# **BOROUGH OF 2014** Garbage and Recycling Schedule

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**JANUARY 2014** 

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"The Recycling News

**ELECTRONICS** 

#### NO TV'S OR ELECTRONICS WILL BE PICKED UP AT THE CURB.

All TV's and electronics must be brought to the Recycling Center. An electronics container will be available all year long for your convenience for the proper disposal of electonics and TV'S. State law prohibits the disposal of electonics and TV'S in the trash. The following items can be recycled in the electronics container:

- Computers Laptops Monitors TV's
- Desktop printers and printer/fax/copier/scanner combinations
- Computer peripherals, including key boards, mice, hard drives
- Fax machines
   DVD players, VCRs and DVRs
- Cell phones, audio and video equipment, telephone equipment, circuit boards
- Cables, wires, electric lab equipment, scanners, game devices, servers

If you have a very large TV, big screen or console, please visit the Recycling Center and speak with Don Budis to schedule a delivery time. All electronics/TV's

should be placed as far back into the container as possible. No charge for electonic recycling. This dumbster is not for appliances (fans, toasters, microwaves), batteries, calculators, or flourescent bulbs.



#### **SCRAP METAL**

For your convenience, we now have a scrap metal container in the Recycling Center. White goods such as washing machines, dryers and stoves can be brought to the Recycling Center.

However, if you have a refrigerator, freezer, dehumidifier, AC unit or any other Freon appliance, you will have to go to Town Hall and purchase a \$15 coupon to cover the cost of Freon removal. You should also visit the Recycling Center and speak to Don Budis to arrange delivery of large and bulky items. Once you have your coupon and a delivery plan, you can bring your Freon appliance to the Recycling Center when it is open. Hours of operation are Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. and Saturday from 9 a.m. to noon. Also, see page 7 if you prefer to pay to have Freon removed and the certified Freon-free appliance picked up at the curb on Metal Day. <u>REFRIGERATORS AND FREEZERS MUST HAVE DOOR REMOVED.</u>

As in the past, scrap metal items will continue to be collected on the last Wednesday of each month by appointment only, please call 973-598-9800 (see page 10).

EXAMPLES OF SCRAP METAL ITEMS: Metal clothes hangers, metal fencing, metal folding chairs, pots and pans, power tools, fans, metal ladders, small and large appliances, metal pipes, metal hand tools, metal gutters, aluminum siding. If it's metal, you can recycle it. EXCEPTIONS: NO PROPANE OR HELIUM TANKS, NO FIRE EXTINGUISHERS. THANK YOU.

SHREDDED PAPER: Minimize what you shred. If personal information is on one page or the top of the page, just rip off and shred the personal information. At the Recycling Center, place shredded paper in see through TIED AND KNOTTED plastic bags in the bin next to the Salt Shed. See page 3.

RECYCLE BOOKS: You can now recycle hard and soft cover books in the new book drop off bin. DO NOT REMOVE COVERS FROM BOOKS. Are deer eating your flowers? See Page 7



## MORRIS COUNTY MUNICIPAL UTILITIES AUTHORITY



Do not

recycle

plastics coded

**Paper** Recycle office paper, file folders, junk mail, envelopes, flyers, newspapers and inserts, magazines, catalogs, paperbacks and phone books, wrapping paper, paper bags, tissue and cookie boxes, paper towel cores, toilet tissue rolls, frozen food boxes, cartons and boxes used for milk, juice, soup, broth, etc., clean pizza boxes, 6-pack and 12-pack cartons from soda, clean paper ice cream containers. Corrugated cardboard must be flattened. (\*\*Shredded paper - see below)

Recycle plastic containers

(bottles and non-bottles) coded

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Plastic

Plastic caps and lids larger than 3" in diameter are

3" in diameter are РЕТЕ НОРЕ LOPE PP ОТНЕЯ acceptable\*. The smallest acceptable plastic container is a 6- to 8-ounce yogurt cup\*. Containers must be empty.

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**Metal** Recycle aluminum and steel (tin) cans, loose metal jar lids, steel bottle caps, clean aluminum foil, pie plates and trays. Containers must be empty.

