

We would like to take a minute to thank you for your business and remind you of our policy regarding Prohibited Materials. The following three lists outline material that Padnos will reject outright and/or accept after proper inspection and documentation. If you have any questions please ask to speak to the Yard Superintendent for further assistance. Thank you,

LOUIS PADNOS IRON & METAL COMPANY

The following items are prohibited material:

1. Radioactive material
2. Hazardous waste
3. Any liquids or sludge
4. Oil filters
5. Fluorescent light fixtures with PCB containing ballast
6. Ballast containing PCBs
7. Capacitors
8. Sealed tanks (Freon, propane, gas, etc.)
9. Paint or lacquer containers of any kind
10. Household refuse (carpet, plastic, glass, etc.)
11. Non-metallic items (dirt, wood, etc.)
12. Tires other than attached to vehicles
13. Full loads of rusty or lead painted mufflers
14. Medical test equipment/X-Ray equipment
15. Fire brick
16. Oil based furnaces
17. Mercury vapor bulbs
18. Mercury switches (thermostats/control devices)
19. Nickel Cadmium batteries
20. Halogen bulbs
21. Asbestos
22. Any live ammunition
23. Lead sheets from batteries (see item 2 below)
24. Magnesium Turnings

****The following items may be accepted under special conditions:****

Padnos may purchase these items separately. Contact the Yard Superintendent or Inspector.

1. Catalytic converters
2. Whole Batteries (accepted at non-Ferrous Metals Department, refer to QW 7.M7 Lead Acid Battery Handling Instructions)
3. Gasoline or diesel tanks
4. Wire fencing
5. Cable
6. Steel piston rings
7. Air bag canisters
8. Appliances (white goods) with CFC's – Either by being on the Approved Vendor List for white goods or filling out Material Certification Form
9. Barrels – must be on the Approved Barrel Vendor List
10. Fluorescent bulbs – green ends only
11. Bulk lead components (wheel weights, etc.) – NF departments only
12. Transformers – Only if dry and free of oil, certified PCB free, and with matching serial number on certification.

In accordance with House Bill 6181 (2008), Padnos may only purchase the following goods if the “seller has specific written documentation that the seller is the owner, agent, or person with authority to possess and sell” them:

1. Beer kegs
2. Gravestone markers, cemetery goods (vases, plaques, statues, etc.)
3. Railroad Material (wheels, rail, other track material, etc.)
4. Public Fixtures (benches, manhole covers, etc.)
5. Plastic crates, trays or skids with the company name displayed on them

*Refer to training document titled “Pictures of Do Not Buy Material” for visual examples of some items.