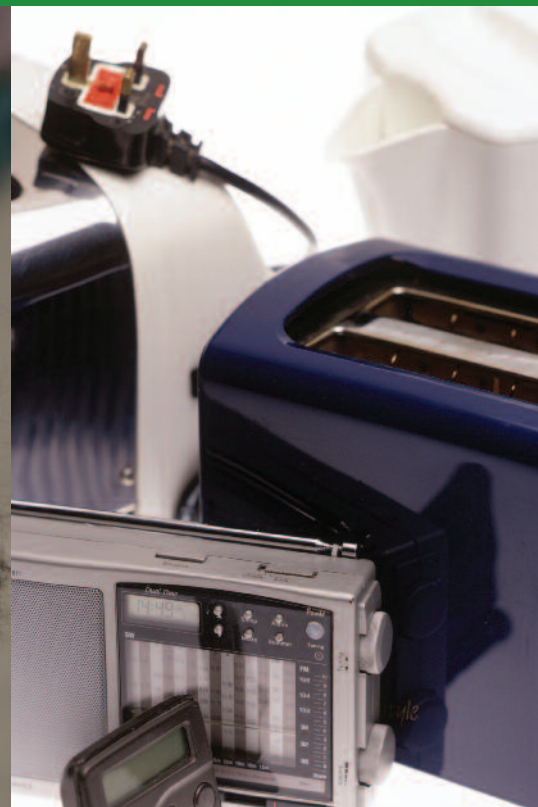


Donating Unwanted Items

We shape our environment by the choices we make. Re-using items as many times as we can before we recycle or throw away is easy to do and makes a big difference. Visit www.recycleforgreatermanchester.com to find out more.



Donate unwanted items to charity shops or community schemes and help people in need.



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Unwanted Clothes, CDs and Books

Donate unwanted clothes or perhaps look at purchasing clothes from charity shops. There are many unwanted items that we can donate to a local charity shop across Greater Manchester. Our clothes, furniture, books, CDs and DVDs are just some of the items accepted. Take advantage of charities that collect clothes and textiles door-to-door. They usually post a plastic sack through your letterbox and provide you with a collection date.

To find out more about donating to charity shops or to locate your nearest one, visit www.charityshops.org.uk

Unwanted Furniture and White Goods

There are many community and voluntary organisations across Greater Manchester who accept donations of unwanted household items such as beds, sofas and washing machines. They often repair items if necessary and either sell or pass them on to people in need. The collection from your doorstep is usually free of charge. All you have to do is contact them. Only items in good condition or working order will be accepted at the collector's discretion.

To find out more about donating unwanted furniture simply visit the Community Waste Network North West directory online to see what organisations are local to you. Visit www.crn.org.uk/region/north_west to access the online directory or call on **0161 2736976**.



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