**Glass** Recycle glass bottles and jars with caps and lids removed. Recycle loose metal caps and lids. Bottles and jars must be empty.

#### Residential Curbside Collection There is a 50-pound weight limit on recycling containers. If necessary, use multiple recycling

containers. Containers must have handles. Lids are strongly recommended.



973.285.8390 www.mcmua.com The Morris County Municipal Utilities Authority "all-in-one," single-stream recycling collection program allows cans, bottles, cardboard and all other paper to be mixed together for recycling. All of these items can go into one recycling container.

## All items must be empty and free of food residue.

#### No liquids

No garbage \* No plastic items smaller than 6- to 8-ounce yogurt cups; for example, do not recycle small plastic caps or pill bottles. No VHS/VCR tapes No hardcover books No flower pots or trays No window panes, mirrors, glass vases, ceramics, or Pyrex® dishware No stickers or address label sheet waste No plastics other than those listed No metal other than what is listed No electronic waste (batteries, cell phones, computers, etc.) No paint, pesticides, oil & cleaners No plant material or food waste No waxed paper or waxed cardboard No Styrofoam<sup>™</sup> or paper to-go containers No motor oil/anti-freeze containers \*\* No plastic bags

other than for shredded paper \*\* No loose

shredded paper

\*\* Shredded paper must be in clear plastic bags. Nothing else should be in a plastic bag except for shredded paper. Shred only confidential information.



MORRIS COUNTY'S RECYCLING RESOURCE

## Morris County Municipal Utilities Authority

SINGLE-STREAM

# **RECYCLING** Shredded Paper Preparation

DO shred as little paper as possible.

- DO put all shredded paper into clear or see-through plastic bags, such as grocery bags (no dark-colored bags).
- DO tie knots to close the bags securely.
- DO put bags of shredded paper on the ground in front of the single-stream container.
- DO NOT put loose shredded paper into the single-stream containers.
- DO NOT put any other items into the bags of shredded paper.
- DO NOT put any other plastic bags whatsoever into the single-stream containers.

Thank you for cooperating.

Note: Loose shredded paper often falls out of recycling bins while they are being emptied at curbside, and it then becomes litter.

Loose shredded paper ends up in the trash at the single-stream recycling facility because it slips through the cracks during the sorting process.



**Questions**?

Please contact your municipal



### MORRIS COUNTY'S RECYCLING RESOURCE



Morris County Municipal Utilities Authority Morris County's Recycling Resource - www.MCMUA.com





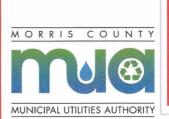
**Unacceptable Large** 

**Rigid Plastics** 

Do not put the following into the Rigid Plastics Container:

PVC ♠ • Polystyrene (Styrofoam\*) ♠ Flower Pots • Flower Trays Computers • Electric Appliances Electronics • Electric Toys Battery-operated Items Chemical or Motor Oil Containers Coolers • Tires • Tool Boxes • Wheels Water Hoses • Vacuum Hoses • Drain Pipes Vinyl Siding • Fiberglass Bags • Rubber Items • 55-Gallon Drums

No Small Plastic Containers or Bottles No Dirt • No Garbage



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Morris County Municipal Utilities Authority - Morris County's Recycling Resource



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## **HOUSEHOLD BATTERY MANAGEMENT**

## Alkaline Batteries

(non-hazardous and use-once) Throw in the Garbage

**1**. Alkaline Batteries - Use-once alkaline batteries such as AAA, AA, C, D and 9-volt batteries now fall below Federal and state hazardous waste standards and can and should be thrown out in the ordinary garbage.

**Z**. Rechargeable Batteries The Rechargeable Battery Recycling Corporation (RBRC) operates Call2Recycle®, a free rechargeable battery recycling program. Home Depot, Radio Shack, Lowe's and Verizon Wireless all participate in the Call2Recycle® program at all their retail locations. These locations are provided with a drop-off box with small plastic bags so the batteries can be individually bagged in accordance with the new DOT



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Rechargeable Batteries (Hazardous and multi-use) Recycle with Call2Recycle®

regulations. The RBRC pays all the costs associated with providing drop-off boxes, including transportation and recycling. Call 1-877-2-RECYCLE or use their website at http://www.call2recycle.org to find the closest public drop-off point.

