Waterman Village Variety Shop Donation Guidelines 2025

Donations accepted must be gently used or new, in good condition, **CLEAN** and in good working order. **Items accepted include**:

* + Accessories such as purses, scarves, jewelry
	+ **Small** household furniture.
		- Please note: If you do have something large to sell, with proceeds going to the Employee Appreciation Fund, and it is too large for the shop, please provide pictures and details and retail value so that we can make and post a flyer in the Variety Shop.
	+ Home décor, wall décor, small framed pictures
	+ Seasonal and holiday décor
	+ Unopened craft supplies or materials
	+ New linens in original packages
	+ Family-friendly CDs and DVDs
	+ Kitchenware and small appliances (if possible, please include user manuals and any add-ons)
	+ Puzzles and games
	+ Electronics in good working order, including **small** flat screen TVs. Include instructions, if possible
	+ Radios, clocks
	+ Lamps
	+ Pet items
	+ New toys in original packaging

We **DO NOT accept** donations of the following items:

* Formal wear, heavy winter clothing, maternity clothes, scrubs, lingerie or intimate apparel
* Men’s, women’s, children’s clothing of any kind
* Infant or baby furniture, car seats
* Mattresses or loose bedding
* Sporting goods
* Older (box) televisions
* Textbooks, encyclopedias, or magazines
* Personal care items, school supplies
* Large framed pictures
* Toys
* Greeting cards (Hallmark accepted)

While we do appreciate being your first choice for donations, it is important that you try to follow the above guidelines. Please include your name and contact information and value of the item(s), if possible, when you donate so that we can properly price the items. If we cannot sell the item, we will contact you for pick up so you can donate to another charitable cause.

**Thank you for your continued support of the Variety Shop**

**as well as the Employee Appreciation Fund!**

**LOCATIONS ACCEPTING ITEMS WE DO NOT TAKE.**

Orphans Rock Thrift Shop

2702 West Old Hwy 441

Mount Dora, FL 32757

352.383.1104

Mount Dora Children’s Home & Variety Shop

2247 West Old US Hwy 441

Mount Dora, FL 32757

Men’s clothing, children’s clothing, toys, bed (mattresses, frames, headboards), makeup, large appliances, formal attire, crafts, lawn equipment, heavy winter clothes, couches

First Baptist Thrift Store

1210 West North Blvd (Rt. 441)

Leesburg, FL 34738

We Care

4709 N. Hwy 19A

Any type of Medical Equipment: Walkers, wheelchairs, bed pans, shower chairs

Mount Dora, FL 32757

352.742.0021

Habitat for Humanity, Eustis ReStore

Items for household repair or remodeling: Ceiling fans, light fixtures, sinks

Will pick up furniture items; call for details

710 S. Bay Street

Eustis, FL 32726
352.483.0410

5th Avenue Thrift Shoppe Women’s clothing and accessories only.

First United Methodist Church Home décor; kitchen (small appliances,

333 E. 5th Avenue dishes, silverware, glassware), much more.

Mount Dora, FL 32757

352.383.6028

Open Thursday and Friday: 10-2

Saturday: 10-3

Lake County Missions Thrift Store

Call for donation, pick up details.

415 N Grove Street

Eustis, FL

352.357.7201

Hospice Hope Chest

Call for details on donations and if they do pick up.

315 N. Donnelly

Mount Dora, FL

352.383.5171

10-4 Wed-Sun

**CALL AHEAD TO CONFIRM HOURS OF OPERATION**

 **AS WELL AS THE ITEMS THEY WILL TAKE.**