



Collected batteries and cellphones are recycled into new products.

Nickel (Ni)

Used Ni-Cd, Ni-MH and Ni-Zn batteries are recycled into new products such as silverware, pots & pans, golf clubs and new batteries.



Alkaline

Used alkaline batteries are recycled into steel and new products such as sun screen and road asphalt aggregate.



Refurbished

Cellphones are refurbished or resold with proceeds helping to fund the recycling and education program.



Lithium (Li)

Used Li-Ion rechargeable batteries are recycled into steel, stainless steel and new batteries.



Lithium Primary

Used Li-based primary batteries are recycled into new products such as silverware, stainless steel, golf clubs and new batteries.



Recycled

Cellphones unable to be refurbished are wholly recycled and manufactured into new products.



Lead (SSLA/Pb)

Used SSLA/Pb batteries are recycled into new Pb-based batteries.



2018 Battery Collection Ranked by State

Based on weight of batteries collected as a function of state population

Top 10 States

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| 1. VT | 6. IL |
| 2. DE | 7. TN |
| 3. GA | 8. NH |
| 4. MN | 9. PA |
| 5. CA | 10. WA |

**MN RECYCLED
193,000+ LBS
OF BATTERIES
IN 2018**

WHY SHOULD WE RECYCLE BATTERIES?



RECYCLING BATTERIES CONSERVES NATURAL RESOURCES.

Lead, Cadmium, and Lithium are a few of the metals batteries contain.

RECYCLING BATTERIES MEANS LESS MATERIAL GOES TO LANDFILLS.

Batteries contain corrosive materials that are toxic to the environment.



RECYCLED BATTERIES CAN BE MADE INTO NEW PRODUCTS.

Such as, silverware, pots and pans, steel and new batteries

BATTERIES DON'T BELONG IN YOUR HOME TRASH OR RECYCLING.

Batteries can start fires!

Drop off at Transfer Stations



RECHARGEABLE BATTERIES:

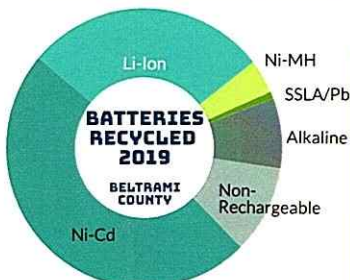
- Are less harmful to the environment
- Can be recharged hundreds of times before being recycled
- Save on raw materials

IMPROPER DISPOSAL OF BATTERIES

CAN LEAD TO SOIL, GROUNDWATER & SURFACE WATER CONTAMINATION.



PROTECT OUR WATERS AND RECYCLE BATTERIES AT TRANSFER STATIONS.



1,710 LBS.

OF BATTERIES RECYCLED IN 2019 WITH CALL 2 RECYCLE

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