Batteries covered under the Call2Recycle program include:

- Nickel Cadmium (Ni-Cd)
- Nickel Metal Hydride (Ni-MH)
- Lithium Ion (Li-ion)
- Nickel Zinc (Ni-Zn)
- Small Sealed Lead less than 11 lbs. (Pb) Rechargeable batteries are found in

Rechargeable batteries are found in cordless power tools, cellular and cordless phones, laptop computers. digital cameras, two-way radios, camcorders, and remote control toys. Rechargeable batteries sometimes look like regular



Other Batteries (Hazardous and use-once) Take to Household Hazardous Waste Program

alkaline batteries. The label on the battery will indicate if it is rechargeable. Note that cell phones can also be collected through the Call2Recycle<sup>®</sup> program.

## 3. Other

Batteries - Most button cell batteries still contain mercury and should be taken to a household hazardous waste program for proper management. Lead-acid car and boat batteries (over 11 lbs) should also be taken to a household hazardous waste program. Information about Morris County's household hazardous waste programs can be found at the MCMUA website at mcmua.com/hazardouswaste/index.htm or by calling 973-829-8006.

## **ATTENTION: BUSINESSES, SCHOOLS, AND INSTITUTIONS**

Call2Recycle<sup>®</sup> will provide free-of-charge drop-off boxes to any non-residential entity for the collection and recycling of their own rechargeable batteries. All one has to do is sign up online at http://www.call2recycle.org. Retailers and community recycling centers open to the public will be listed on the Call2Recycle<sup>®</sup> zip code locator and toll-free help-lines to encourage residents to

recycle. Public agencies and businesses can participate in the Call2Recycle<sup>®</sup> program without being advertised as a public drop-off location if they do not want to be listed as such. Since everything is free of charge, the MCMUA is encouraging every business and/or public agency to request a drop-off box for its office or work site.

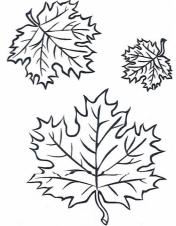
## RECYCLING ORDINANCE CHAPTER 203

www.rockawayborough.com. Click "Borough" and then "Borough Code Book". Residents and businesses should familiarize themselves with this ordinance. Violations and fines can result from non-compliance.

#### LEAVES/SNOW ORDINANCE #183-10

Rockaway Borough Ordinance #183-10 prohibits the throwing of leaves and snow into the streets. Residents are required to put their leaves in brown paper bags or containers and place leaves curbside on scheduled days.







### ARE DEER EATING YOUR FLOWERS?

Try a slow release organic nitrogen fertilizer that can be purchased in garden centers. Sprinkle it in your flower beds, and also make a barrier line about one foot out from of the perimeter of your garden. Repeat every 5-6 weeks of the growing season, starting May 1st. This fertilizer is safe around children, pets and edible crops.

Try choosing perennial flowers (returning yearly) that are more deer resistent such as peony, bee balm, catmint, coreopsis (tickseed) and Montauk daisy. Daffodils are a good bulb choice. Vinca, calendula, snapdragons, lantana and cleome are good annual choices. As most of us Rockaway gardeners know, tulips and hosta are the "caviar" of plants to deer.

For more information or to join the Rockaway Borough Garden Club, call Lynn @ 973-627-8922.

## **BULK ITEMS**

Three bulk items are allowed and will be picked up each week with your garbage. A chair, couch or table, for example, can be put out with the regular garbage. Carpet rolled and tied in a 4' length counts as one item. Three rolls of carpet count as three items. A metal folding chair should not go out as a bulk item with the regular garbage. A metal folding chair should go out on metal day, or bring it to the Recycling Center and place it in the scrap metal container.

