

RECYCLING GUIDE AT A GLANCE – 2009

*Paper, Cardboard, Glass Bottles & Jars, Tin & Aluminum Cans and Plastic Bottles are collected **Weekly!!***

RECYCLABLES	HOW TO PREPARE	YES	NO! NO!
PAPER/ CARDBOARD	*place in paper bags or tie w/ string in bundles*place paper inside cardboard boxes *consolidate as much as possible *never put papers in plastic bags, even when raining *never tie w/wire or tape	*newspaper *magazines *computer paper *paper bags *office/school papers *junk mail *shredded paper *envelopes *corrugated cardboard *cereal boxes *tissue boxes, macaroni boxes, paper towel rolls	*soiled/food contaminated paper or cardboard *plastic or wax coated *boxes containing styrofoam
GLASS BOTTLES & JARS	*rinse clean *do not break glass	*rinsed glass bottles & jars only *green, brown & clear bottles & jars	*window glass *ceramics *mirrors *TV tubes *pyrex light bulbs *dishes
ALUMINUM & STEEL FOOD CANS	*rinse thoroughly	*rinsed food *beverage *cookie tins	*aluminum foil *oil & paint cans
PLASTIC BOTTLES ONLY	*bottles only *rinse thoroughly	*it must be a bottle *the bottles must have a #1, 2, 3 or 4 on the bottom	*no non-bottles items such as #5, 6 & 7 *microwave trays *motor oil/pesticides

TRASH & RECYCLING IS TO BE PLACED CURBSIDE NO LATER THAN 6:30 AM ON YOUR DESIGNATED PICK-UP DAY

*Recycling containers should have a four (4) foot clearance all the way around *Glass, cans, plastic bottles, paper and cardboard may be commingled in one container **ALL CARDBOARD SHOULD BE BROKEN DOWN TO SAVE SPACE IN THE AUTOMATED RECYCLING CONTAINER* ***Do not put recyclables in plastic bags!!**

Residents may only drop off any of the following recyclables (*no garbage/trash*) at the Public Works Dept. located at 1040 Glassboro Rd., between the hours of 7 am and 3 pm, Monday through Friday: Paper, Cardboard, Aluminum & Steel Cans, Glass Bottles & Jars, Plastic Beverage, Food and Detergent Bottles, Used Motor Oil, Automotive Batteries, Household Batteries (excluding A, C, D & E – alkaline), Appliances, Lite Iron and Computers/Monitors.

*BETWEEN THE MEMORIAL DAY AND LABOR DAY HOLIDAY HOURS OF OPERATION WILL BE
6:30 A.M. - 2:30 P.M.*

2009 HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

HOLIDAYS THAT FALL ON A MON. THROUGH THURS. - TRASH & RECYCLABLES WILL BE PICKED-UP ONE DAY LATE. **EXCEPTION: THANKSGIVING-WHICH FALLS ON A THURSDAY WILL BE PICKED-UP THE DAY AFTER WHICH IS FRIDAY.**

THE FOLLOWING IS A LIST OF ALL TOWNSHIP SCHEDULED HOLIDAYS:

New Year's Day – Thursday, January 1, 2009
Martin Luther King - Monday, January 19, 2009
President's Day - Monday, February 16, 2009
Good Friday - Friday, April 10, 2009
Easter Monday - Monday, April 13, 2009
Memorial Day - Monday, May 25, 2009
Fourth of July – Friday, July 3, 2009

Labor Day - Monday, September 7, 2009
Election Day - Tuesday, November 3, 2009
Veteran's Day – Wednesday, November 11, 2009
Thanksgiving - Thursday, November 26, 2009
Fri. after Thanksgiving - Friday, November 27, 2009
Christmas – Friday, December 25, 2009

HOUSEHOLD TRASH/GARBAGE

Household trash/garbage will be accepted at the Public Works facility on a specific day and time designated by the Public Works Dept. Please contact us at 856-629-4444 or 856-740-0241 for disposal information.

PLACEMENT OF GARBAGE/RECYCLING RECEPTACLES & ODD STOPS

Chapter 239-6 – Receptacles or other items to be disposed of shall be placed outside at the designated area after 6 p.m. of the day immediately preceding the day of collection. After collection, any empty containers shall be removed from the curbside promptly, but not later than 8 p.m. the day of collection.

SINGLE STREAM RECYCLING PROGRAM

Recycling Just Got Easier!!

Effective April 1, 2007, Monroe Township began "Single Stream" recycling. Residents may mix all recyclables; paper, cardboard, glass bottles and jars, tin and aluminum cans and plastic bottles in one container.

90% of the automated recycling routes have been successfully established. During the first quarter of 2009 the automated recycling program shall be complete throughout the township.

The remaining residents will receive a 64 gallon automated collection container for the disposal of all recyclable material. Upon delivery of the recyclable container residents will receive documentation regarding all procedures and guidelines of the program.

CONSTRUCTION/REMODELING/ DEMOLITION DEBRIS

Construction/Remodeling/Demolition debris may be disposed of at the Gloucester County Solid Waste Complex located in South Harrison. **THERE WILL BE NO DISPOSAL OF CONSTRUCTION/REMODELING/DEMOLITION DEBRIS AT THE MUNICIPAL PUBLIC WORKS FACILITY.** For additional disposal information and vehicle types the Gloucester County Solid Waste Complex may be reached at 856-478-6045.

HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE

Paints, pesticides, antifreeze and other household chemicals should be delivered to the Gloucester County designated hazardous waste facility.

HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE (cont.)

The Gloucester County Improvement Authority host special waste collection days in the spring and the fall each year. For more information call 856-478-6045, ext. 13. Motor oil may be brought directly to the Monroe Township Public Works Complex.

Please Note – If A Homeowner's Garbage Is Found To Be Mixed With Recyclables It Will Be **THE HOMEOWNER'S Responsibility To Separate Such Items.*

MONROE TOWNSHIP WILL NOT COLLECT AND DISPOSE OF CONTAMINATED GARBAGE.

If you have any questions or concerns you may contact the Public Works Department at 856-629-4444 or 856-740-0241. You may also view our website at www.monroetownshipnj.org.

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