



Can/Bottle Redemption Returns to Red Oak

Beginning March 15, 2023, the DROPPETT building in the parking lot at 210 S. Broadway will be accepting bottles and cans for redemption. This is an unmanned site where individuals may drop off their redeemables and still receive their refunds.

Go to **www.droppett.com** to create an account and become eligible to participate in the Droppett program.

You MUST be registered online to receive your can/bottle refunds.



How do I use the Droppett Redemption Center?

Go to www.droppett.com to register. Once registered, you will receive a welcome packet in the mail. This packet will include your first set of bar-code labels (BAG TAG), a membership card with two keychain cards, and useful tips and FAQs. When you are ready to place your bags/boxes of containers in the Droppett redemption center please follow the instructions below:

1. Each bag or box must have a Droppett **BAG TAG** affixed to it. The bag tag is how we track and identify your containers. Bags and boxes should not exceed 20 pounds.
2. At the Droppett redemption center there are drop doors on the front of the building for placing your bags. Below each door there is a scanner that will read your **BAG TAG** bar code. When you scan your **BAG TAG** barcode, the door will unlatch, and you can open it to place your bag/box inside.
3. Scan **EACH** bag that you place in the unit. (**DO NOT** scan one bag and hold the door open to place multiple bags/boxes.) This is how we track and identify what bags belong to which customer.
4. When done placing bags in the unit, let the door close and you are done.

Once a week, Droppett will pick up the cans/bottles from Red Oak and take them to Des Moines. At the Droppett facility, the BAG TAG bar code is scanned and the items are sorted and counted. Your online account will then be credit with your refund amount.

When your online account reaches \$15, you are able to transfer funds to your checking account or donate them to a registered charity/organization (such as Rotary or Optimists).