

# Berkeley Student Cooperative

# Sourcebook

The BSC Sourcebook is your resource to Bay Area stores. What follows is a comprehensive list of places where you can purchase maintenance items, window shades, art supplies, candy, appliances, and whatever else your house may need. The list is compiled by central level staff, house level managers, and interested members, in response to managers' needs. Please feel free to send suggestions and informational updates on the businesses listed (email the Assistant to the Maintenance Coordinator at [amc@usca.org](mailto:amc@usca.org)).

**Stores in BOLD PRINT designate places that accept P.O. cards.**

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## Appliances

Sears Retail Outlet Store  
1936 W. 140<sup>th</sup> Avenue  
Leandro, CA  
(510) 895-0546

TVs, washers, dryers, fridges, etc.  
at reduced cost. For kitchen San  
appliances—call CK first (549-  
5969). They don't deliver.

JACO Environmental  
1-800-741-0172  
<http://www.jacoenvironmental.com/>

For \$20 they cart away dead  
appliances and recycle or dispose  
of them in an environmentally  
conscious way.

## Art Supplies

The Inkstone  
2302 Bowditch St.  
Berkeley, CA  
(510) 843-1162

Account # 113.

## Bathrooms

Alcosta Shower Door Inc.  
38 Beta Court Suite C-5  
San Ramon, CA  
(925) 820-4109

Installs shower doors.

Parkmead Products  
930 45th Ave.  
Oakland, CA  
(510) 532-5931  
<http://www.parkmeadproducts.com/>

For Corian countertops, custom  
cabinets, and sinks.

## Blueprints

The Inkstone  
2302 Bowditch St.  
Berkeley, CA  
(510) 843-1162

Account # 113.

## Books (how to...)

Moe's Books  
2476 Telegraph Avenue  
Berkeley CA 94704  
(510) 849-2087  
<http://www.moesbooks.com/>

Good used books

Builder's Booksource  
1817 4th St.  
Berkeley, CA  
(510) 845-6874  
<http://www.buildersbooksite.com/>

How-to books on building.

## Carpet, Linoleum, and Tile

*Talk to Central Maintenance first (549-5965).*

**Strauss Carpet**  
2828 Ford Ave.  
Oakland, CA  
(510) 428-2828

Speak with **Felix**.

**Conklin Bros.**  
2999 Teagarden Ave  
San Leandro, CA  
(510) 357-1090  
<http://www.conklinbrothers.com/>

**Import Tile**  
611 Hearst Ave.  
Berkeley, CA  
(510) 843-5744  
<http://www.importtile.com/>

**Tile Shop**  
1005 Harrison St.  
Berkeley, CA  
(510) 525-4312

## Carpet Cleaning

**Rug Doctor Rents**  
2043 San Pablo Ave.  
Berkeley, CA  
(510) 843-4881

**Hertz Rental**  
1475 Eastshore Highway  
Berkeley, CA  
(510) 559-4444

## Concrete

**Right Away Redy Mix, Inc.**  
401 Kennedy St.  
Oakland, CA  
(510) 536-1900  
<http://www.rightawayredymix.com/>

Truck delivery of concrete for  
larger projects (for bags of  
concrete see [Hardware](#) section).

## Copying/Desktop Publishing

**Copy Central (Berkeley locations only)**  
48 Shattuck Square  
(510) 848-7034  
1400 Shattuck Ave.  
(510) 549-9700  
<http://www.copycentral.com/>

2560 Bancroft Way  
(510) 848-9600  
2930 Shattuck Ave.  
(510) 548-9600

2483 Hearst Ave.  
(510) 849-9600

## Disabled Access

DCARA  
568 Parrot St.  
San Leandro, CA (510) 351-3937

They offer products for the hearing-impaired.

