

Please Cooperate with Recycling of Used Small Home Electronics

In Oshu, as of January 2015, dedicated collection boxes for the recycling of used small home electronics were set up, in order to use resources effectively and to reduce the amount of garbage. Within small home electronics are bronze, silver, gold, rare metals, and other useful metals. Small home electronics, which have been managed as trash up until now, can be recycled as resources, if they are disposed of properly. We ask for your cooperation in the collection of small home electronics that have become unneeded in your home, so as to effectively use our finite resources.



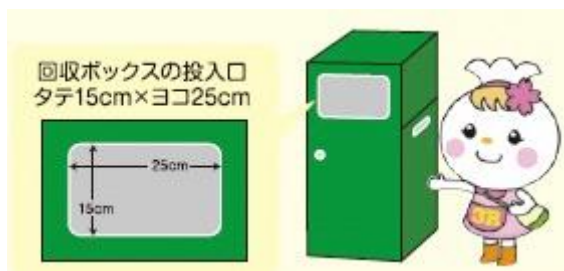
How Appliances Are Collected

Collection boxes are set up at Main City Hall and the general branch offices, plus Oshu's 35 community centers. Please use the collection box at your nearest facility.

What Items Are Collected?

The following items are collected, provided they fit into the collection box opening (15 cm high x 25 cm wide.)

- Cell phones/PHS
- Phones/fax machines
- Portable radios
- Digital cameras
- Video cameras
- IC recorders
- Portable music players (CD/MD/flash memory, etc.)
- Portable DVD/Blu-ray disc players)
- eBooks
- Electronic dictionaries
- Calculators
- Electronic blood pressure meters
- Stationary/portable/home video game consoles
- Car devices (navigation, audio, ETC onboard unit, etc.)
- Remote controls/AC adapters/accessories like chargers, etc.



Things to Be Careful Of

- Make sure to delete all of your personal information before placing an item in the box.
- Once the item is placed, it cannot be retrieved.
- Take out any dry cell batteries.
- Do not place anything in the box other than small home electronics.
- Items that are covered by the Home Appliance Recycling Law, (TVs, air conditioners, refrigerators, and clothes washers/dryers) plus computers, cannot be collected.
- Waste generated from businesses/business operations cannot be collected.

