

## ***Turning Garbage Into Gold: Strap Disposal & Recyclesclinger Strap***

Anyone who's ever tried to dispose of scrap steel or plastic strap knows how difficult it can be. Loose strap doesn't compact well and tends to form into a loose, nest-like, bundle. Handling of these "nests" is an awkward and potentially dangerous task, particularly in the case of steel, since strap-ends can spring loose into the face or body of a worker. Also, disposal is expensive because loose strap takes up so much dumpster space relative to its weight. Both of these problems can be solved by cutting the strap into smaller pieces.

Hand shears can be used to cut one or two straps, but for larger quantities, a powered strap chopper is the only realistic option. Able to process scrap strap quickly and efficiently, a powered chopper eliminates the fatigue and repetitive strain injuries associated with hand operated tools. Perhaps best of all, once chopped, recyclers will pay a premium for your metal and plastic strap. So, instead of an expense, strap disposal becomes a revenue generating activity. Investing in a quality strap chopper will yield significant financial as well as safety returns that can payback in a few short months.

Do you use strap? Is your organization interested in improving safety, reducing environmental impact? Would you like to reduce your waste disposal costs? We can help you establish a strap recycling program that includes everything from chopping and material separation to storage and pickup. Give us a call at 1-800-665-4040.

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