

WM & SNOHOMISH COUNTY TEXTILES RECYCLING PILOT PROGRAM



NEW!

Apartment and Condominium Property managers can now offer textile recycling!



WM ReTRN (Recycling Textiles Right Now) is a free pilot collection program that makes it easy for apartment and condo residents to recycle old textiles from home.

If you are a property located within unincorporated Snohomish County, it's easy to get started! WM will deliver a brand new container with signage that shows exactly what's accepted, so there's no hassle and no confusion. When the container is full, WM will show up, empty it, and take the contents away for recycling.

Why are property managers excited?

- **Reduced dumpster overflow.** Clothing, bedding, and other old textiles can quickly fill up standard trash containers--especially during move-in and move-out periods. At last these space-hogging items have their own container!
- **Greener operations.** Most old textiles can be processed and reused, conserving natural resources and reducing greenhouse gas emissions. This pilot offers one more way for your property to help ensure a sustainable future for Washington.
- **Happier residents.** A growing majority of residents value sustainability at home, at work, and at play. By making sustainable choices convenient, you're helping them live their best lives.

How can my property participate?

WM ReTRN is in the process of recruiting properties to participate in this pilot program. Your property may qualify if it meets the following criteria:

- Located in Snohomish County
- Medium- or large-sized property with at least 100 units.
- Subscribed to recycling services with WM.
- Staffed by an onsite property manager or team who can monitor the container, and request pickups when it is full.

If your property is eligible and you are interested in learning more, **contact us today!**

What happens if my property is selected?

Once your property is signed up, the process is simple.

- A WM representative will visit with a property decision-maker to identify an appropriate location for the textile recycling cart. Ideally this would be in a covered location that can be easily monitored.
- WM will deliver the new cart.
- WM representatives will assist the property manager with providing information and outreach to residents about the new program, delivering outreach materials, posting signs and supplying digital templates or graphics for electronic communications.
- Participating property managers must agree to monitor the container and call WM to schedule a pickup when the bin is nearing full.

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