

CAPITAL REGION DONATION ORGANIZATIONS

**Please keep in mind that the needs of each organization may change over time. If possible always try and contact the organization to find out what their latest needs are. Only donate items that are safe and in good to fair condition.*

Bethany Hospitality Center

Phone Number: (518) 273-3529 (Contact Lori)

Address: 27 State Street, Troy, NY 12180

About: Please call ahead before making a donation. Need kitchen items, towels, bedding. No Clothing, please.

Blessed Sacrament Church

Phone Number: (518) 482-3375

Address: 607 Central Ave, Albany, NY 12206

Store Hours: Wednesdays 10:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. and Saturdays 10:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

About: Please call the parish office between 9:00 a.m.-8:00 p.m. to make arrangements. Will accept clothing, shoes, boots, coats, dishware, glassware, lamps, books, small furniture pieces, young children's furniture, and toys.

Capital City Mission

Phone Number: (518) 462-0459

Address: 259 South Pearl Street, Albany, NY 12202

Website: www.capitalcityrescuemission.com

About: Donate clothing, towels, bedding, coffee makers, toasters, reading materials, and canned foods.

C.H.O.I.C.E.S

Phone Number: (518) 756-8650

Address: 2480 U.S. Route 9W Faith Plaza, Ravena, NY 12143

About: Please call ahead. Need clothing, furniture, and household items.

Capital District Habitat for Humanity

Restore Donations Phone Number: (518) 275-6638

Address: 454 North Pearl Street, Albany, NY 12204

Email: Emily@capitaldistricthabitat.org

About: Donate materials and supplies or gently used furniture items to help provide home ownership opportunities in partnership with low income households. They will only pickup your furniture items.

Catholic Charities Housing Office

Phone Number: (518) 459-0183

Address: 41 North Main Avenue, Albany, NY 12203

Website: www.cchoalbany.org

E-Mail: diocesan.housing@rcda.org

About: CCHO is an agency of Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Albany that provides housing and support services to the homeless and poor members of our community.

Center for the Disabled

Phone Number: (518) 437-5700

Address: 314 South Manning Blvd, Albany, NY 12208

About: A residential program for adults with developmental disabilities. They are always looking for gently used furniture and other household goods.

CEO (Commission on Economic Opportunity)

Phone Number: (518) 272-6012

Address: 2331 Fifth Ave, Troy, NY 12180

Email: nrice@ceo-cap.org

About: This agency accepts in-kind donations of items such as business attire and office furniture and equipment. E-mail and fill out an in-kind form to CEO to make arrangements for pick up/drop off.

Equinox Domestic Violence Shelter

Phone Number: (518) 434-6135

Address: 95 Central Avenue, Albany, NY 12206

About: Need small household furnishings, kitchen, bath and bed items.



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Goodwill

**No individual pick-ups*

Area Locations:

a. Colonie Store & Donation Center
1 Fuller Rd
Colonie, NY 12205
Phone: (518) 459-5580

b. Troy Store & Donation Center
720 Hoosick Rd
Troy, NY 12180
Phone: (518) 272-8451

c. Rotterdam Store & Donation Center
Hannaford Plaza 1400 Altamont Avenue
Rotterdam, NY 12303
Phone: (518) 355-4265

d. Amsterdam Store & Donation Center
107 Town Square Drive
Amsterdam, NY 12010
Phone: (518) 842-5026

Home Furnishings Program

Phone Number: (518) 346-2444

Address: 603 State Street, Schenectady, NY 12305

E-Mail: homefurninc@aol.com

About: Will pick-up if you call ahead of time. Need beds, sheets, dressers, couches, tables, chairs, dishes and other essential household items.

Homeless Action Committee

Phone Number: (518) 426-0554

Address: 393 North Pearl Street, Albany, NY 12207

Website: www.homelessaction.com

E-Mail: info@homelessaction.com

About: Need clothing, food, mattresses, dressers, kitchen items, and chairs.

Interfaith Partnership for the Homeless

Phone Number: (518) 434-8021

Address: 176 Sheridan Ave, Albany, NY 12210

About: Need adult men and women's clothing, linens, blankets, household items, winter apparel, reading books, games, puzzles, and personal items for women and men.

Joseph's House and Shelter

Phone Number: (518) 272-2544

Address: 74 ferry Street, Troy, NY 12180

About: Need kitchen items, bed and bath items, and personal items for women and men, no clothing.

Living Resources

Phone Number: (518) 218-000

Address: 300 Washington Ave. Ext, Albany, NY 12203

About: A residential program for adults with developmental disabilities. They are always looking for gently used furniture and other household goods.

New Visions

Phone Number: (518) 459-0750

Address: 334 Krumkill Road, Slingerlands, NY 12159

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SAFE House in Schenectady

Phone Number: (518) 374-5178

Address: 1344 Albany St, Schenectady, NY 12304

Website: <http://www.safeincofschenectady.org>

About: An emergency shelter that serves homeless/runaway youth.