### **CONSTRUCTION ITEMS**

Residential construction items can be brought to the Recycling Center in March and September only. Items such as windows, doors, wood, and sheetrock from small do-it-yourself projects can be placed in the dumpster. The dumpster will remain at the Recycling Center until it is full or for one month only. Please note that this dumpster is not to be used for large jobs performed by contractors, and it is not to be used for bulk items that can be put out weekly.

## **METAL ITEMS**

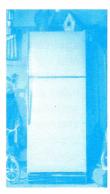
Metal items can be put out the last Wednesday of each month and should not be put out with the weekly garbage or in the construction dumpster. Call 973-598-9800 to make an appointment when you have metal to put at the curb, or bring your metal items to the Recycling Center.

## Refrigerators, Freezers, AC units, & other Freon appliances

must be certified Freon free before placing them at the curb for pick-up on Metal Day. If you purchase a new Freon appliance, it is best to have the old one removed at that time, and probably less costly. Check out NJCEP for refrigerators and freezers. Call 877-270-3520 or visit NJCleanEnergy.com. You may be eligible for a \$30 rebate for your refrigerator or freezer.

Listed below are several companies that will either evacuate the Freon from your old appliance and give you a "Certified Freon Sticker" or take your appliance away. Please call for more information.

- Rod Howarth, LLC, Wharton 973-366-6406
- Ideal Refrigeration Service, Morris Plains, 973-539-0289.
- Morris County Appliance Co., Rockaway, 973-598-1000.
- The Appliance Center, Dover, 973-366-3383.
- Or bring your freon appliance to the Rockaway Borough Recycling Center after you purchase a \$15.00 coupon to cover the cost of freon removal. See Page 1 for more information.



## **SOLUTIONS TO STORMWATER POLLUTION** Easy Things You Can Do Every Day To Protect Our Water

## A Guide to Healthy Habits for Cleaner Water

Pollution on streets, parking lots and lawns is washed by rain into storm drains, then directly to our drinking water supplies and the ocean and lakes our children play in. Fertilizer, oil, pesticides, detergents, pet waste, grass clippings; you name it and it ends up in our water.

Stormwater pollution is one of New Jersey's greatest threats to clean and plentiful water, and that's why we're all doing something about it.



By sharing the responsibility and making small, easy changes in our daily lives, we can keep common pollutants out of stormwater. It all adds up to cleaner water, and it saves the high cost of cleaning up once it's dirty.

As part of New Jersey's initiative to keep our water clean and plentiful and to meet federal requirements, many municipalities and other public agencies including colleges and military bases must adopt ordinances or other rules prohibiting various activities that contribute to stormwater pollution. Breaking these rules can result in fines or other penalties. As a resident, business, or other member of the New Jersey community, it is important to know these easy things you can do every day to protect our water.

#### Limit your use of fertilizers and pesticides

• Do a soil test to see if you need a fertilizer.

• Do not apply fertilizers if heavy rain is predicted.

 Look into alternatives for pesticides.

 Maintain a small lawn and keep the rest of your property or yard in a natural state with trees and other native vegetation

that require little or no fertilizer.

• If you use fertilizers and pesticides, follow the instructions on the label on how to correctly apply it. Make sure you properly store or discard any unused portions.

## Properly use and dispose of hazardous products

• Hazardous products include some household or commercial cleaning products, lawn and garden care products, motor oil, antifreeze, and paints.

• Do not pour any hazardous products down a storm drain because storm drains are usually connected to local waterbodies and the water is not treated.

• If you have hazardous products in your home or workplace, make sure you store or dispose of them properly. Read the label for guidance.

• Use natural or less toxic alternatives when possible.

• Recycle used motor oil.

• Contact your municipality, county or facility management office for the locations of hazardous-waste disposal facilities.

#### Keep pollution out of storm drains

• Municipalities and many other public agencies are required to mark certain storm drain inlets with messages reminding people that storm drains are connected to local waterbodies. • Do not let sewage or other wastes flow into a stormwater system.

#### Clean up after your pet

• Many municipalities and public agencies must enact and enforce local petwaste rules.

• An example is requiring pet owners or their keepers to pick up and properly dispose of pet waste dropped on public or other people's property.

• Make sure you know your town's or agency's requirements and comply with them. It's the law.