Lighthouse for the Blind  
214 Van Ness Ave.  
San Francisco, CA (415) 431-1481

Wheelchairs of Berkeley  
2911 Shattuck Ave.  
Berkeley, CA (510) 540-8681

Center for Independent Living  
2539 Telegraph Ave.  
Berkeley, CA (510) 841-4776

## Dishwasher Service

*Call CK for dishwasher service repair (549-5969).*

## Doors

**Ashby Lumber**  
**824 Ashby Ave.**  
**Berkeley, CA**  
**(510) 843-4832**

**Truitt and White**  
**642 Hearst Ave.**  
**Berkeley, CA**  
**(510) 841-0511**  
<http://www.truittandwhitelumber.com/>

## Drain Cleaning

**Mr. Rooter**  
**Berkeley, CA**  
**(510)843-6378**  
<http://www.mrrooter.com>

**Ask for Steve.**

Roto Rooter  
Oakland, CA  
(510) 261-4713  
<http://www.rotorooter.com/>

Account # 87-001.

Rescue Rooter  
Berkeley, CA  
(510) 832-0145  
<http://rescuerooter.com/>

## Dump

*Call CM (549-5965) to schedule a dump run for your house. We bring the truck, you supply the labor, and we'll take it to the dump.*

**City of Berkeley Transfer Station  
Public Works Refuse Division  
1201 Second St.  
Berkeley, CA  
(510) 644-8856 Ext. 230**

**Open M-Sat 8-4:30.  
Cost: \$89.30/ton (minimum \$9  
charge). Dump loads consisting of  
ONLY organic matter save 20%.  
(plant matter, unpainted lumber)**

## Electrical Parts and Services

**Ace Hardware  
2145 University Ave.  
Berkeley, CA  
(510) 845-0410  
<http://www.acehardware.com/>**

**One block west of campus. Go  
here for small orders.**

**Graybar Electric Co.  
7303A Edgewater Dr.  
Oakland, CA  
(510) 568-2218  
<http://www.graybar.com/>**

**Phone and punch down tools for  
Ethernet cables, as well as  
electrical supplies can be found  
here (wholesale).**

**Laner Electric Supply Company  
1310 South 51st St.  
Richmond, CA  
(510) 215-5100 <http://www.laner.com/>**

**Go to Laner for larger, wholesale  
orders.**

## Electricians

*Always call CM FIRST (549-5965). Try the Yellow Pages only in extreme emergencies. Refer to previous listing under [Electrical Parts and Services](#).*

## Energy Conservation

*Get energy conserving light bulbs through CK (549-5969). Also, most energy conservation items can be purchased at wholesale prices through Grainger (contact CM to access the Grainger catalog or go to <http://www.grainger.com/>). EBMUD and PG&E often have free brochures, lectures, and demonstrations regarding energy saving measures. Try <http://www.pge.com/>. Check under [Lighting Fixtures](#) in this catalog, also.*

## Fire Safety Equipment

*Call CM first (549-5965). We have an extinguisher service contract with Best Fire.*

**Best Fire  
3101 San Pablo Ave.  
Berkeley, CA  
(510) 652-9932**

**Great service. Contact Bryan  
Rosano each year to have the  
extinguishers for your house  
recharged.**

**Vulcan Fire Protection  
San Francisco, CA  
(415) 239-6207  
[vulcanfire@worldnet.att.net](mailto:vulcanfire@worldnet.att.net)**

**They steam clean our stove hoods  
and charge the stove hood fire  
suppression systems.**

## Floors

**Avi's Hardwood Flooring**  
**817 Arnold Dr**  
**Martinez , California 94553**  
**(925) 313-8999**  
**Fax - (925)313-8950**

