

WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP RECYCLING

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Saturday 8:00 am to 12:00 pm

1ST Wednesday of the month 8:00 am to 12:00 pm

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KEEP HANDY FOR DAILY REFERENCE
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*THE RECYCLING CENTER LOCATED ON ROCK ROAD IS AVAILABLE FOR USE BY
****WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP, MORRIS COUNTY RESIDENTS ONLY****
DURING OPERATIONAL DAYS AND HOURS AS LISTED ABOVE.
PROOF OF RESIDENCY MAY BE REQUIRED.*

DURING INCLEMENT WEATHER, THE CENTER MAY BE CLOSED. NOTIFICATION WILL BE POSTED ON THE TOWNSHIP WEBSITE AND ON RADIO WRNJ.

COMMERCIAL & INSTITUTIONAL FACILITIES may bring materials to the center on the 1st Wednesday of the month
For the safety of the staff, containers holding recyclables must weigh 35 pounds or LESS.
Staff will be happy to assist residents in removing their items from vehicles.
RESIDENTS SHOULD CHECK WITH THEIR INDIVIDUAL HAULERS FOR THEIR RECYCLING POLICIES

****SINGLE STREAM RECYCLING AT THE RECYCLING CENTER****

ACCEPTABLE ITEMS

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 and toilet tissue cores, 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.

Aluminum and steel (tin) cans, loose metal jar lids, steel bottle caps.

Plastic bottles & non-containers coded # 1, # 2, # 5. Plastic caps and lids larger than 3" in diameter are acceptable. The smallest acceptable plastic container is an 8-ounce yogurt cup.

Glass bottles & jars. Remove & recycle metal caps and lids. All items must be empty, dry, and clean.

UNACCEPTABLE ITEMS

SEE UNACCEPTABLE FLYER ON LAST PAGE.

NO PLASTIC BAGS EXCEPT FOR SHREDDED PAPER.

DO NOT TIE ANY MATERIALS.

ALL ITEMS MUST BE EMPTY, DRY, AND FREE OF FOOD RESIDUE.

******RIGID PLASTIC ITEMS******

There is a designated container for RIGID PLASTIC ITEMS:
PLASTIC TOYS, WASTEBASKETS, LAUNDRY BASKETS, SODA AND MILK CRATES, PLASTIC PET CARRIERS, KITTY LITTER BUCKETS, PLASTIC STORAGE CONTAINERS, PLASTIC GARBAGE AND RECYCLING CONTAINERS, PLASTIC OUTDOOR FURNITURE WITHOUT PVC PIPES, PLASTIC 5 GALLON BUCKETS (REMOVE ALL METAL COMPONENTS).

NO GAS/OIL CONTAINERS, HANGERS, MEDICINE BOTTLES, FLOWER POTS OR TRAYS

*****E WASTE DISPOSAL*****

THERE IS A DESIGNATED CONTAINER FOR E WASTE AT THE RECYCLING CENTER ON ROCK ROAD:
ONLY TELEVISIONS, COMPUTERS, MONITORS, TABLETS, LAPTOPS, DESKTOP PRINTER, DESKTOP FAX. NO KEYBOARDS.

UNACCEPTABLE ITEMS INCLUDE KEYBOARDS, COMPUTER MICE, WIRES, CARTRIDGES, PROJECTORS, PRINTERS, SCANNERS, VIDEO GAME CONSOLES, DVD PLAYERS, STEREOS, TELECOMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT, VCERS, MICROWAVES, TELEPHONES, CELL PHONES, AIR CONDITIONERS, REFRIGERATORS, FREEZERS, TOASTERS/TOASTER OVENS, VACUUMS, LEAF BLOWERS, DEHUMIDIFIERS, COFFEE POTS/MAKERS, RADIOS, GARAGE DOOR OPENERS

RESIDENTS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR UNLOADING THEIR OWN ITEMS.
ASSISTANCE WILL BE PROVIDED UPON AVAILABILITY

AT THIS TIME THERE IS NO CHARGE TO WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP FOR THE DISPOSAL OF E WASTE MATERIALS. THEREFORE THERE WILL BE NO CHARGE TO RESIDENTS AT THIS TIME. IF CHARGES TO THE TOWNSHIP ARE APPLIED IN THE FUTURE, A SMALL COST TO RESIDENTS WILL BE INCURRED. THIS PROGRAM IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE DEPENDING ON AVAILABILITY OF E WASTE HAULER.

