Weekly Greening

Committed to Going Greener Week by Week in Campus Life

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Eco-Friendly in the Office:

Tidying Up

Have items that you find in your office that you want to recycle but don't know how to? Say no more! Here are a few places and sites that accept some of the miscellaneous items that collect dust on desks:

CD Recycling Center
68H Stiles Road
Salem, NH 03079

Floppydisk Recycle Program
2620 Walnot Ave, Unit D
Tustin, CA 92780-7028

Staff Council Cell Phone Collection
Contact James Helms at helms@american.edu or just send your phone via interoffice mail to James in Ward 230.

Staples
www.staples.com/sbd/content/about/soul/recycling.html

Office Products Recycling Associates (OPRA)
www.oprausa.com

Anderson, **Nebraska** and **McDowell** Halls have drop boxes for **cell phones**, **batteries**, **inkjet toners**, and **clothing**.

The **Office of Campus Life** also has a box for **printer toners** and is currently collecting **floppy disks** and **CDs** through the end of this week.

Eco-Friendly in the Home:

Spring Cleaning

Get ready, get set, clean green! As the weather gets warmer, many of us catch the spring cleaning bug and begin to empty out rooms as much as possible. Here are a few places and sites that offer recycling options for many items.

Electronics/Technology

- www.gazelle.com
- www.mygreenelectronics.org
- www.cdrecyclingcenter.org
- www.greendisk.com

Clothing

- www.charitablechoices.org
- www.dressforsuccess.org
- www.secondhandrose.com
- www.uss.salvationarmy.org

Miscellaneous

- www.treehugger.com
- www.dumblittleman.com
- www.obviously.com/recycle/guides/hard.html
- www.soles4souls.org
- www.kars4kids.org
- www.freecycle.org
- www.collectivegood.com
- www.earth911.com

SightFirst Eyeglass Recycling Center
34 W. Spain
Sonoma, CA 95476

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If you carpool to work 1 day this year, you will save $2.22 each week, enough energy to watch 49 hours of TV. If everyone at AU joined us, we could power Alaska for 1 hour. *willyoujoinus.com*

Weekly Tasks

Clean out the junk drawers around your office and find a way to recycle everything in them if not in use. This list provided this week does not include everything that can be recycled-do some research before throwing it away!

Helpful Website of the Week

www.gazelle.com

This site pays YOU to recycle gadgets-they even send a box!

Fact Check

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The amount, in millions, of trees Americans could save each year if all our newspapers were recycled

www.dosomething.org