

## **OUR DONATION POLICY**

Thank you for considering a donation to Boise Rescue Mission Ministries.

We have received many inquiries from our community about our needs. For your reference, we have compiled a list of items we can and cannot accept. If you have an item you would like to donate, but do not see it on either of the lists below, please contact Boise Rescue Mission Ministries prior to bringing it in at 208-343-2389. Donation Hours at the Ministry Center are 9 am – 4 pm on Monday – Friday and closed weekends.

## Items We Accept:

- Laundered clothing (new or gently used)
- Shoes (new or gently used)
- Housewares (dishes, glassware, cookware, etc.)
- Décor
- Books
- DVDs, CDs, VHS
- Linens
- Collectables
- Jewelry
- Purses/Handbags
- Furniture in "like new" condition
- Pet related items
- Seasonal/Holiday Items
- Blankets (not electric)
- Craft Sets
- Games and puzzles
- Cribs, car seats, and other childcare products that are brand new, still in the original box
- Household appliances (in good working condition)
- Helmets
- Bicycles
- Yard or outdoor appliances
- Antlers
- Unopened hygiene items
- Unopened household cleaners
- Food
- Fur and leather coats in great shape
- Plumbing fixtures or building materials in good condition (please call ahead for details)

## Items We Do Not Accept:

- Any TV's
- Open cosmetics/toiletries
- Medical devices that require prescription to distribute: CPAP machines, Ice Pack machines, etc.
- Household chemical products such as pesticides, paint, paint thinner, drain cleaner, oven cleaner, aerosols, and other environmentally unfriendly waste products.
- Automotive hazardous waste
- Non-working large appliances such as: freezers, stoves/ovens, washers/dryers, air conditioners, dehumidifiers, furnaces, microwaves, trash compactors, water heaters.
- Mattresses/box springs, including waterbed mattresses, metal bedframes and waterbed frames
- Used pillows
- Carpet or carpet padding
- Firearms or firearm accessories
- Cribs, car seats, walkers, and other products that are used
- Tires
- Printers
- Any ivory, animal teeth, feet, tails, or
- "taxidermy" prepared animals, products, or parts
- Fireworks or explosives of any kind
- Live animals
- Barbeques

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