

# DISPOSING OF FREON CONTAINING APPLIANCES

Appliances like air conditioners, refrigerators, freezers, dehumidifiers and water coolers contain Freon, which trash haulers are not authorized to collect. Please take Freon containing appliances to one of the local companies below that will remove the Freon and recycle the appliance. Some charge a fee.

**Joe Mattero Recycling Inc.**  
316 W. 7<sup>th</sup> St.  
Lansdale, PA 19446  
215-855-4808

**John Miller & Son, Inc. Springfield**  
147 Oreland Rd.  
Oreland, PA 19075  
215-885-8199

**John Miller & Son, Inc. Pennsburg**  
2542 Geryville Pk.  
Pennsburg, PA 18073  
215-679-0969

**611 Metals**  
2509 Wyandotte Rd.  
Willow Grove, PA 19090  
267-221-6924

**Ridge Metals** (former Recycle Metals Corp)  
407 Alan Wood Rd.  
Conshohocken, PA 19428  
610-828-5553

**Safe Disposal**  
4301 N. Delaware Ave.  
Philadelphia, PA 19137  
215-268-7500  
Free Drop off

**Sullivan's Scrap Metal**  
451 Oakdale Ave.  
Hatboro, PA 19040  
215-442-1504

**PECO Customers only-** [www.peco.com](http://www.peco.com) (savings) refrigerators and freezers pick-up.

## Why can't my trash hauler pick up my old Freon containing appliance?

The Clean Air Act of 1990 requires the recapture, recycling and safe disposal of chlorofluorocarbons (CFCs) and hydrochlorofluorocarbons (HCFCs) used in air conditioners, refrigerators, freezers, dehumidifiers and water coolers as coolant. Under the Act, no one may accept an item containing CFCs and/or HCFCs for recycling or disposal unless the Freon contained within it is properly removed and the owner/hauler/appliance company can show proof of proper removal. It is also unlawful for any person to knowingly release or vent CFCs or HCFCs into the air. The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) requires certification for all technicians removing Freon as of November 14, 1994. For more information, call the EPA Stratospheric Protection Hotline at 800-296-1996.



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