

# DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

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## MATERIALS PROHIBITED AT KEKAHA LANDFILL

Sec. 21-7.3 of the Kaua'i County Code Prohibits the following material from being accepted at the County Refuse Transfer Stations:

- (a) Ashes;
- (b) Bulky items and construction and demolition debris greater than three (3) feet in any dimension. Notwithstanding any provision to the contrary, the Līhu'e Refuse Transfer Station may accept, from residential self-haulers only, bulky items such as bed mattresses and box springs and other whole furniture items made of wood;
- (c) Used motor vehicle and heavy equipment tires whether whole, cut, sliced, chipped, or shredded, except for whole automobile and passenger truck tires from residential self-haulers for recycling;
- (d) White goods, except for white goods from residential self-haulers, for recycling;
- (e) Animal carcasses, parts or innards; animal feces not considered pet animal waste, liquid waste; medical waste which has not been rendered non-infectious through sterilization;
- (f) Explosives;
- (g) Toxic and hazardous wastes;
- (h) Pressurized containers, except for propane cylinders of ten (10) gallon capacity or less from residential self-haulers for recycling;
- (i) Corrugated cardboard from businesses, industrial, governmental, institutional, and other nonresidential sources that exceed ten percent (10%) of the load, by volume;
- (j) Ferrous and non-ferrous metal items from businesses, industrial, governmental, institutional, and other nonresidential sources that exceed ten percent (10%) of the load, by volume; and
- (k) Monitors (cathode ray tubes and liquid crystal displays) from businesses, industrial, governmental, institutional and other nonresidential sources.

The provisions provided in Subsections (i), (j), and (k) of this Section shall not apply to County refuse collection vehicles that collect or receive solid waste from residential sources. (Ord. No. 706, August 6, 1996; Ord. No. 902, July 28, 2010)

Businesses that have not yet developed recycling programs for their operations are encouraged to contact the County Recycling Office at 241-4841 or check the county website at:

[www.kauai.gov/recycling](http://www.kauai.gov/recycling).

See the back of this form for information on diverting prohibited materials.

## HOW TO MANAGE PROHIBITED MATERIALS

**Cardboard:** Accepted for recycling free of charge at Garden Isle Disposal (GID) located at 2666 Niumalu Road Līhu'e. They accept cardboard Mon.-Fri. 7:00 am -3:30 pm, closed for lunch from 11:00 - noon. Open Sat. 7:00 am – noon. GID also provides hauling services for cardboard. Call 245-2372 for more information.

**Metal, Appliances and Motor Vehicles:** Puhi Metals Recycling Facility accepts motor vehicles, and ferrous and non-ferrous metals for recycling. Fees apply. See [www.kauai.gov/metalrecycling](http://www.kauai.gov/metalrecycling) for a price list. Puhi Metals is open Monday – Saturday 7:30 am to 3:30 pm. Call Resource Recovery Solutions at 245-6919 with questions.

Reynold's Recycling at the Kaua'i Resource Center in Līhu'e pays redemption value for non-ferrous metal. Call Reynold's at 245-7233 for redemption values.

### **Green Waste:**

- Kaua'i Nursery in Puhi accepts green waste. Call 245-7747 for tip fees.
- Heart and Soul Organics in Moloa'a. Call 823-1007 for tip fees.
- Green Earth Matters in Moloa'a. Call 651-2058 for tip fees.
- Shredco in Kekaha. Call 246-2003 for tip fees and more information.

**Used Tires:** Tires may be taken to the locations below. Call for locations, hours of operations, and pricing:

- PS&D Tires in Lihue: 245-9502
- Unitek Solvent Services: 246-9265
- Tire Warehouse in Lihue: 245-6754

**Toxic and Hazardous Waste:** This type of waste is regulated by the State Department of Health Hazardous Waste Branch. For information on regulatory matters, contact them at 808-586-4226. The companies below provide collection and processing services for toxic and hazardous waste.

- Cameron Chemical Corp: 808-695-2999
- Enviro Services & Training Center: 808-839-7222
- Oasis Environmental Group: 808-529-1300
- Pacific Commercial Services: 808-545-4599
- Pacific Environmental Corp. (PENCO): 808-545-5195

**Computer Monitors and Televisions:** Puhi Metals Recycling accepts all types of eWaste free of charge, as well as small appliances. Puhi metals is open Monday – Saturday 7:30am to 3:30pm. Call Resource Recovery Solutions at 245-6919 with questions.

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