poyntz Avenue Manhattan	776-4741	Used books that are in good condition. Will not accept: magazines; textbooks; Readers Digest condensed books; computer books; and old encyclopedias	U-deliver Mon-Thu 9am-9pm Fri 9am-8pm Sat 9am-6pm Sun 1pm-6pm
Mike's Fire Extinguishers Manhattan	776-3473	Used fire extinguishers	U-deliver Mon-Fri 9am-5pm Call answering machine for drop-off information
Mike's Wrecker Service 161 McDowell Creek Road Manhattan	539-4221	Auto bodies and auto parts	Free pick-up Mon-Fri 8am-5pm
People's Grocery 517 S. 17th St. Manhattan	539-4811	Paper sacks	U-deliver Mon-Fri 11am-7pm
Pop's Collectables 431-A South 5th Manhattan	776-1433	* All types of collectables; *scrap gold and silver	U-deliver Wed & Thu 10am-6pm
ReStore 2711 Amherst Manhattan	537-7545	Surplus new/used building and home improvement materials/appliances. Do not accept used carpet, clothes, electronics, furniture, paint, general household items, other NON-building supply items	U-deliver 1st Sat - every month 9am - 2pm Call to schedule different drop off day or time

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Riley County Household Hazardous Waste/ Electronic Waste 6245 Tuttle Creek Blvd Manhattan	539-3202	Used oil; all types of household hazardous waste (i.e. pesticides, paints, solvents, cleaners, etc.); household batteries; cell & cordless phones, copy & fax machines, microwaves, printers, scanners, tape decks, TV's, VCR/DVD players, stereos, typewriters, CPU towers, laptops, computer monitors	U-deliver Mon-Fri 7:30am-4pm Pick-up by appointment for handicapped and elderly only. Drop-off 2nd Saturday of each month @ Howie's Recycling 8am-12pm
Riley County Transfer Station 1881 Henton Road Manhattan	565-6290	Yard Waste Site: Leaves; grass clippings; brush; tree limbs; wood chips (absolutely no trash or bottles mixed with clippings) Remove items from PLASTIC bags but not from compostable paper bags. No charge. Appliance Site: All large appliances \$40.00 per ton, an additional \$10.00 fee for freon removal. Waste Tire Site: \$2.00 per small tire (car/light trucks); \$6.50 per medium tire (semi truck); \$16.50 per large tire (farm tractor tires) and \$2.00 additional fee for tires with rims	U-deliver Mon-Sat 7am-5pm
Salvation Army Thrift Store 310 Poyntz Avenue Manhattan	770-3171	Resell useable household goods; clothing; small & major appliances; tools; furniture - all items must be clean and in working order Recycles 40,000 lbs/month of toys, shoes, clothes, belts, & purses into other useable products or given to third world countries.	U-deliver Mon-Sat 10am-6pm Pick-up/Call first Please do not leave items after hours
SHARP - Sertoma Hearing Aid Recycling Program 1133 College Bldg. A/Lower Level Manhattan	539-7361	Hearing aids and hearing aid batteries	U-deliver to Audiology Assoc. Mon-Fri 8am-5pm except Wed pm
Shilling Construction Corporate Office 555 Poyntz Avenue, Suite 260 Manhattan	776-5077	Asphalt paving	Call first Mon-Fri 8am-5pm
Stickels Cleaners 714 N. 12th Street Manhattan	539-4211	Wire hangers	U-deliver Mon-Fri 7am-7pm Sat 7am-5:30pm
Sunset Zoo 2833 Oak St. Manhattan	587-2737	Cell phones (don't have to be in working order)	April 1 - October 31 9:30am-5:00pm Nov 1 - March 31 12 noon - 5:00pm
T. Russell Reitz Animal Shelter 608 Levee Drive Manhattan	587-2783	Purina dog/cat chow; Science Diet & Iams brands, can dog/cat food; clay cat litter; laundry detergent; dryer sheets; bleach; Germ X; Dawn dish soap; Electrosol; towels; rugs; blankets; dog/cat toys; litter pans (all sizes); leashes/collars; postage stamps; dog/cat treats	U-deliver Thurs-Tues 1pm-5:30pm Wed 3-5:30pm Closed on Holidays
Toys for Manhattan Manhattan	313-2013	Toys; books; games; dolls & doll clothes; stuffed animals; holiday decorations (clean & in good condition)	Pick-up/Call first
The UPS Store 1228 Westloop Manhattan	537-6071	Styrofoam packing peanuts	U-deliver Mon-Fri 9:30am-6:30 pm
Wamego Recycling 18070 E. Hwy 24 Wamego	456-2439	Iron; tin; cast/forged aluminum; aluminum cans; copper; lawn mower motors; appliances; non-magnetic metals; non-operational vehicles	U-deliver Mon-Fri 8am-5pm Sat 8am-noon Price reduction if we pick-up non-operational vehicles
Waste Management of Manhattan 127 McCall Road Manhattan	776-7077	Cardboard - commercial only	Pick-up/Call first Tue & Fri