**Main source for hardwood floors for the co-ops – senior crew tends to be the one to contact them.**

**The Floor Show**  
**2547 8th St.**  
**Berkeley, CA**  
**(510) 845-4633**

**Great service and results on wood floors. Leave a message.**

**Tulip Floor Co.**  
**3501 Carlson Blvd.**  
**El Cerrito, CA**  
**(510) 528-8547**  
<http://www.tulipfloors.com/>

**Great repair work, but the refinishing work is just OK.**

## Glass

**Arrow Glass**  
**640 San Pablo Ave, Albany**  
**(510) 525-2118**

**Shower door parts and glass**

**U.C. Glass Co.**  
**2124 Dwight Way**  
**Berkeley, CA**  
**(510) 845-3367**  
<http://www.ucglass.com/>

**Bring windows in or have UC Glass come out to fix them.**

## Groceries

*Call CK first (549-5969). CK can order almost every food and appliance you need, and it is almost always cheaper.*

**Berkeley Bowl: Meat, Produce, and Seafood**  
**2020 Oregon St.**  
**Berkeley, CA**  
**(510) 843-6929**  
<http://www.berkeleybowl.com/>

**Wild Oats Market**  
**1581 University Ave.**  
**Berkeley, CA**  
**(510) 549-1714**  
<http://www.wildoats.com/>

**Great selection of special diet food (wheat free, etc).**

**Andronico's Market**  
**1550 Shattuck Ave.**  
**Berkeley, CA**  
**(510) 841-7942**  
<http://www.andronicos.com/>

**2655 Telegraph Ave.**  
**Berkeley, CA**  
**(510) 845-1062**

**1414 University Ave.**  
**Berkeley, CA**  
**(510) 548-7061**

Whole Foods Market  
3000 Telegraph Ave.  
Berkeley, CA (510) 649-1333  
<http://www.wholefoods.com/>

Safeway  
Shattuck Place  
Berkeley, CA  
(510) 526-3086  
<http://www.safeway.com/>

Call them ahead of time.

### Hardware

*You'll find the lowest prices at warehouse outlets, like Home Depot. However, pay attention to convenience.*

Berkeley Ace Hardware  
2145 University Ave.  
Berkeley, CA  
(510) 845-0410  
<http://www.acehardware.com/>

A little more expensive, but close and convenient.

Home Depot  
11955 San Pablo Ave.      3838 Hollis Ave.  
El Cerrito, CA      Emeryville, CA  
(510) 235-0800      (510) 601-9400  
<http://www.homedepot.com/>

**Have the account # with you!**  
Acct. #: 6035 3225 0387 5084  
Account Rep - Rhonda  
1 800 494-1946 x 45097 Mon-Fri

Orchard Supply Hardware  
1025 Ashby Ave.  
Berkeley, CA  
(510) 540-6638  
<http://www.osh.com/>

Acct# 6847 072 6  
Contact# 1 800 696-4674

Pastime Ace Hardware  
10057 San Pablo Ave.  
El Cerrito, CA  
(510) 526-6615  
<http://www.acehardware.com/>

Truitt & White Lumber  
642 Hearst Ave.  
Berkeley, CA  
(510) 841-0511  
<http://www.truittandwhitelumber.com/>

Wilco Supply  
5960 Telegraph Ave.  
Oakland, CA  
(510) 652-8522  
<http://www.wilcosupply.com/>

Hardware for cabinets, doors, etc.  
(lock parts, key blanks, hinges,  
and so on). Wholesale prices, with  
minimum purchase requirements.  
Get key blanks from them

## Heating Equipment/Parts

Call CM first (549-5965). Sheet metal houses also carry many heating system parts. See listings under *Sheet metal Work/Parts*. CM has catalogs from the following stores—feel free to come in and take a look at them.

**Appliance Parts and Equipment Distribution (APED)**  
2901 San Pablo Ave.  
Berkeley, CA  
(510) 548-9900  
<http://www.aped.com/>

Parts for water heaters, furnaces, etc.

**Controlco**  
840 66th Ave.  
Oakland, CA  
(510) 636-7900  
<http://www.controlco.com/>

Parts for industrial heating equipment (like boiler systems, etc.).

