

## DONATION LOCATIONS - 2020

**AMVETS (708) 388-7800 ([donatestuff.org](http://donatestuff.org)):** Will pick up gently used clothing and household items.

**BEDS Plus (708) 354-0858 – 9601 East Ogden Avenue, La Grange ([beds-plus.org/ways-you-can-help/](http://beds-plus.org/ways-you-can-help/)):** Each client who comes to BEDS is either homeless or their housing is threatened.

**Big Rig Books (708) 205-1516 ([bigrigbooks@gmail.com](mailto:bigrigbooks@gmail.com)):** Big Rig Books is a mobile literacy outreach initiative focused on fostering recreational reading beyond the classroom by encouraging reading and providing books for children and families in economically challenged, underserved communities and underperforming schools. They accept new and gently used children's books.

**Bob's TV and Metal Pick up Service (630) 235-0387:** CRT TV's, computer monitors, flat screen TV's, plasma TV's, large appliances, copy machines, hot water tank, lawn mowers, tools, bicycles, and many more items. Call Bob to set up a free pickup time.

**Chicago Furniture Bank (312) 752-0211, 4800 W Roosevelt Rd, Chicago ([chicagofurniturebank.org/donate](http://chicagofurniturebank.org/donate)):** The mission of the Chicago Furniture Bank (CFB) is to provide dignity, stability and comfort to Chicagoans moving into supportive housing by providing them with a place to hand-pick an entire home's worth of furnishings. Contact them for info on what they accept and to schedule a pickup (there is a fee).

**The Community Shop (708) 354-3803, 13 Calendar Court, La Grange:** The Community Shop, a thrift store and donation center, a program of **Pillars Community Health has closed permanently.**

**Cradles to Crayons ([cradlestocrayons.org/chicago/](http://cradlestocrayons.org/chicago/)):** Cradles to Crayons provides children from birth through age 12 living in homeless or low-income situations with the essential items they need to thrive – at home, at school and at play.

**Electronics Recycling Collection (620) 407-6700 - 451 Commerce Street, Burr Ridge Public works:** Proceeds to benefit the developmentally disabled. Computers and peripherals, office equipment, small home appliances, home entertainment items.

**GOOD WILL (708) 562-6166 - 305 South Wolf Road, Westchester:** When you donate your new and gently used items, local Goodwill organizations sell them in stores or on [shopgoodwill.com](http://shopgoodwill.com) and use the revenue generated to provide valuable employment training and job placement services for people in your community.

**Habitat for Humanity ReStore (630) 517-2080, 869 S. Rohlwing Rd. (Rte. 53), Addison ([gohabitatrestore.com](http://gohabitatrestore.com)):** Items must be approved prior to donating.

**The Hope Chest (708) 482-0359, 305 W. Hillgrove in La Grange:** A nonprofit retail shop that donates 100% of proceeds from sales to their domestic violence shelter. They accept gently used in-season women's clothing, purses, scarves, and costume jewelry.

**Sharing Connections (630) 971-0565, 5111 Chase Ave, Downers Grove ([sharingconnections.org/](http://sharingconnections.org/)):** Sharing Connections brings together community members by enabling families and businesses to share their gently used furniture, household items and clothing with families needing assistance. Call or visit the website for the list of items they will accept.

**Off The Street Club (773) 533-3253 (<http://www.otsc.org/>):** Founded in 1900, Off the Street Club is Chicago's oldest boys and girls club. We currently serve more than 3,000 kids in one of the most dangerous neighborhoods in the country, West Garfield Park.

**Salvation Army 1-800-SA-TRUCK - 1S337 Summit, Oakbrook Terrace:** Corps Manned Donation Drop Off, available 7 days a week from 10am – 6pm.

**Family Store & Donation Center 7511 Lemont Road, Darien:** Store Hours: 10am–8pm, Monday – Saturday