# Separation and Disposal of Garbage and Recyclables

All trash should be put out your designated pick up area by 8 a.m. on it's authorized collection day! Not following the procedures below is ILLEGAL DUMPING, Violators will be reported to first sergeant

# Garbage type

# **Kitchen Scraps**



# Unclean paper/

Pizza box

**Specifics** 

## Non-Recyclable Paper

Paper containers of ice cream, yogurt



Metallic paper, cartons that are aluminum coated on inside

### **Burnable**

Toy, take Dry-Cell batteries out Plastic items such as Video tapes, CD, DVD, toys, folk, spoon, cup, etc





Styrofoam, shopping plastic bags, plastic wrapping



# **Un-burnable**



Newspaper and

Office/copy paper

Broken glasses, dishes, cups and other items need be wrapped securely in thick paper or something similar and placed in a bag

Shredded paper





Mark the bag in "dangerous" sign.

# trash



Flatten Milk Carton



Unclean paper (such as pizza boxes and hamburger wrappings), foil, paper package with aluminum coating inside, carbon paper, iron-on transfer paper, paper containers for yogurt/ice cream, paper containers for detergent and shredded paper

Please put them out as Burnable Garbage

# Recyclable

Ensure items are in separate bags!

Cardboard

Paper

Cans





Magazine,

Catalog

Please flatten, bind plastic bag

Food and beverages steel, tin and aluminum cans

Please empty and rinse

Unclean cardboard box (such as pizza box and any oil soaked), please put them out as burnable garbage

Metal items less than 50 pounds or 6 feet in length (Pots, kettles, empty paint can, cutlery, metal spoon, metal fork, umbrella ribs, wire hangers and other)

## PET/PETE







**#1 PET/PETE only** Please empty, rinse and take cap off

Plastic PET/PETE bottles with recycling logo of beverage bottle, water bottle only

Glass bottle/jar Ceramics





Beverage and food glass bottles/jar, cup, glass, cosmetic bottles, bottles for chemicals, ceramic plat, ceramic cup

Please empty, rinse and take cap off

# Military Family Housing and Dorm only

### **Bulk Waste**

On scheduled collection days, take your items to your designated pick up point by 8:00 a.m. See reverse side for pickup schedule

**Bulk waste** 



Household items "larger than 50 pounds or 6 feet in length'



Household appliances, telephones, rice cookers, home stereo set, Personal computers, laptop computers, DVD player, video player, TV, etc.

Items are accepted at Recycling Center, Bldg 1366

# Other

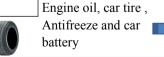
Paint, household

# **Hazardous Waste Items**

Chemicals, BBQ/ camping propane cylinders (empty)













D, C, AA, AAA, 9-volt, camcorder battery, cordless phone battery, cell phone



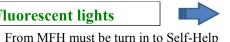
**Used Cooking Oil** 

Use original container



Recycling Center, Bldg 1366, call 226-5446

Fluorescent lights



Self-Help Store, Bldg 794, call 226-4992

Ammunition



See CAC channel for drop off box location or contact 35 SFS, 226-3600

# Need recycling supplies?

Self-Help Store, Bldg 794, 226-4992



## Drop off Car items?

Auto Skills Center, Bldg 767, 226-4654

## Drop off /Free issue Hazardous Material

Base Hazardous Waste Storage Area, Bldg 977, 226-2306



### Drop off Recyclable

Base Recycling Center, Bldg 1366, 226-5446

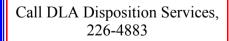


### Off base residents

- 1. Follow your housing area contractor's Recycling/ waste rules.
- 2. TV, PC, Appliances for dispose, contact Solid Waste company Loop or Electronic store

## **Industrial/Office** area

**Government re-usable** property



## **Bulk Waste**

Items "larger than 50 lb or 6' in length" such as pallets, wooden material etc



**Hazardous Waste** 

Fluorescent Lights bulb

**Dry-Cell Batteries** 

**Base Hazardous Waste** Storage Area, Bldg 977, 226-2306

# ON-BASE TRASH PICK-UP SCHEDULE

#### DO NOT DISPOSE OFF-BASE HOUSING TRASH ON BASE!!

On scheduled collection days, take your garbage to your designated pick up area by 8 a.m.