COMMON TYPES OF PLASTICS

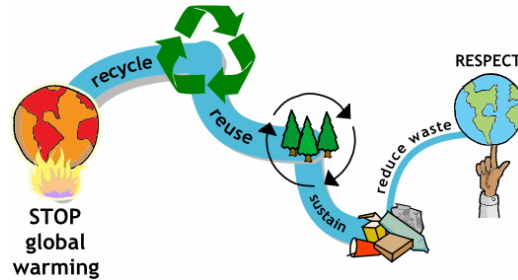
Plastic Identification Code	Type of plastic polymer	Properties	Common Packaging Applications	Examples
	Polyethylene Terephthalate (PET, PETE)	Clarity, strength, toughness, barrier to gas and moisture.	Soft drink, water and salad dressing bottles; peanut butter and jam jars	
	High Density Polyethylene (HDPE)	Stiffness, strength, toughness, resistance to moisture, permeability to gas.	Milk, juice and water bottles; trash and retail bags.	
	Polyvinyl Chloride (V)	Versatility, clarity, ease of blending, strength, toughness.	Juice bottles; cling films; PVC piping	
	Low Density Polyethylene (LDPE)	Ease of processing, strength, toughness, flexibility, ease of sealing, barrier to moisture.	Frozen food bags; squeezable bottles, e.g. honey, mustard; cling films; flexible container lids.	
	Polypropylene (PP)	Strength, toughness, resistance to heat, chemicals, grease and oil, versatile, barrier to moisture.	Reusable microwaveable ware; kitchenware; yogurt containers; margarine tubs; microwaveable disposable take-away containers; disposable cups and plates.	
	Polystyrene (PS)	Versatility, clarity, easily formed	Egg cartons; packing peanuts; "Styrofoam"; disposable cups, plates, trays and cutlery; disposable take-away containers;	
	Other (often polycarbonate or ABS)	Dependent on polymers or combination of polymers	Beverage bottles; baby milk bottles; electronic casing.	

10 THINGS TO HELP SAVE THE EARTH

1. Pay attention to how you use water. The little things can make a big difference. Every time you turn off the water while you're brushing your teeth, you're doing something good. Got a leaky toilet? You might be wasting 200 gallons of water a day [Source: EPA]. Try drinking tap water instead of bottled water, so you aren't wasting all that packaging as well. Wash your clothes in cold water when you can.

2. Leave your car at home. If you can stay off the road just two days a week, you'll reduce greenhouse gas emissions by an average of 1,590 pounds per year [Source: EPA]. Combine your errands -- hit the post office, grocery store and shoe repair place in one trip. It will save your gas and time.

3. Walk or ride your bike to work, school and anywhere you can. You can reduce greenhouse gases while burning some calories and improving your health. If you can't walk or bike, use mass transit or carpool. Every car not on the road makes a difference.



4. Recycle. You can help reduce pollution just by putting that soda can in a different bin. If you're trying to choose between two products, pick the one with the least packaging. If an office building of 7,000 workers recycled all of its office paper waste for a year, it would be the equivalent of taking almost 400 cars off the road [Source: EPA].

5. Compost. Think about how much trash you make in a year. Reducing the amount of solid waste you produce in a year means taking up less space in landfills, so your tax dollars can work somewhere else. Plus, compost makes a great natural fertilizer. Composting is easier than you think.

6. Change your light bulbs. Compact fluorescent light bulbs (CFLs) last 10 times longer than a standard bulb and use at least two-thirds less energy. If you're shopping for new appliances or even home electronics, look for **ENERGY STAR** products, which have met EPA and U.S. Department of Energy guidelines for energy efficiency. In 2006, the ENERGY STAR program saved energy equivalent to taking 25 million cars off the road and saved Americans \$14 billion in utility costs [Source: ENERGY STAR].

7. Make your home more energy efficient (and save money). Clean your air filters so your system doesn't have to work overtime. Get a programmable thermostat so you aren't wasting energy when you're not home. When you go to bed, reduce the thermostat setting -- you won't miss those extra degrees of heat or air conditioning while you're asleep.

8. Maintain your car. Underinflated tires decrease fuel economy by up to three percent and lead to increased pollution and higher greenhouse gas emissions [Source: EPA]. Under inflation also increases tire wear, so it will save you money in the long run if you're good about checking your tire pressure.

9. Drive smarter. Slow down -- driving 60 miles per hour instead of 70 mph on the highway will save you up to 4 miles per gallon. [Source: Consumer Guide Automotive]. Accelerating and braking too hard can actually reduce your fuel economy, so take it easy on the breaks and gas pedal.

10. Turn off lights when you're not in the room and unplug appliances when you're not using them. It only takes a second to be environmentally conscious.

