The Gainesville Zero Waste News

Appliance Recycling Collection is Free! Find Out How To Schedule A Collection Appointment

Did you know that the average appliance is 75% steel and that home appliances make up 10% of the steel recycled in the U.S. each year? It is important to recycle old appliances properly to ensure that metals are recycled and that Freon gases from refrigerated appliances are handled in an environmentally safe manner. There is no additional charge for this collection service for residential homes in the City of Gainesville.

Household appliance accepted for collection include:
- ✓ Refrigerators & Freezers
- ✓ Stoves & Ovens
- ✓ Dishwashers
- ✓ Washer & Dryers
- ✓ Hot Water Heaters
- ✓ Air Conditioners (window units only)

City of Gainesville residents may schedule a FREE appliance collection appointment by contacting the Solid Waste Division at **352-334-2330** or online at [Appliance Recycling Collection](#).

As always, find out all the ways you can safely reduce waste and dispose of unwanted items by following ZeroWasteGNV on Facebook and Instagram.

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