**Grainger Industrial Supply**  
7801 Capwell Dr.  
Oakland, CA  
(510) 638-1100  
<http://www.grainger.com/>

825 Potter St.  
Berkeley, CA 94710  
Phone: (510) 653-7200  
Fax: (510) 540-0500

Wide variety of parts for heating, etc. They deliver.

**Johnstone Supply**  
333 Market  
Oakland, CA  
(510) 663-0126  
<http://www.e-johnstonesupply.com/>

Wholesale prices. Large selection—similar to Grainger.

## Insulation

Insulating materials are available at *lumberyards* and most building supply outlets.

**Berkeley Ace Hardware**  
2145 University Ave.  
Berkeley, CA  
(510) 845-0410  
<http://www.acehardware.com/>

**Pacific Insulation**  
1300 64th St.  
Emeryville, CA  
(510) 547-7075  
<http://www.plantinsulation.com/>

If you're buying in bulk, this is the place to go. They charge wholesale. Contact CM (549-5965) before contacting them.

## Keys

*Keys may be cut at CM on a bring-your-own-blanks basis. You can purchase blanks from most lock shops and Wilco supply. Lock shops and hardware stores will cut keys for you too: see listings under Locks.*

**Reed Brothers**  
4432 Telegraph Ave.  
Oakland, CA  
(510) 652-2477  
<http://www.reedbrothers.com/>

**They also install/fix security bars and gates (including security intercom systems).**

**Rex Keys**  
1908 University Ave.  
Berkeley, CA  
(510) 845-7784  
<http://www.rexkey.com/>

**Rochdale uses Rex for all its key work.**

**Wilco Supply**  
5960 Telegraph Ave.  
Oakland, CA  
(510) 652-8522  
<http://www.wilcosupply.com/>

**Get key blanks from them. Also have hardware for cabinets, doors, etc. (lock parts, key blanks, hinges, and so on). Wholesale prices, with minimum purchase requirements.**

## Kitchen Equipment

*Please order kitchen equipment through CK (549-5969). All kitchen equipment that is purchased must be made for use in a commercial kitchen.*

## Ladders

*See [hardware](#) and [lumber](#) supply stores. Central Maintenance (549-5965) has a variety of ladders that are available on a checkout basis.*

**Home Depot**  
11955 San Pablo Ave.      3838 Hollis Ave.  
El Cerrito, CA      Emeryville, CA  
(510) 235-0800      (510) 601-9400  
<http://www.homedepot.com/>

**Have the account # with you!**  
**Acct. #: 6035 3225 0387 5084**  
**Account Rep - Rhonda**  
**1 800 494-1946 x 45097 Mon-Fri**

**Orchard Supply Hardware**  
1025 Ashby Ave.  
Berkeley, CA  
(510) 540-6638  
<http://www.osh.com/>

**Acct# 6847 072 6**  
**Contact# 1 800 696-4674**

## Light Covers

*Check with CM first (549-5965). We have catalogs from some of the listed companies. They will custom make light covers for you.*

**Malcolite**  
590 Monterey Pass Road  
Monterey Park, CA 91754  
1-800-322-0777  
1-800-527-5777  
<http://www.malcolite.com/>

**Call the 1-800 number—they'll contact their representative in San Mateo (Karen Riddle).**

Tap Plastics  
10760 San Pablo Ave.  
El Cerrito, CA  
(510) 525-3508  
<http://www.tapplastics.com/>

### Lighting Fixtures

Laner Electric Supply Company  
1310 South 51st St.  
Richmond, CA  
(510) 215-5100  
<http://www.laner.com/>

Orchard Supply Hardware  
1025 Ashby Ave.  
Berkeley, CA  
(510) 540-6638  
<http://www.osh.com/>

Acct# 6847 072 6  
Contact# 1 800 696-4674

Home Depot  
11955 San Pablo      3838 Hollis Ave.  
El Cerrito, CA      Emeryville, CA  
(510) 235-0800      (510) 601-9400  
<http://www.homedepot.com/>

Have the account number!  
Acct. #: 6035 3225 0387 5084  
Account Rep - Rhonda  
1 800 494-1946 x45097 Mon-Fri

Grainger Industrial Supply  
7801 Capwell Dr.      4250 Hollis Ave.  
Oakland, CA      Emeryville, CA  
(510) 638-1100      (510) 653-7200  
<http://www.grainger.com/>

Come to CM and look through the  
catalog or go to the website.

