



Crossville Tile Take-Back Program Requirements

As a company founded on the principles of environmentally friendly manufacturing, Crossville is proud to offer the industry's first tile take-back program. Our proprietary new recycling process will enable us to divert four million pounds of fired waste from the landfill each year; allowing us to create beautiful recycled tile in the process.

Our innovative recycling process will also allow us to take back both unused sample tile and installed tile that is being removed for renovation. In order to ensure minimal environmental impact and maximum efficiency, we have put in place guidelines for the tile take back program. Should you have any questions, please contact Crossville's Customer Service Department at 931.484.2110.

Requirements:

- 1) Tile must be ceramic or porcelain; no metal or glass tile or natural stone can be accepted at this time.
- 2) There is no charge for the tile take-back program; however freight costs will apply. Freight must be pre-paid for tile returned to Crossville.
- 3) You may use the transport company of your choice; however use of Crossville's designated freight carriers may result in lower costs.
- 4) Tile must be shipped in pre-approved sturdy containers that facilitate offloading. Please call to ensure shipping containers are acceptable.
- 5) Previously installed tile must have no more than 1/4" cement mortar adhering to the tile. We are unable to accept tile that has mastic, epoxy, or organic materials. Non-tile debris will not be accepted. Wood, drywall, rebar, etc. must be removed from tile. You may be asked to provide a sample of the installed tile prior to final approval.
- 6) Crossville will accept its own tile back for recycling, whether installed or unused.
- 7) Other manufacturers' installed tile will be accepted only if it is being replaced with Crossville tile. Uninstalled tile from other manufacturers will not be accepted.
- 8) Crossville will consider the overall environmental impact before accepting any tile into the take-back process, including transportation and energy usage.
- 9) Prior written approval is required before tile will be accepted through the take back program. Please allow two weeks from the time Crossville receives the form for approval.
- 10) There is no monetary or tile compensation for returning tile.



Tile Take-Back Program Return Authorization Form

Please provide the information below and fax form to: 931.484.8418

Company or Individual Returning Tile:

Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____

Zip: _____

Primary Contact: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Samples or Unused/obsolete Crossville tile Installed product

Please provide a brief description of the tile (size, floor or wall tile, etc.): _____

Address of Tile Removal Site

Job Site Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____

Zip: _____

Is the installed product Crossville tile Yes No Unsure

If the installed product is not Crossville tile, will it be replaced by Crossville tile Yes No

Please provide a P.O. number for the Crossville replacement tile: _____

Square footage of installed tile to be returned: _____

Do you wish to use one of Crossville's freight carriers?

Yes. Please contact me with details.

No. I will arrange transport.

Date tile is expected to be removed: _____

Date tile is expected to ship: _____

SHIP TO: Crossville, Inc.--Tile Recycling Center
346 Sweeney Drive
Crossville, TN 38555
931.707.3064

APPROVALS:*

Manufacturing: _____

Logistics _____

Sales: _____

R&D: _____

Declined: _____

Customer notification: _____

* Samples are required to be submitted to Crossville, Inc. to ensure material is acceptable. Approval can take up to 2 weeks.