Salvation Army

**Will not pickup any donations*

Area Drop-Off Locations (If possible, call ahead before dropping off large pieces of furniture):

a. Salvation Army Family Store

350 Troy Schenectady Rd

Latham, NY 12110

Phone Number: (518) 783-7120

b. Albany Adult Rehabilitation Center

452 Clinton Ave

Albany, NY 12206

Phone Number: (518) 465-2416

Hours: Mon-Tue: 9:00am-5:30pm, Wed: 9:00am-7:00pm, Thr-Sat: 9:00am-5:30pm, Sun: Closed

c. Salvation Army Family Store

31 Old Rt. 146

Clifton Park, NY 12065

Phone Number: (518) 373-5880

Hours: Mon-Tue: 9:00am-5:30pm, Wed: 9:00am-8:00pm, Thr: 9:00am-5:30pm, Fri: 9:00am-8:00pm, Sat: 9:00am-5:30pm, Sun: Closed

d. Salvation Army Family Store

282 Saratoga Rd

Glenville, NY 12302

Phone Number: (518) 399-8444

Hours: Mon-Tue: 9:00am-5:30pm, Wed: 9:00am-8:00pm, Thr-Sat: 9:00am-7:00pm, Sun: Closed

Senior Service Center of Albany Loan Closet

Phone Number: (518) 465-3322

Address: 20 Rensselaer Street, 1st Floor, Albany, NY 12202

Website: www.seniorservicesofalbany.com

E-mail: cpatrick@seniorservicesofalbany.com

About: Please donate assistive devices or durable medical equipment, such as bath chairs or benches, canes, and wheelchairs.

The Treasure Chest

Manager: Craig Hansen

Store Phone: (518) 436-7451

Store Address: 295 Hamilton Street, Albany, NY

Email: CraigH@AlbanyDamienCenter.org

About: A thrift store whose entire proceeds go towards benefiting the programs at the Albany Damien Center to help people living with HIV/AIDS.

Troy Area United Ministries Furniture Program (For Rensselaer County Residents)

Contact: Michael Barrett, Program Coordinator

Phone Number: (518) 274-5920 Ext.204

Address: 392 2nd St, Troy, NY 12180

Website: www.taum.org

E-Mail: info@taum.org

About: This organization provides furniture to families that need it the most. They will accept donations of furniture in good condition.

Unity House of Troy

Phone Number: (518) 274-2607 or (518) 272-6021

Address: 33 Second St, Troy, NY 12180

Website: www.unityhouseny.org

E-Mail: giving@unityhouseny.org

About: Unity House will accept new and gently used donations of clothing, kitchen items, household essentials and appliances. They operate Unique Boutique located at: 2431 6th Ave, Troy, NY 12180.



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USCRI Albany

Phone Number: (518) 459-1790

Address: 991 Broadway, Albany, NY 12204

Website: <http://uscri.refugees.org/site/PageNavigator/Albany/GiveGoods>

About: This agency donates items to help newly arrived refugee families that have come to Albany. Visit the website to fill out a donation form

Clothing and Shoe Drop Boxes:

Look around your neighborhood convenience stores and supermarket parking lots for clothing and shoe drop boxes. Closest location to Shaker Pointe is Latham Farms' Wal-Mart/Home Depot parking lot.

ONLINE OPTIONS

The Freecycle Network

Website: <http://www.freecycle.org/group/US/New%20York>

How it Works: Post an offer or browse wanted items in your area to find your unwanted items a new home. Every item posted is given away for free.

Craigslist

Website: <http://www.craigslist.com>

How it Works: Post an item for sale and receive feedback from interested buyers.

Warning: Don't post too much personal information. Have interested buyer's contact you through an e-mail address before you give out more detail.

EYE GLASSES:

New Eyes for the Needy

Address: Any Pearle Vision Store

Closest Address: 116 Wolf Road, Albany, NY 12205

Phone Number: (518) 459-5602

Website: www.pearlevision.com

Lens Crafters Foundation

Address: Any Lens Crafters Store

Closest Address: 449 Colonie Center Mall, Albany, NY 12205

Phone Number: (518) 437-9633 or 1-800-541 LENS

Website: www.lenscrafters.com

Lions Clubs/Recycle for Sight

Website: www.lionsclubs.org

Mail Eye Glasses to:

Lions Clubs International Headquarters

Attention: Receiving Department

300 W. 22nd Street

Oak Brook, IL 60523, USA

Donate Cell Phones:

*Always make sure you have your personal data erased prior to donating.

Website: www.donateaphone.org

Instructions: Click on Call to Protect to see the link to Donate a Phone, also link to Erase Data

Donate Computers:

*Always make sure you have your personal data erased prior to donating.

Girls Inc.

Phone Number: (518) 374-9800 x231

Address: 962 Albany Street, Schenectady, NY 12307

About: Need computers, and software no older than 2000.

Recycle Computers:

For Gateway Computers: <http://gateway.eztradein.com/gateway>

For Hewlett Packard Computers: www.hp.com/recycle

For Dell Computers: Free recycling when dropped off at any local Staples store. The closest store is located in Latham Farms

For Apple Computers: <http://www.apple.com/recycling>



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