### Locks

Reed Brothers  
4432 Telegraph Ave.  
Oakland, CA  
(510) 652-2477  
<http://www.reedbrothers.com/>

They also install/fix security bars  
and gates (including security  
intercom systems).

Rex Keys  
1908 University Ave.  
Berkeley, CA  
(510) 845-7784  
<http://www.rexkey.com/>

Rochdale uses Rex for all its key  
work.

Wilco Supply  
5960 Telegraph Ave.  
Oakland, CA  
(510) 652-8522  
<http://www.wilcosupply.com/>

Wholesale prices. Items sold in  
bulk. It's a good idea to place  
orders by phone 2 hrs before  
pickup. Then you can use the  
"Will Call" line, which is much  
faster.

## Lumber

*Lumber prices vary from place to place. SHOP AROUND. Lumberyards will give prices over the phone. The lumberyards listed here are the ones CM regularly uses. Lumberyards with their own mills (like Truitt & White) will actually make wood for you if you need a special size or shape. However, because of the set-up charge, milling is expensive, and isn't worth it unless you need a couple of hundred board feet. On quantities of a thousand board feet, the milling charge often seems amazingly low. Most lumberyards will deliver for a fee.*

**Ashby Lumber**  
**824 Ashby Ave.**  
**Berkeley, CA**  
**(510) 843-4832**

**Lumber Baron**  
**500 Cleveland Ave.**  
**Albany, CA**  
**(510) 526-7224**

**Redwood only.**

**MacBeath Hardwood Co.**  
**930 Ashby Ave.**  
**Berkeley, CA**  
**(510) 843-4390**  
<http://www.macbeath.com/>

**Hardwoods, butcher blocks etc.**

**Truitt & White Lumber Co.**  
**642 Hearst Ave.**  
**Berkeley, CA**  
**(510) 841-0511**  
<http://www.truittandwhitelumber.com/>

## Masonry Materials

*See [hardware](#) stores as well.*

**RMC Pacific Materials**  
**333 23<sup>rd</sup> Ave.**  
**Oakland, CA**  
**(510) 533 -5054**  
<http://www.rmclonestar.com/>

## Nurseries

**Berkeley Horticultural Nursery**  
**1310 McGee Ave**  
**Berkeley, CA**  
**(510) 526-4704**  
<http://www.berkeleyhort.com/>

**They offer an excellent selection of plants and their employees are very knowledgeable.**

**The Dry Garden**  
**6556 Shattuck Ave.**  
**Oakland, CA**  
**(510) 547-3564**

**Specializes in drought resistant plants.**

**East Bay Nursery**  
**2332 San Pablo Ave.**  
**Berkeley, CA**  
**(510) 845-6490**  
<http://www.eastbaynursery.com/>

### Office Supplies

**Office Depot**  
**1025 Gilman Ave.**  
**Berkeley, CA**  
**(510) 525-0176**  
<http://www.officedepot.com/>

### Paint

*Check the house paint shed before buying more paint. Much waste occurs in this area. Remember to seal the can properly, when you are done. **Avoid** Berkeley Ace and Pastime Hardware for paints because they're expensive. Also, CM will **recycle** old paint—just bring it in.*

