



recycling lamps and ballast

Cost-effective recycling solutions for fluorescent lamps and ballast.

Background

Today's lighting systems are more energy efficient and environmentally friendly than ever before. Nevertheless, hazardous materials, such as mercury, may be contained in lighting waste.

Environmental regulations require this waste be managed properly. Failure to follow regulations could result in costly environmental liability and adverse publicity.

Why recycle

Recycling reduces the potential for future liability as most lighting waste is regulated by the Federal Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA), the Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA), the Superfund liability laws and the Universal Waste Rule.

Regulations require that hazardous waste must be properly identified, stored, transported, treated and disposed and that generators are financially responsible for cleaning up the effects of improper disposal.

The Universal Waste Rule is designed to promote and simplify the proper management and recycling of certain lighting wastes.

The Veolia solution

Veolia is one of the largest commercial recyclers of lamps and ballast in the world and works with a broad range of customers to offer environmentally-compliant recycling coast-to-coast. Our state-of-the-art processing equipment is capable of processing up to 250,000 lamps per day.

Customized service

We can tailor a recycling program to fit your needs. Whether you have small volumes resulting from spot maintenance or larger volumes as a result of re-lamp or retrofit projects, we have a solution for you. From one facility to multiple locations across the country, we can help. We recycle the following variety of lamps and ballast.

- Straight fluorescent lamps
- Compact, u-shape and circular fluorescent lamps
- High intensity discharge (HID) lamps
- Neon lamps
- Shatterproof and other specialty lamps
- Broken or crushed lamps
- PCB lamp ballast
- Non-PCB lamp ballast



Recycling designed to fit your needs

We have developed recycling solutions for large and small quantities of fluorescent lamps and ballast. Our turnkey recycling programs include packaging, transportation, tracking documents, waste processing, and written documentation that details what materials were recycled in accordance with environmental regulations.



Packaging & transportation

We provide you with a variety of boxes, drums and pails to store your waste and offer an unmatched fleet of semi trailers, box vans and approved third party transporters to ship your waste to one of our four fully-permitted recycling facilities.



On-time pick up

When we promise a pick up, we adhere to that promise. Once arrangements are made, you can count on us to be there – on time.

Why Veolia Environmental Services

Environmental compliance

We maintain an excellent record of compliance with regulations governing health and safety and the environment. We follow procedures meticulously with our on-site teams, and continue to focus on the details throughout transportation, treatment and disposal.

Financial strength

Veolia Environmental Services is part of the largest environmental services provider in the world, delivering environmental solutions for the past 150 years. With over \$37 billion in revenue, you can be sure we'll be here in the future to protect your long-term liability.

Technical expertise

Our account, project and technical representatives understand hazardous and non-hazardous waste. We are ready to assist you in any way, from providing regulatory information to training and setting up recycling programs that save you time and money.

at a glance

Recycling services offered:

- Lamp and ballast recycling
- Batteries
- E-Waste
- Mercury waste
- PCB & non-PCB electrical equipment

Facility information:

- Four (4) fully-permitted lighting and electronic recycling facilities, located in AZ, FL, MA and WI.
- RCRA Part B permitted
- TSCA permitted
- CHWMEG audited
- Fully-funded closure plans
- Over forty (40) sales and service offices

Transportation information:

- Company-owned transportation
- Audited network of approved third-party transporters
- Thirty-six (36) 10-day in-transit facilities

Liability protection:

- Environmentally compliant
- Over \$37 billion in annual revenues
- Pollution coverage
- Contractors operations and professional services protection (COPS)
- Excess umbrella policy
- Global sustainability policies



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