



## DONATION GUIDELINES

### Yes, Please **WE ACCEPT**

**FABRIC** of any type, age, and size that is still in usable condition. All fabric donations must be clean, odorless, and folded flat.

**YARN** of all types

**KNITTING NEEDLES** and tools

**NOTIONS & TOOLS**, e.g. thread, needles, scissors, rotary cutters and mats etc.

**TRIMS & BINDINGS**, e.g. bias tape, rick-rack, piping, ribbon, lace, etc.

**NEW, CLEAN POLYFILL & BATTING**

in clear bags; small pieces are okay

**BOOKS** on sewing, knitting, needlecrafts

**THREADS & QUILTING ARTS** magazines only (no other magazines)

**BUTTONS, ZIPPERS**, & all types of fasteners

**HISTORIC NEEDLEWORK** examples

**SEWING BASKETS**

**BEADS, BUCKLES, FINDINGS**

**PATTERNS** limited to pre-1960, Vogue

Designer or other designer series, Folkwear, costumes, party dresses; quilt & knitting patterns

**SEWING MACHINES** of any age, in working or fixable condition. No large cabinets, please.

### No, Thanks **WE CANNOT ACCEPT**

**FABRIC or YARN** that is

stained

worn-out, torn, hole-y

mildewed or moldy

has pet hair

has cigarette smoke or mothball odors

has **PINS** in it (No pins, ever, please!)

**RAGS, TOWELS**

**FUR, FEATHERS, DOWN, FOAM RUBBER**

**OLD STUFFING** from furniture or pillows

**CLOTHING\*** whole or cut-up. *Exceptions:*

*Saris, kimonos, ethnic, vintage, historic*

**CURTAINS, SLIPCOVERS, RUGS**

**BED OR TABLE LINENS**

**UNFINISHED PROJECTS**

Exceptions: quilt tops or very old examples of fine needlework

**NEEDLECRAFT KITS**

**PATTERNS** other than those listed

**FURNITURE, SEWING TABLES**

**QUILT OR RUG FRAMES**

**DONATIONS MUST BE IN CLEAR PLASTIC BAGS OR BINS**

**NO BOXES OR BLACK GARBAGE BAGS, PLEASE.**

**CONTAINERS & INAPPROPRIATE ITEMS WILL BE RETURNED TO YOU.**

**SINGLE DROP-OFF LIMIT: 5 LARGE BAGS/3 PORTABLE MACHINES.**

**FOR LARGER QUANTITIES, CONTACT US IN ADVANCE.**

### **DROP-OFF HOURS**

**10 am - 5 pm**

**Monday thru Saturday**

**SewGreen Store**

**112 North Cayuga Street**

**downtown Ithaca**

SewGreen is a REUSE program. Therefore, donated items must be in usable condition. Donated items are used in the SewGreen classroom, sold in the SewGreen store to support our reuse and education programs, or passed on to other educational programs. SewGreen is a not-for-profit community program. Receipts are available on request.

*Thanks for your generosity!*