



How to Manage Batteries

NEVER

put rechargeable batteries in curbside trash or recycling bins, where they can cause fires!



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Battery Drop-off Locations

Wegmans

In all Onondaga County stores.

Green Hills Market

5933 S. Salina St, Syracuse

Civic Center

421 Montgomery St, Syracuse;
In the *basement*, near the escalator.

Armond Magnarelli

Community Center

2308 Grant Blvd,
Syracuse

Bob Cecile

Community Center

174 W Seneca
Turnpike, Syracuse

Southwest

Community Center

401 South Ave, (near
Clover St.) Syracuse

Syracuse Northeast

Community Center

716 Hawley Ave.,
Syracuse



How to Prepare Batteries for Kiosks



Tape Terminals

Cover terminals with clear packing tape



- OR -



Individually Bag

Put each battery in a separate sealed bag

What Goes in OCRRA Battery Kiosks?

✓ Rechargeable Batteries

- May look like alkalines, but say rechargeable. Read the battery to check.
- Found in power tools, laptops, phones, etc.
- Weigh less than 11 pounds
- *Cover terminals with non-conductive, clear packing tape or put each battery in a separate, sealed bag to prevent possible ignition.*



✓ Button & Coin Batteries

- They can be found in hearing aids, watches, calculators, etc.
- *Wrap each battery between two pieces of clear packing tape to prevent them from touching*



✓ Single-use Lithium

- They might look like alkaline batteries, but they say lithium. Read the battery to check.
- They contain hazardous materials and can catch fire if not thrown out properly.
- *Cover both terminals with non-conductive, clear packing tape or put each battery in separate, sealed bags to prevent ignition.*



NEVER put these in OCRRA Battery Kiosks

- ✗ **Damaged, Defective, or Recalled (DDR) Batteries**
(swollen/bulging, punctured, leaking, warm/hot to touch)
- ✗ **High-energy batteries**
(e-bike, e-scooter, lawn mower)
- ✗ **Batteries over 11 pounds**
- ✗ **Devices with non-removable batteries**
(vapes, cell phones, electric toothbrushes)
- ✗ **Contaminants**
(sharps, light bulbs, trash)
- ✗ **Batteries from a workplace**
- ✗ **Alkaline Batteries**

