

## HANDLING USED BATTERIES

## PROPER BATTERY DISPOSAL

DON'T throw batteries into the trash or recycling bin, unless they are alkaline batteries.

When batteries become damaged (particularly lithium-ion batteries), they can cause fires, which can be dangerous for our homes, trash collection services, landfill operators, and recycling locations.

DON'T store batteries in extreme temperatures. This can include non-air-conditioned spaces during the summer or freezing locations during the winter. Extreme temperatures can cause chemical reactions that may lead to fires





## **BATTERY RECYCLING LOCATIONS**

City of Tucson
Household Hazardous Waste

tucsonaz.gov/hhw

When in doubt — DO NOT throw batteries out in the trash or recycling!