**Berkeley Pursel Paints**  
**875 Potter St.**  
**Berkeley, CA 94710**  
**(510) 533-4950**

**They offer a discount when using your PO card.**

**Kelly-Moore Paint**  
**969 San Pablo Ave.**  
**Albany, CA**  
**(510) 525-3182**  
<http://www.kellymoore.com/>

**Great quality paint. They also offer a discount when using you PO card.**

### Pest Control

*Call CK (549-5969) for pest control problems. All the houses have a contract with Clark Pest Control, but must go through CK first.*

### Plastics

**Abe Schuster's Plastics**  
**2940 West St.**  
**Oakland, CA**  
**(510) 653-3588**

**Deals in fiberglass.**

**Tap Plastics**  
**10760 San Pablo Ave.**  
**El Cerrito, CA**  
**(510) 525-3508**  
<http://www.tapplastics.com/>

### Plumbing Repairs

*Call CM first (549-5965). Sewer clogged in the middle of the night? See **Drain Cleaning**.*

### Plumbing Parts

**Ashby Plumbing and Heating**  
**1000 Ashby Ave.**  
**Berkeley, CA**  
**(510) 843-6652**

**Wholesale.**

**Berkeley Plumbing and Heating**  
2160 Dwight Way  
Berkeley, CA  
(510) 841-0883

**Cal Steam**  
1472 66<sup>th</sup> Ave.  
Emeryville, CA  
(510) 594-0400  
<http://www.calsteam.com/>

**Home Depot**  
11955 San Pablo  
El Cerrito, CA  
(510) 235-0800  
<http://www.homedepot.com/>

3838 Hollis Ave.  
Emeryville, CA  
(510) 601-9400

**Orchard Supply Hardware**  
1025 Ashby Ave.  
Berkeley, CA  
(510) 540-6638  
<http://www.osh.com/>

**Rubenstein Supply Co.**  
2800 San Pablo Ave.  
Oakland, CA  
(510) 444-6614  
<http://www.rubensteinsupply.com/>

**Retail.** Can be more helpful with information than the wholesale places. They are Expensive!

**Wholesale plumbing supply.** Very complete inventory.

**Have the account number with you!** Acct. #: 6035 3225 0387 5084  
Account Rep - Rhonda  
1 800 494-1946 x45097 Mon-Fri

Acct# 6847 072 6  
Contact# 1800 696 4674

### Recycling Centers and Information

*Central Maintenance will take batteries, fluorescent bulbs, and old paint, Please contact AMC or Wes (549-5965) for information on recycling toxic materials.*

Berkeley Recycling Center -The Buyback  
2nd & Gilman  
Berkeley, CA  
(510) 524-5355

The BSC recycles at this station.

City of Berkeley Ecology Center  
(510) 527-5555  
<http://www.ecologycenter.org/recycle/recycle.html>

Residential recycling information.

City of Berkeley Recycling Administration  
(510) 644-6465  
<http://www.ci.berkeley.ca.us/pw/swm.html>

Curbside pick-up.

City of Berkeley Recycling Division  
(510) 644-8892  
<http://www.ci.berkeley.ca.us/pw/swm/recynos.html>

Info on recycling plant debris, motor oil, etc

Kragen Auto Parts  
1950 Marten Luther King Jr  
Berkeley, CA  
(510) 848-4568

They recycle used motor oil for free.

E Waste Eagle  
Computer Recyclers  
(510) 692-5500

Will take e-waste (monitors,  
printers, cell phones, etc.) for  
FREE! Bulk/large item pick ups  
available.

