



# What to do with Post-Consumer Carpet?

This guide gives you the basics for preparing and delivering carpet for recycling.

## 1 Free of Debris

Make sure the carpet is clean, dry, and free of debris such as tack strips, nails, wood, other flooring materials, and trash. Debris can damage the equipment involved in processing the materials.



## 2 Roll it Up

Roll up the carpet. If possible, cut the materials into 6 ft. wide sections, then roll up with the face fiber side or yarn side on the outside.

**Carpet only -- NO carpet pads!**

## 3 Get Weighed

Take the rolls to the **Hawthorn Street Transfer Station** (see address on back). First, visit the Scale House to have your vehicle weighed.



## 4 Drop it Off

You will be directed to the **Carpet Recycling Container**.

*This container is provided by CARE as part of the Rural Counties Carpet Recycling Pilot Project.*



## 5 Recycling Fee

Receive a **40% discount** off the regular gate fee as a thank-you for participating in our pilot carpet recycling program.