

# VNA RUMMAGE SALE ACCEPTABLE & UNACCEPTABLE ITEMS

## What We Accept

We accept a huge variety of merchandise for our 25 departments including clothing, furniture, household goods, kitchenware, décor items, sporting goods, electronics, appliance, lighting, toys and seasonal goods. **All items should be in clean and good to excellent condition, working, and complete with all parts, pieces and necessary accessories.**

### We are currently especially interested in receiving:

- Audio equipment:
  - Amplifiers
  - Audio systems
  - Loudspeakers
- Cell phones (newer) and accessories in a plastic bag
- Computers and printers:
  - Apple desktop and laptops, all models and years
  - iPad and iTouch
  - Android tablets
  - IBM type laptops running Windows Vista, Windows 7, and Windows 8 and 8.1
  - Vintage computers including Sinclair, Apple, Commodore and IBM
  - Computer speaker and subwoofer speaker systems including power pack
  - LCD monitors including power pack
  - Printers: multifunction laser and inkjet with a USB interface, including powerpack
- Digital picture frames including power pack
- Dorm refrigerators
- E-readers /Nooks and associated accessories/equipment
- Heating and Cooling:
  - Dehumidifiers (Spring sale) newer models
  - Fans
  - Heaters (Fall sale)
  - Humidifiers (Fall sale) newer models
  - Vaporizers (Fall sale only)
- TV/Video
  - DVD and VCR/DVD combination units (with remotes, only)
  - Blue Ray systems
  - TVs: flat screen
- Sewing machines (table top models)

### Note about computers:

Leave the hard drive in the computer; we will clean off all of your information.

- If there is a password on the computer, please write it on a tag and attach it to the computer.
- If you are donating a tablet with a password function, please turn the password off before donating the unit.

## What We Cannot Accept

Due to environmental restrictions, safety codes, and the high cost of disposal, among other things we cannot accept are the following items:

### AUTO:

- Car tires & rims
- Car radios and speakers

- Car batteries

#### **BOOKS:**

- Discarded library books
- Business/Finance, older than two years
- Encyclopedias printed between 1926 and 2012
- Magazines, including National Geographic (except art and collectibles)
- Reader's Digest Condensed books
- Textbooks older than two years
- Older fiction except classics

#### **COMPUTERS & ELECTRONICS**

- Dot matrix printers
- IBM type desktops and laptops with older processors, eg: P3, P2
- Large office copying equipment
- Non USB printers or scanners
- Stand-alone fax machines
- Tube type monitors

#### **ELECTRICAL:**

- Air conditioners
- Attic and ceiling fans (unless brand new)
- Built-in or large appliances
- Commercial equipment
- Console sewing machines (large)
- Electric typewriters
- Halogen lamps without safety guards
- Humidifiers –console (large old)
- Irons: non-steam or have used sole plates
- Microwaves - large, older and all built in
- TVs-any tube-based
- Vacuum cleaners, older than 10 years
- VCRs

#### **FURNITURE:**

- Box springs and mattresses, foam mattresses
- Beds: bunk, sofas, trundle, waterbeds, steel bed frames
- Built-in furniture/cabinets
- Children's
  - Baby furniture for infants and children not up to safety code
  - Car seats and booster seats
  - Cribs (all)
  - Free-standing swings
- Entertainment centers
- Furniture made of particle board or formica
- Luggage that is locked and without keys or combination
- Office:
  - Computer desks
  - Large office furniture/desks
  - Metal file cabinets
- Recliners
- Sofas: Large three-cushion

## **FLAMMABLE HAZARDOUS WASTE**

- Gasoline/ kerosene-filled items
- Matches
- Oil lamps with oil in them
- Propane tanks
- Cleaners
- Motor oil
- Paints, stains & varnishes
- Pesticides

## **HOUSEHOLD/DECORATIVE/GARDEN**

- Canning jars
- Window coverings:
  - Curtain rods and decorative that are not new in package
  - Drapes/curtains with foam rubber, fiber glass, or rubber backs, venetian or vertical blinds or shades
- Fireplace doors
- Garden hoses (unless brand-new)
- Gasoline powered tools
- Large appliances
- Loose hardware such as nails, screws, bolts, etc.
- Renovation/remodeling leftovers
  - Tiles
  - Sinks, toilets, toilet seats, tubs
  - Storm doors, screen doors, windows, and window screens
  - Wall-to-wall carpeting, rugs without binding
- Tupperware and other containers without lids (cookie jars, canisters)

## **MOVIES & MUSIC**

- Audio cassettes or storage cases/racks
- VHS tapes or storage cases/racks

## **OFFICE**

- Binders with company logos
- Invitations
- Posters

## **SPORTING GOODS**

- Game tables larger than 6 feet long
- Non-din ski boots
- Nordic tracks

## **TOYS**

- Guitar Hero Rock Band accessories (video game keyboards and guitars)

**NOTE:** Due to the generosity of our donors, the limited space for display and the cost of disposing of unsalable items, we are unable to accept every item that offered to us through donation at the fairgrounds. Please accept our apologies and thank you for your understanding.