#### And remember to:

-Use newspaper, bags or pooper-scoopers to pick up wastes.

-Dispose of the wrapped pet waste in the trash or un-wrapped in a toilet.

-Never discard pet waste in a storm drain.

#### Don't feed wildlife

• Do not feed wildlife, such as ducks and geese, in public areas.

• Many municipalities and other public agencies must enact and enforce a rule that prohibits wildlife feeding in these areas.

#### **Don't litter**

- Place litter in trash receptacles.
- Recycle. Recycle. Recycle.
- Participate in community cleanups.

#### **Dispose of yard waste properly**

Keep leaves and grass out of storm drains.

• If your municipality or agency has yard waste collection rules, follow them.

• Use leaves and grass clippings as a resource for compost.

• Use a mulching mower that recycles grass clippings into the lawn.

#### **Contact information**

For more information on stormwater related topics visit www.njstormwater.org or www.nonpointsource.org Additional information is also available at U. S. Environmental Protection Agency www.epa.gov/npdes/stormwater or

www.epa.gov/nps

New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection

**Division of Water Quality** 

Bureau of Nonpoint Pollution Control Municipal Stormwater Regulation Program (609) 633-7021

## LATEX PAINT DISPOSAL

Latex (also called "water-based") paint is <u>not</u> a hazardous waste and should be disposed of at curbside with the rest of your household waste. Here's how to properly dispose of latex paint:

**1**- Make sure the paint can is 1/2 full or less. (If the can is more than 1/2 full, pour excess into another container, like a milk jug, coffee can, or trash bag.)

2- Add clay-based kitty litter or speedy dry so that the can is 3/4 full.
3- Stir paint/kitty litter or speedy dry mixture.

**4**- If liquid paint remains, add more kitty litter or speedy dry.

**5**- Allow paint/kitty litter or speedy dry mixture to dry until it is no longer pourable. Dispose of mixture in the garbage.

**6-DO NOT PUT THE LID BACK ON THE PAINT CAN!** Empty metal and plastic paint cans and detached lids can be recycled with your bottles and cans.



Oil-based paint is a flammable material. It must be disposed of at a Morris County Household Hazardous Waste Disposal Day or by appointment at the MCMUA permanent facility. Please call 973-829-8006 for more information or to make an appointment.

## HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE

Prepare an inventory prior to calling the MCMUA. Check out the Morris County web site for the latest information on Household Hazardous Waste, www.mcmua.com. You may also call 973-829-8006 for collection dates and sites. Collection dates have not been set up for 2014 as of this printing.



## RECYCLE ALL CARDBOARD

Flattened cardboard should be placed curbside every other Tuesday on Recycling Day, or bring your cardboard to the Recycling Center. <u>Do</u> not use cardboard boxes as a garbage receptacle. Cardboard boxes are recyclable and a marketable commodity.



## VASES - A REUSE PROGRAM

We all like to receive flowers, but what do we do with all those vases? Glass vases are unacceptable in our Recycling Program. Only glass bottles and jars are acceptable.

Since 2002, we have collected 728 vases which have been given to local florists for reuse. If you have unwanted vases or flower stem holders, bring them to the Recycling Center shed and we will box and have them reused. Do not put in single-stream recycling container

## SHREDDED PAPER

Only shred confidential information, try to minimize the amount of shredding you do. <u>Shredded paper should be put in see-</u> <u>through tied and knotted plastic bags</u> so that the bags can be hand pulled from the recycling materials brought to our vendor, ReCommunity. If the shredded paper is not bagged most of it will not get recycled because it will fall through the machinery or get blown away during the sorting process.

## FREE BROCHURES AVALABLE

Please call the town (973-627-2000) if you would like one of the following brochures: "HOME COM-POSTING" OR "GRASS - CUT IT AND LEAVE IT."



## WHEN IN DOUBT, THROW IT OUT

If bottles, small plastic containers and packaging do not have plastic code numbers,



do not recycle them. This extra handling costs time and money. Only recycle what our vendors can accept. Also check guidelines for rigid plastics on pages 4 & 5. Recycle acceptable items and do not recycle unacceptable items. Thank you.

