

The End Life of Electronics

In 2023, we rely on electronics everyday. From communication with our families and co-workers, to GPS and staying up to date on current events, our electronic devices are capable of simplifying our lives drastically. But what happens when our devices become broken, obsolete or no longer of use to us? Many would be surprised to learn that even though our electronics do not belong in our curbside bin, they are in fact, recyclable.



Many retail stores that sell electronics will also allow the consumer to bring an item back for recycling purposes at no cost. We are also fortunate that here in Dutchess County we have three Household Hazardous Waste and Electronics Recycling events per year. Dates for these events are published on our [website](#) in March, and online registration opens one month prior to each event date. These events allow residents of Dutchess County to bring both electronics and household chemicals at once.



Batteries, TV's, VCRs, old MP3 players and more can be recycled to create other vital items. For more information on electronics and other hard to recycle items, download our [guide](#) and visit our [recycling encyclopedia](#) .

