

Welcome to the FreeStore!

The mission of the FreeStore is to encourage the community to re-use, re-purpose and recycle items no longer needed or wanted by making those items available to others at no cost. The FreeStore is a Transition Town Greater Media (TTGM) initiative.

TTGM FreeStore Guidelines

Separate shopping and donation days provide equitable access to available items & safe traffic flow in the store. Days/hours are posted on our Facebook, website, and at the store.

Donor Guidelines

- Donations are accepted only when the store is open and only on donation days.
- Items should not be left outside when the store is closed.
- Clean items before bringing them to the FreeStore.
- Ensure that electronics and small appliances are in working order with all parts.
- Limit the size of individual items you give to only what one person can easily carry. Given the FreeStore's size, donated items should be no larger than a vacuum cleaner or similar item.
- Please see our list of acceptable donations listed on the back of this page. Please ask a volunteer if you have any questions. If we are unable to accept your donation, we ask that you take them to another local charity.

Shopper Guidelines

- The store is run solely by volunteers. Please be courteous, show respect, and thank them for their community service.
- Everything is free on the shelves in our self-service area and limited special items section behind the counter
- Be aware of the community-minded spirit and sharing principles of the FreeStore. The items you select are for your personal use and are not to be sold.
- If there is a line outside, shopping time is limited to 10 minutes.
- One shopping visit is permitted per person per week
- Shoppers are permitted to take items that fill 1 reasonably sized shopping bag and 1 bulky item (a lamp for example). Volunteers may limit the number of items being taken at any time and reserve the right to make exceptions based on individual needs and inventory. We are an inclusive non-profit that does not want customers with larger needs to feel alienated.
- Be mindful when making selections. Consider needs, wants and greed.
- We welcome monetary donations to help pay the rent and cover operating expenses
- Drugs/alcohol/smoking/profane language/firearms are not permitted in the FreeStore
- If you notice a spill or unsafe condition, please notify a volunteer immediately
- Volunteers are permitted to close the store for any reason, with no advance notice, at their discretion



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Donate or Volunteer Today!

Venmo: @TTMFreeStore

PayPal/Credit Cards: ttgmPA.org/donate

Volunteer: ttgmPA.org/volunteer

Look for the FreeStore under the "What We Do" Tab



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