### Refrigeration Parts/Repairs

**Peoples Refrigeration**  
**733 Treat Ave.**  
**San Francisco, CA**  
**(415) 821-9229**

**Try here first for repairs.**

**Reliable Appliance Parts**  
**2901 San Pablo**  
**Berkeley, CA**  
**(510) 548-9900**  
<http://www.aped.com/>

**Refrigerator, as well as heating  
parts.**

**Melins**  
**149 Espee Ave.**  
**Richmond, CA**  
**(510) 234-5749**  
<http://www.melins.com/>

**Expensive. Try People's  
Refrigeration first.**

### Refuse Collection

*Call CM to schedule a dump run for your house. We bring the truck, you supply the labor, and we'll take it to the dump. Any and all problems with recycling and refuse collection, just call Central Kitchen (549-5969).*

For recycling and refuse customer service:

**City of Berkeley**  
**1201 2nd St.**  
**Berkeley, CA**  
**(510) 644-8856**  
<http://www.ci.berkeley.ca.us/pw/swm.html>

**Call CK for special pick-ups and  
for steam cleaning dumpsters (as  
well as problems with pickup). No  
other requests will be honored by  
the City.**

E Waste Eagle  
Computer Recyclers  
(510) 692-5500

Will take e-waste (monitors,  
printers, cell phones, etc.) for  
FREE! Bulk/large item pick ups  
available.

### Rental Tools

**Hertz Rental**  
**1475 Eastshore Hwy.**  
**Berkeley, CA**  
**(510) 559-4444**

The Tool Lending Library - South Branch  
1901 Russell St.  
Berkeley, CA  
(510) 644-6101

<http://www.infopeople.org/bpl/tool/index.html>

Call or go to the website for the library's hours.

### Rock and Soil

**American Soil Products**  
2121 San Joaquin Street  
Richmond, CA 94804  
(510) 292-3000

<http://www.americansoil.com/>

**Huge selection of soil, mulch, compost, stone, etc.**

**RMC Pacific Materials**  
333 23<sup>rd</sup> Ave.  
Oakland, CA  
(510) 533-5054

<http://www.rmclonestar.com/>

### Roofing Materials

*Generally available at most [lumberyards](#) and [hardware](#) store.*

**Truitt & White**  
642 Hearst Ave.  
Berkeley, CA  
(510) 841-0511

<http://www.truittandwhitelumber.com/>

**Allied Building Products**  
1077 Eastshore Highway  
Albany, CA  
(510) 526-8411

<http://www.alliedbuilding.com/>

### Salvage Yards

*Go to <http://www.ciwmb.ca.gov/CalMAX> for the [CalMAX](#) materials exchange: free materials donated by industries.*

**Urban Ore Building Materials Exchange**  
6th and Gilman  
Berkeley, CA  
(510) 559-4460

<http://urbanore.citysearch.com/>

**Best prices on new/used building materials. Open 7 days a week until 5pm.**

**Berkeley Architectural Salvage**  
1167 65th Street  
Oakland, CA  
(510) 655-2270

East Bay Depot for Creative Reuse  
6713 San Pablo Ave.  
Oakland, CA  
(510) 547-6470

Cheap. Call before you get there,  
since the inventory changes often..  
This is an industrial re-use program.

Ohmega Salvage  
2407 San Pablo Ave.  
Berkeley, CA  
(510) 843-7368

Expensive.

<http://www.ohmegasalvage.com/>

### Sheet Metal Work/Parts

**Walter Mork**  
**2418 Sixth St.**  
**Berkeley, CA**  
**(510) 845-0992**

Crown Heating and Sheet Metal  
739 Gilman Ave.  
Berkeley, CA  
(510) 524-0844

### Sheetrock/Drywall

*Most [hardware](#) or [lumber](#) stores carry sheetrock.*

### Stove/Oven Parts and Service

**Reliable Appliance Parts**  
**2901 San Pablo**  
**Berkeley, CA**  
**(510) 548-9900**  
<http://www.aped.com/>

**Johnstone Supply**  
**333 Market**  
**Oakland, CA**  
**(510) 663-0126**  
<http://www.e-johnstonesupply.com/>

Wholesale prices

### Tools

*For bigger tools, give CM a call (549-5965). CM will loan out tools or refer to the [Rental Tools](#) section.*

