

# WATERFRONT MISSION

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## Stuff the Truck Success! Onto the Next One!

On Saturday, April 28<sup>th</sup>, we had one of our Thrift Store trucks parked at Apple Market on 1021 Scenic Highway in Pensacola, FL from 8am to 3pm. Volunteers from Corry Station Chapel helped load donated items onto the truck, and boy did people donate! We took in 8 large boxes (called gaylords) worth of materials, as well as 5 pieces of furniture. Waterfront Thrift offers a pickup service through [PickUpMyDonation.com](http://PickUpMyDonation.com), and this Stuff the Truck achieved the same donation amounts and quality normally collected during the same time period in the 32503 and 32504 area codes.

On Saturday, May 5<sup>th</sup>, we'll have a Thrift Store truck parked at The First, A National Banking Association on 6140 Airport, Boulevard in Mobile, AL from 9am to 2pm.

Waterfront Thrift Stores are one of the ways Waterfront Rescue Mission funds our rescue and recovery. In fact, the Thrift Stores (all 7 of them, locations listed below), account for about 35% of our budget. Normally we accept donations at our stores Monday through Saturday from 9am to 4:30pm with small donations accepted inside until 7pm, as well as our Recycling and Distribution Center Monday through Friday from 8:30am to 4:30pm.

And to sum up some of our frequently asked questions:

### What items can I donate?

- Men's, Women's and Children's Clothing, Fashion Accessories and Shoes
- Gently-Used Furniture
- Linens, Comforters, Blankets, Pillows, Bath Towels and Sheets
- Washers, Dryers, Refrigerators, Microwaves and Small Appliances
- Flat Screen TV's and Electronics
- Hardware, Hand Tools and Power Tools
- Patio Furniture, Gardening Tools, Lawn Mowers and Outdoor Equipment
- Knick Knacks, Home Decor and Art
- Musical Instruments of all kinds and conditions
- Toys and Plush (Indoor and Outdoor)
- Books, Magazines, CDs, DVDs, LPs, VHS and Cassette Tapes and Other Media
- Collectibles, Antiques and Other Unique Items
- Recyclable Materials: Aluminum, Scrap Metals, Textiles (Including: Single Shoes, Hats, Belts, Ties, Linens, etc.), Books and Wire (Including: Christmas Lights and Cords)

## What items aren't accepted?

- Used Mattresses
- Dishwashers
- Tube TVs or Computer Monitors

## Where else can I drop donations off?

All seven of our Thrift Stores and our Recycling and Donation Center can accept donations!

- **Pensacola Thrift Store:** 2125 West Fairfield Drive, Pensacola FL, 32505
- **Foley Thrift Store:** 2365 North McKenzie Street, Foley, AL 36535
- **Gulf Breeze Thrift Store:** 4376 Gulf Breeze Parkway, Gulf Breeze FL, 32561
  - *All donations accepted 9am-4:30pm, small donations accepted in store until 7pm*
- **Recycling and Donation Center:** 388 West Herman Street, Pensacola FL, 32505
  - *Donations Accepted 9am-3pm*

We also have Thrift Stores located in Ft. Walton Beach, Cantonment, Crestview, and Milton in Florida. And in Pensacola, you can schedule a pickup of your donations with **PickUpMyDonation.com**.

## What do the Thrift Stores fund?

**Waterfront Rescue Mission!** Waterfront is a faith based rescue and recovery center that helps the addicted, the homeless, and the needy. If you know someone who is in need of recovery, please visit **WaterfrontMission.org** to find out more about our **Recovery Program**.

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