Tool Donation Guidelines

Our memberships stay affordable with the help of your tool donations!

We are very grateful you are considering the Tool Library with your donation. We can assure you that the tools will go to great use in furthering our mission. While we'd love to accept everything that comes our way, we need to be selective due to member needs, current inventory, and space.

We are most interested in power tools (air compressors, nailers, drills, sanders, pressure washers, tillers, etc) but also happily accept most types of hand tools in very good condition (clamps, pliers, etc). Additionally, we accept other items like party tents, popcorn machines, yard/garden tools, sewing machines, shop vacs, and steam vacuums. The MUD Tool Library is a 501c3 nonprofit, which means your contributions are tax deductible.

Tools We CANNOT Accept:
- Broken tools
- Rusted tools
- Chainsaws
- Small hand tools such as screwdrivers, wrenches, and hammers
- Gas-powered lawn mowers

Tools We CAN Accept:
- Tools in working order
- Battery tools of recent age (5 years or less) with batteries holding a charge and chargers
- Tools of a modern vintage for safety and maintenance reasons. Naturally, there are exceptions to these criteria as some high-quality tools needing a simple repair or of an older vintage may still be valuable to our membership
- Please note that we cannot accept every tool and we reserve the right to turn away, redistribute, or sell tools we cannot use, easily service/repair, or have space to store.

Bring tools in good working condition to the MUD Tool library during our open hours, or contact us at tools@mudproject.org for special arrangements. All donations must be approved by staff before donating (please don’t leave things outside of tool library hours).

We are especially looking for...
- Floor Sander
- Rototillers
- MIG welders
- Compressors
- Demo hammers
- Laminate cutters
- Framing nailers
- Hammer drills
- Sanders

THANK YOU for supporting the MUD Tool Library!