**Berkeley Ace Hardware**  
**2145 University Ave.**  
**Berkeley, CA**  
**(510) 845-0410**  
<http://www.acehardware.com/>

**Home Depot**  
**11955 San Pablo**      **3838 Hollis Ave**  
**El Cerrito, CA**      **Emeryville, CA**  
**(510) 235-0800**      **(510) 601-9400**  
<http://www.homedepot.com/>

**Have the account number!**  
**Acct. #: 6035 3225 0387 5084**  
**Account Rep - Rhonda**  
**1 800 494-1946 x45097 Mon-Fri**

**Orchard Supply Hardware**  
1025 Ashby Ave.  
Berkeley, CA  
(510) 540-6638  
<http://www.osh.com/>

Acct# 6847 072 6  
Contact# 1 800 696-4674

**Pastime Ace Hardware**  
10057 San Pablo Ave.  
El Cerrito, CA  
(510) 652-8522  
<http://www.acehardware.com/>

**Truitt & White Lumber**  
642 Hearst  
Berkeley, CA  
(510) 841-0511  
<http://www.truittandwhitelumber.com/>

#### Toxic Waste Disposal

*Call CM (549-5965). Drop off of paints, solvents, oils, batteries, pesticides, etc. and CM will dispose of them for you. Also refer to the [Recycling](#) section for info on reuse and recycling options.*

#### Vacuum Cleaners/Shampooers

*If purchasing a vacuum, speak with Central Maintenance first (549-5965) about any catalog specials.*

**Berkeley Vacuum Center**  
2108 Berkeley Way  
Berkeley, CA  
(510) 540-6248

**Rents and sells vacuums and shampooers.**

#### Washing Machine Repairs

*CM doesn't repair washers. Check the Yellow pages under the appropriate brand name for the service repair company near you. If your house rents its washers and dryers, contact the rental company or the contracted service repair people listed on the machines. If you own your washers/dryers and would rather rent, contact Coinmach: <http://www.coinmach.com/>*

#### Windows

Aluminum windows are available in the [Glass](#) section and also at:

**V & W Patio Door and Window Co.**  
2815 7th St.  
Berkeley, CA  
(510) 843-2330

*For wood window frames, try:*

**Wooden Window Inc.**  
849 29th Street  
Oakland, CA 94608  
(510) 893-1157  
(510) 834-3662 - Fax

**Strictly wooden windows**

**John L. Staton**  
**1214 5th St.**  
**Berkeley, CA**  
**(510) 527-3114**

**ASAP Custom Windows Inc.**  
**5515 Doyle Street #9 (off Powell)**  
**Emeryville, CA**  
**(510) 601-6901**

**Truitt and White Lumber**  
**642 Hearst Ave.**  
**Berkeley, CA**  
**(510) 841-0511**  
<http://www.truittandwhitelumber.com/>

Robert Prestegaard  
Berkeley, CA  
(510) 528-7774

For installing and refitting wood windows.

*For used wood window frames, try:*  
Urban Ore Salvage and Recycling  
6<sup>th</sup> and Gilman  
Berkeley, CA  
(510) 559-4451  
<http://urbanore.citysearch.com/>

Inexpensive.

#### Window Shades/Covers

**Berkeley Shade Co.**  
**2039 University Ave.**  
**Berkeley, CA**  
**(510) 841-3171**

Consumer Shades  
1803 San Pablo Ave.  
Berkeley, CA  
(510) 527-4442

#### CALMAX

*If your house wants free construction materials, tools, and even durable goods, then check out:*

**CALMAX**classified - THE CALIFORNIA MATERIALS EXCHANGE

<http://www.ciwmb.ca.gov/CalMAX>

Set up by the California Integrated Waste Management Board, this collection of businesses publishes a monthly listing of available and wanted materials. This program reduces waste and allows resourceful industries to save money. Most everything is free, especially to nonprofits like us (or for a small fee). The grade of materials varies—from brand new to old and broken.