

Government Business Services Division



State Surplus Property

Staffing: 2

Funding: Enterprise Fund

- Warehouse, price and sell State surplus property
- Donate or sell-in-place State surplus property to avoid transportation and warehousing cost
- Coordinate annual live auction
- Coordinate on-line auctions
- E-cycle collection site
- TSA sharp (donated at the Burlington Airport) pick-up, price and sell

- 7,700 square foot warehouse space
- \$691,115 live auction sales
- \$1,020,530 on-line auction sales
- 26 tons of e-waste collected
- 18.5 tons of trash to landfill

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Mission

To manage the redistribution and disposal of Vermont State surplus property to State and municipal governments, non-profit organizations, and the general public in a cost-effective, fiscally responsible, and equitable manner.

Overview

The State surplus property is available for sale to state agencies, municipalities, non-profits, and the general public. The program educates State agencies on the process for disposal, screens for delivery to the warehouse, on-site auction or sale, approves for e-waste, metal recycling or trash. Staff provide limited pickup/delivery to Chittenden and Washington County areas. Staff coordinate a variety of marketing efforts including: Craigslist, Front Porch Forum, The World, radio and newspaper ads, etc. Periodic on-line auctions are posted via our contracted auctioneer.

Program Goals

As part of the State's internal controls to protect fixed assets, facilitate effective and efficient redistribution and disposal of surplus property for state agencies. Provide state agencies with information and tools to report surplus property for disposal. Notify appropriate entities of state and federal surplus property available. Market State surplus property to the general public. Collaborate with recycle/reuse organizations to broaden distribution potential.

Additional Information and Data

See Annual Report at: <http://www.bgs.vermont.gov/gbs>

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