Illinois Tech Reuse Network

Become a device donation drop off site!

Illinois Tech Reuse Network facilitates the collection of retired computers, laptops, and other devices, refurbishes them, and then distributes them for free or a low cost to households in need of technology. Participating organizations accept donations from individuals, organizations, businesses, local government, education entities, and more.

Interested in learning more?
- Email broadband@illinois.gov
- Visit bit.ly/ILTechReuse

How to Become a Device Donation Site:
A location must…
- Have a designated point person who will work with refurbishing organizations and donors
- Be easily accessible to donors
- Be easily accessible for refurbishers trucks for pick ups
- Have a secure room to store devices until they are picked up
- Have a clean open space for device storage
- Have a large space to accommodate desktops, laptops, monitors, routers/modems, and printers
- Designate hours for donor drop off

Why Become a Device Donation Site?
- Offer a location in your community for your neighbors to drop off old computers and laptops no longer in use.

How does it work?
- A donation of 15 or more devices is required for a pickup, but any prospective donors will only have 1-2 devices to give up
- A local drop off site offers a place to collect these device(s)
- Then, once the site has collected at least 15 devices, the IOB can help arrange for a pickup