## INKJET AND TONER CARTRIDGES

Inkjet and toner cartridges can be brought to the Rockaway Borough Recycling Center. This is a recycling and fund raising effort sponsored by the Rockaway Borough Home and School association.



**Pick-Up Schedules** 

ONE PIECE

#### **GRASS, LEAVES, BRUSH COLLECTION**

AVING THE EARTH

Place leaves and grass in biodegradable brown paper bags or open containers with handles. Keep brush separate from grass and leaves. Do not sweep leaves into the gutter or street. Branches or brush must be tied with string in bundles not to exceed 18 inches in diameter and 4 feet in length. No limbs or brush over 3 inches in diameter will be accepted.

#### **GARBAGE COLLECTION**

Garbage will be collected on Thursday or Friday (see below). To avoid missing pickup, please put containers out the night before. A maximum of three (3) 32-gallon containers per week per residence will be collected. Each container should have handles and be covered with a lid, containers having a filled weight not to exceed 50 lbs. In addition, 3 bulky items such as furniture will be picked up weekly with the garbage.

#### **ROUTE A**: Garbage - Thursday Grass - Leaves - Brush - 2nd and 4th Wednesday (April 1 - Dec. 15, 2014)

Adams Street Addison Avenue Andrea Drive Arbor Avenue **Baker Street** Birchwood Road Cedar Lane **Centennial Drive** Chester Avenue **Chestnut Terrace** Crestwood Road David Drive **Dominic Drive** Duncan Lane Easton Avenue Elycroft Avenue East Elycroft Avenue West **Farview Drive** Farview Road **Glenview Place** Harrison Avenue Hemlock Road **Hickory Place Highview** Avenue Hyland Avenue Kelly Court Lakeside Drive Lawrence Drive Lindbergh Lane Longview Road

Mannino Drive Marshall Avenue **McKinley Drive** Meadowview Avenue Monroe Place Mountain Road Mt. Pleasant Avenue Nichols Drive Overlook Drive Philip Drive **Pleasant Place Robert Street** Rose Lane Route 46 from W. Main Street to Franklin Avenue Spruce Street **Stephen Place** Swedes Mine Road Sweetbriar Road Sylvan Way Valley View Road W. Longview Road W. Main Street from Lakeside Drive westerly to Route 46 Walnut Place White Birch Drive William Drive Willow Avenue Woodland Avenue

## RECYCLE CARDBOARD Do not use boxes as garbage containers.

**MAJOR HOLIDAYS:** New Year's Day, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day and Christmas Day. When these holidays fall on a Thursday or Friday, garbage will be collected the following day.

TIME

#### SCRAP METAL COLLECTION

Scrap metal items should be put at curbside the day before a scheduled pickup. Refrigerators, freezers, and air conditioners must be certified Freon free or they will not be picked up. **See page 1**. Scrap Metal will be collected the last Wednesday of each month **by appoint-**<u>ment only</u>. Please call 973-598-9800.

#### **RECYCLING COLLECTION**

See page 11 for the Recycling Schedule, which is every other Tuesday starting on January 14, 2014. Place recycling at the curb the Monday night before collection.

#### **ROUTE B**: Garbage - Friday Grass - Leaves - Brush - 1st and 3rd Wednesday (April 1 - Dec. 15, 2014)

Academy Street Adler Court Ann Street **Bank Street Barnett Street Beach Street Broad Street Brook Street Burton Lane** Central Avenue Chateau Gardens Church Street Cobb Street Dock Street Donna Drive Douglas Road Drake Avenue E. Flagge Street E. Main St. from Jackson Ave. easterly to Route 46 E. New Street Elm Street Franklin Avenue Garden Avenue George Street Gill Avenue Halsey Avenue Hibernia Avenue **Highland** Avenue Hillside Avenue Hill Street Hoagland Avenue Jackson Avenue James Court Jay Street Jefferson Street

