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DEQ to Host Recycling Event Saturday

SALT LAKE CITY – Car seats, skis, bikes or other “hard to recycle” items collecting dust in your garage can be dropped off at the Utah Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) Saturday, June 17.

DEQ is teaming up with Utah Recycling Alliance and other businesses and organizations to provide a one-day recycling drop-off that gives the public the opportunity to recycle certain items and materials that aren’t accepted at recycling centers because they are either too large, or can’t be sorted.

The collection will be inside DEQ’s parking lot, 195 N. 1950 West, between 9 a.m. and 1 p.m. The event is free but a \$3 donation is requested to help offset the costs to recycle. Businesses are not allowed to participate, nor will electronic waste be accepted. Tires can be dropped off for \$2 a tire, with a limit of 4.

Acceptable items include bikes and parts, skis and snowboards, gently used clothing, prescription drugs, cell phones and chargers, toner cartridges, and white block Styrofoam.

For more information, and a complete list of acceptable items: www.utahrecyclingalliance.org.

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About DEQ

Established in 1991, the Utah Department of Environmental Quality’s (DEQ) mission is to safeguard and improve Utah’s air, land and water through balanced regulation. DEQ implements state and federal environmental laws and works with individuals, community groups and businesses to protect the quality of Utah’s air, land and water. For more information, visit www.deq.utah.gov, follow DEQ on Facebook ([utahdeq](https://www.facebook.com/utahdeq)) and Twitter ([UtahDEQ](https://twitter.com/UtahDEQ)), or call 1-800-458-0145.