Residents of Morris County may also bring their e-waste items to the Hazardous Waste Facility on Gold Mine Road, Flanders by appointment only. TELEPHONE: 973-829-8006

The MCMUA holds Household Hazardous Waste drop-off events at various times of the year. No e-waste at drop-off events. Information for these events can be found on www.MCMUA.com

MATERIALS THAT HAVE CONTAINED FREON (air conditioners, dehumidifiers, freezers, refrigerators) should be brought to:

IDEAL REFRIGERATION, MORRIS PLAINS NJ

TELEPHONE: 973-539-0289

GREEN VISION, RANDOLPH, NJ

TELEPHONE: 973-998-7955

ABSOLUTELY NO AIR CONDITIONERS, REFRIGERATORS, FREEZERS, DEHUMIDIFIERS WILL BE ACCEPTED AT THE WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP RECYCLING CENTER

NEW JERSEY CLEAN ENERGY PROGRAM ACCEPTS USED APPLIANCES SUCH AS REFRIGERATORS, FREEZERS, WATER HEATERS, CLOTHES WASHERS/ DRYERS. REBATES MAY BE AVAILABLE FOR SOME APPLIANCES. PLEASE CONTACT NEW JERSEY CLEAN ENERGY PROGRAM ON THE NJCE WEBSITE OR BY TELEPHONE AT 866-657-6278.

RESIDENTS ARE ENCOURAGED TO CONTACT THEIR TRASH HAULERS TO SEE IF THEY WILL PICK UP THE APPLIANCES CURB SIDE AS PART OF THEIR RECYCLING PROGRAM.

BATTERIES

AUTO AND TRUCK - accepted at Recycling Center

DRY CELL BATTERIES – not accepted at Recycling Center or Library

NON-RECHARGEABLE/ ALKALINE BATTERIES - THROW IN REGULAR TRASH.

OTHER BATTERIES - such as button cell batteries should be taken to Household Hazardous

Waste in Mount Olive for proper disposal by *appt.only*.

TELEPHONE: 973-829-8006

RECHARGEABLE BATTERIES will be accepted at Target and Verizon Wireless and at the Mount Olive Hazardous Waste Facility with appointment only.

MOTOR OIL

USED ENGINE OIL – accepted at Recycling Center. Residents must bring oil in their own container which will be returned to them after being emptied.

LEAVES AND BRUSH

Accepted only between SEPTEMBER 1ST AND DECEMBER 1ST during regular Recycling Hours

Brush not to exceed 3" in diameter, 3' in length, and must be tied; stumps are not accepted

DO NOT PUT LEAVES IN STREETS - SUMMONSES MAY BE ISSUED

Non-commercial residences of 2 acres or less; leaves must be bagged; bags to be removed by resident

Stumps may be accepted at Northeast Products in Ledgewood.
(There is a fee for this service)

TELEPHONE: 973-584-5595

****Grass Clippings are Not Accepted at the Recycling Center****

CLOTHING

CLOTHING AND SHOES ARE ACCEPTED at the WT Recycling Center.

No bedding or linens are accepted.

PLEASE put items *in the Clothing Container and not on the ground.*

NO TRASH is to be placed in or by the clothing container

CHECK OUT THE WEBSITE FOR MORRIS HABITAT RESTORE

Morris Habitat ReStore is a facility located at 274 South Salem Street in Randolph. They accept donations of household items and also sell items that have been gently used.

E mail: www.morrishabitat.org

TELEPHONE : 973-366-3358

HOUSEHOLD ITEMS FOR DISPOSAL

WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP NO LONGER HAS A BULKY ITEM DISPOSAL PROGRAM.

MORRIS COUNTY TRANSFER STATION, GOLD MINE ROAD IN FLANDERS WILL ACCEPT OLD FURNITURE, TOYS, CONSTRUCTION MATERIAL, ETC. FOR DISPOSAL ONLY. FEE CHARGED. NO COMMERCIAL VEHICLES.

INFO: WWW.MCMUA.COM

FLUORESCENT LIGHT BULBS Broken fluorescent bulbs are garbage.

Compact fluorescent bulbs (unbroken) accepted at MUA's HHW facility *by appt.*

TELEPHONE: 973-829-8006

Smoke Detectors: Return to manufacturer listed on back of detector.

UNKNOWN MATERIALS

If unlabeled or unidentifiable, please call for authorization to bring the material to the MCMUA.

TELEPHONE: 973-829-8006

LATEX PRODUCTS: are non-hazardous, water based paints that should be dried out and disposed of in the garbage. To dry out, remove lid and add an absorbent material such as kitty litter to speed the drying process.

Medical Waste: Contact area hospitals.

Proper disposal of sharps: www.morriscountynj.gov, www.fda.gov, www.safeneedledisposal.info

Prescription drug drop box program: <https://sheriff.morriscountynj.gov/community/drug>