John Street Keller Avenue Kelsey Street Laurelwood Drive Liberty Place Lincoln Avenue Maple Avenue Maplewood Drive Marylin Drive Mill Lane Mott Place Oak Street Ogden Avenue **Orchard Street** Pine Street Rockaway Avenue Rockwood Drive Rt. 46 from E. Main Street to Franklin Avenue Seminole Avenue Seward Street Short Street Stickle Avenue Summit Street Union Street Van Duyne Avenue W. Flagge Street W. Lincoln Avenue W. New Street Wall Street W. Main St. from Jackson Ave. to Lakeside Drive White Meadow Avenue Woods Edge on Route 46 Woodside Avenue Woodstone Road

CURBSID	ERECYCLI	NG DAYS
Recycling Days 2014January 14, 28July 1, 15, 29February 11, 25August 12, 26March 11, 25September 9, 23April 8, 22October 7, 21May 6, 20November 4, 18June 3, 17December 2, 16,All containers must have handles and st weigh no more than 50 pounds when the statement of the s	30 information, please visi recycling day is skipp RECYCLABLES Call after 3:00 p.m. to report if your rec the following day. The direct phone num Please leave your name, phone, address, bould	weather, for up-to-the-minute t www.mcmua.com. If your ed, it will not be made up. NOT PICKED UP? yclables were not picked up or before 9:30 a.m. nber to the MUA, our hauler, is 973-659-3490. town and item missed in the general mail box.
RECYCLIN	IG SPECIF	ICATIONS
AEROSOL CANS (Must be empty)	How to prepare Remove & throw away plastic cap. Cans must be empty. Do not recycle if labeled flam- mable, hazardous or poisonous.	Where to Recycle Curbside pickup or at Recycling Center.
BATTERIES - CAR		Recycle at point of purchase or take to Birch Tire on Route 46.
BATTERIES - ALKALINE	Throw in Trash.	Throw in Trash, see page 6
BATTERIES - RECHARGEABLE	Ends to be taped or put in plastic bags.	See page 6. Recycling Center
BATTERIES - OTHER	Ends to be taped or put in plastic bags.	See page 6. Recycling Center
BOOKS - SOFT COVER/HARD COVER	Clean dry books only. Discard wet or moldy books.	Recycling Center Book bin. <b>No encyclopedias.</b>
BOXES •Corrugated Cardboard •Cereal, Tissue, Gift Type Boxes •Dairy & Frozen Food Boxes/Cartons •Beer and Soda Packaging	Recycle in sturdy container. FLATTEN ALL BOXES Do not tie or tape.	Curbside pickup or at Recycling Center
BRANCHES & BRUSH	Tie in bundles not to exceed 18 inches in diameter and 4 feet in length.	Place at curbside (see page 10).
CANS •Aluminum and Steel Food and Beverage Cans. Do not recycle petroleum or pesticide containers.	Rinse to discourage odors, bugs, bees and rodents. Place in sturdy container <b>Do not recycle petroleum or pesticide containers.</b>	Curbside pickup or at Recycling Center.
CELL PHONES/ATTACHMENTS COMPUTER, MONITORS, LAPTOPS AND TV'S	Place in ziplock bag. Before bringing a large or very large TV, make an appointment with the recycling attendant.	Recycling Center Shed. Bring to Recycling Center. See Page 1. Put electronics in electronics container.
CONSTRUCTION DEBRIS	Call 973-347-8106, the Mt. Olive Transfer Station for cost, info, and size limit of transport vehicle	Responsibility of contractor or home owner.
EYE GLASSES	Sponsored by Rockaway Twp. Lions Club. More info call Carol Tauber 973-983-8922	Borough or Township Library or Municipal Office
FLUORESCENT LIGHT BULBS ALL SIZES	Bring loose or in original packaging. Do not tape together. Place gently in boxes in the Recycling Shed.	Recycling Center Shed. Institutions and businesses should contact Tom Burbridge at the MCMUA to set up a fluorescent light program 973-829-8006.
GLASS BOTTLES & JARS •Remove and recycle metal lids separately. •Discard plastic lids Do not recycle petroleum or pesticide containers.	Remove lids and rinse to discourage odors, bugs, bees and rodents. Place in sturdy container with cans. <b>Do not recycle petroleum</b> <b>or pesticide containers.</b>	Curbside pickup or at Recycling Center.
GRASS	Brochures available at Town Hall.	Cut it and leave it on your lawn. Also see page 10 for placing at curbside.
HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE SEE PAGE 9	Explain what you have, and they will answer your questions. County will also accept hazardous batteries and used motor oil.	County-sponsored collections plus permanent facility. For appointments, call Morris County Municipal Utilities Authority 973-829-8006.
INKJET CARTRIDGES - TONER CARTRIDGES	Bag and tape ends separately.	Recycling Center.
JUNK MAIL - MIXED PAPER - MAGAZINES BROWN PAPER BAGS - NEWSPAPERS	Place in sturdy container. <b>Do not tie or tape.</b> <b>Remove all plastic mailing wrappers.</b>	Curbside pickup or at Recycling Center.
LEAVES	Compost and start a mulch pile. Call Town Hall for brochure.	Use in gardens and flower beds. Also see page 10 for placing at curbside.

