

Small Battery Recycling & Disposal

For recycling, **use clear tape to cover the electrodes on both ends** to prevent possible fires during storage!
 Batteries listed for recycling currently are accepted free of charge (subject to change).

Battery Type	Common Name	Sizes	Common Uses	Disposal Class	Proper Disposal
Alkaline (manganese)	Coppertop, Alkaline	AAA, AA, C, D, 6V, 9V	Flashlights, calculators, toys, clocks, smoke alarms, remote controls	Non-hazardous	Garbage at home
Button	Mercuric oxide, silver oxide, lithium, alkaline, zine-air	Various	Watches, hearing aids, toys, greeting cards, remote controls	Hazardous	Recycle at MCSWD
Carbon zinc	Classic, heavy duty, all purpose, power cell	AAA, AA, C, D, 6V, 9V	Flashlights, calculators, toys, clocks, smoke alarms, remote controls, transistor radios, garage door openers	Non-hazardous	Garbage at home
Lithium/lithium ion	Lithium	3V, 6V, 3V button	Cameras, calculators, computer memory back up, tennis shoes	Non-hazardous	Recycle at MCSWD
Nickel-cadmium (rechargeable)	Ni-Cd	AAA, AA, C, D, 6V, 9V	Flashlights, toys, cell phones, power tools, computer packs	Hazardous	Recycle at MCSWD
Nickel metal hydride (rechargeable)	Ni-Li, Ni-Hydride	AAA, AA, C, D, 6V, 9V	Same as Ni-Cd	Non-hazardous	Recycle at MCSWD
Reusable alkaline manganese (rechargeable)	Renewal	AAA, AA, C, D	Flashlights, calculators, toys, clocks, radios, remote controls	Non-hazardous	Garbage at home
Lead acid / sealed lead acid (rechargeable)	Gel, VRB, AGM	2V, 6V, 12V	Wheelchairs, scooters, vehicles, boats, boat and RV house power, security systems	Hazardous	Recycle at MCSWD
Silver oxide	Panasonic Silver Oxide	Various	Watches, hearing aids, toys, greeting cards, remote controls	Hazardous	Recycle at MCSWD

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