

Collection of small home appliances at designated locations

Small home appliances contain valuable resources (gold, silver, copper, rare metal, etc.). In Meguro city, the following nine types of used small home appliances discarded from homes are collected at designated locations to reduce wastes and to utilize resources effectively.



Tokyo 2020

Medal Project

Towards an Innovative Future for All

Your smartphones and small home appliances will turn into medals!

Metals from discarded small home appliances will be recycled for the production of the 2020 Tokyo Olympic and Paralympic medals.

The Tokyo Organising Committee of the Olympic and Paralympic Games

Ministry of Environment

Japan Environmental Sanitation Center

NTT DOCOMO, INC.

Tokyo Metropolitan Government

Collecting subjects (nine items)

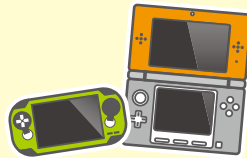
Items will be collected from 10 collection points within the city.



Mobile phones



Handheld music players



Handheld gaming devices



Digital cameras



Portable video cameras



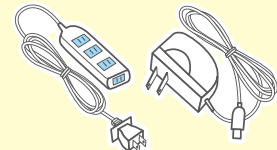
Portable car navigation devices



Electronic dictionaries



Handheld calculators



Cables (include AC adapters)

- Delete all personal information from your appliances (mobile phones for example). Also, remove any memory device such as SD cards from your appliance. To protect individual privacy, the city employees will destroy collected appliances like mobile phones before collecting resources (rare metal, etc.) from them.
- Remove batteries. Collected items are unreturnable.

Items that Meguro City does not collect are as follows:

- Other small home appliances not listed above;
- Any of an item's sides exceeding 30 cm in length (such an item will not be able to pass through the recycling collection box entrance and will not be collected, even if the item is one of the nine listed above); and
- Small home appliances from business entities

Items Collection points (10 Locations)

Drop off items in the yellow box at the facilities

- Chiku Service Offices (northern, central, southern and western areas)
- Meguro City Office Complex (west entrance) Meguro Waste Collection Office
- Meguro Waste Collection Operation Office (Collected at the office on the 2nd floor; ask for help)
- Meguro Eco Plaza Komaba Juku Center Midorigaoka Community Center (main building)