RECYC	LING SPECIFICA	TIONS
CONCRETE OR ASPHALT	How to prepare Call Tilcon 800-789-7625. For commercial use, not residential.	Where to Recycle Tilcon (formerly Mt. Hope Rock Products)
PAINT CANS (Metal or Plastic) EMPTY AND DRY RECYCLE LIDS SEPARATELY	Remove lid. Must be empty and dry. Film residue on can is ok. Place in sturdy container. See Page 9.	Curbside pickup or at Recycling Center
PLASTIC BAGS	Must be clean, empty and dry. No black plastic garbage bags.	Look for the plastic bag recycling container at your supermarket.
PLASTIC BOTTLES/CONTAINERS CODED Do not recycle petroleum, anti-freeze or pesticide containers.	Rinse to discourage bees, odors and rodents. Place in sturdy container. <b>Do not recycle</b> <b>petroleum, anti-freeze or pesticide contain-</b> <b>ers.</b> Remove plastic caps and put in red bin on ground.	Curbside pickup or Recycling Center
POLYSTYRENE PEANUTS (No biodegradeable peanuts)	Clean and dry. Put into a plastic bag.	UPS Store located at Franklin Plaza, Route 46
<b>PROPANE GAS CYLINDERS</b> (BBQ sized or smaller)	Call 973-829-8006 (MCMUA) Call 973-627-1978 (A&A)	Morris County Household Hazardous Waste Program (\$5.00 fee) or A&A Propane Company (\$5.00 fee)
SCRAP METAL & WHITE GOODS •Brass •Copper •Aluminum •Steel	See page 7 for metal pick up procedures. Last Wednesday of each month. <b>New Scrap Metal container, See Page 1.</b>	Call to schedule curbside pickup 973-598- 9800 or BRING TO RECYCLING CENTER.
SIX-PACK PLASTIC RING HOLDERS	Bring loose, do not tie or clip together. Do not cut.	Recycling Center tree
TELEPHONE BOOKS	Recycle with junk mail and other paper.	Curbside pickup or Recycling Center
TIRES	Purchase a coupon at Town Hall. (\$2.00 for all passenger tires and small truck tires up to 16". \$3.00 if rims have not been removed).	Bring tires and receipt to the Recycling Center when it is open.
TREE STUMPS, 5 FT. LOGS, BRANCHES	Call 1-800-637-4140 for information	Natures Choice. Roll Offs Available.
USED CLOTHING, LINENS, TOYS, SHOES	Put into manageable sized plastic bags.	Recycling Center clothing bin.
USED MOTOR OIL	Put into clean container. Do not mix with any other substance. Limit 5 gallons per visit. Rockaway residents should sign in at the Denville Recycling Center	Denville Recycling Center (when open). Jiffy Lube on Route 46 (Monday thru Thursday only). Advanced Auto
VASES	Rinse. Clean vases are reused by our local florists.	Recycling Center Shed

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21-25 Union Street Rockaway, NJ 07866

Hours: Mon., Wed., Fri. 9:00 - 2:00 Sat. 9:00 - 12:00



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