	Main Base				North Area	
	Housing 100s, 700s, 800s	Tower 115,116 117,118	Tower 212,214 220,231	Housing 40s, 50s 200s, 300s 400s	North Area Housing	Tower 1935, 1936 1937, 1938 1939
Trash Burnable		Monday, Tuesday Thursday, Friday Saturday		Wednesday Saturday	Tuesday Friday	Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday
Trash Un-burnable	Monday Thursday					
Recyclable		Wednesday Saturday				Wednesday Saturday
Bulk Waste	Monday Wed		nesday	Tuesday		

Ensure burnable, un-burnable, and recyclable items are in separate bags! Pick up Question: 35 CES/Service contracts, 226-3624

#### Illegal dumping will be reported to First Sergeant

Pet litter, diapers and sanitary napkins should be disposed of as burnable trash. The litter and diapers should be put in a plastic bag and disposed in separate trash bags.

Ammunition: check CAC for amnesty box or contact 35 SFS 226-3200



Any medical needles to the base clinic in an approved biohazard container.

35 MDSS, 226-6095



Recycling Questions? Call Environmental @ 226-5548 Pick up Questions? Call Service Contracts @ 226-3624

Make sure

charcoal and

ash are cooled

down prior to

disposal.

**Reduce!** The amount of waste you generate.

- Don't buy things you don't need
- Buy things with less packaging
- Minimize purchases of non-recyclable materials

Reuse! Items within your own home

- Use reusable grocery tote bags
  Use washable, not disposable dishes
  Donate or sell unwanted items

For additional idea visit EPA site: http://www.epa.gov/epawaste/index.htm

## Before disposing your items, Consider Can it be re-used?

Thrift Store, Bldg 540, 226-4447

Misawa Virtual yard Sale:

group.yahoo.com/group/MisawaAB

#### Misawa Swap market:

Facebook.com

#### Misawa freecycle:

groups.yahoo.com/group/misawafreecycle

FSS Monthly Yard Sale / MFH yard Sale Ask your neighborhood / friends Donate to private organization

> BBQ/camping Dry the paint can before gas cylinder disposal. If paint can is not empty take it to (empty)

Base Hazardous Waste Storage Area, Bldg 977, 226-2306









Earth911: http://earth911.com/

# **Useful Information**

# TV, Washer, Dryer, refrigerator and freezer are items of must recycling in Japan by law.

- On base residents: Follow items disposing as bulk waste or take to Recycling Center, at bldg 1366, 226-5446
- Off base residents: Follow your house trash contractor's rules or contact Solid Waste company Loop/Electronic store

# **Self Help Store**

Bldg 794, 226-4992

#### **Provides**

- Recycling supplies
- Recycling information

### Accepts

- Bad Fluorescent bulbs from MFH
- Unopened self-help issued paints

### Hours

Mon, Tue, Thu: 9 a.m.-4 p.m. 9 a.m.-1 p.m. Wed: 9 a.m.-3 p.m.

Sat (closed 11:30-12:30): 9 a.m.-4 p.m.

# **Auto Hobby Center Bldg 767**

## **Auto Skills Center** Bldg 767, 226-4654

#### Accept

- Tires
- Motor Oil
- Car batteries
- Antifreeze
- Car parts items

#### Tue-Fri: 11 a.m.-8 p.m. 9 a.m.-6 p.m. Sat: 9 a.m.-6 p.m. Sun:

Hours





## **Recycling Center** Bldg 1366, 226-5446

## Accept

- Cardboard box: flatten
- Paper (office paper, color paper newspaper, magazine, )
- Metal cans (empty & rise)
- PET/PETE plastic bottle (empty &
- Glass bottles/jar (empty & rinse)
- Used cooking oil (use original container)
- Electronics (TV, stereo, DVD player, VCR, MP3 player, game devices)
- PC, laptop computer

# Mon, Wed & Fri: 12:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Tue and Thu: 7:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Recycling 1334 Center Falcon Dr. West FMO 1366 DLA-DS

Hours

## Base Hazardous Waste Storage Area Bldg 977, 226-2306

#### Drop off Hazardous material

- Paint- cans and spray paints,
- Paint thinner and acetone
- Excess household Chemicals
- Gasoline, oil and fuel
- Camping gas (empty)
- BBQ Propane Cylinders (empty)
- NiCad, Lithium & Alkaline Batteries (tape both end)







