



# 2021 RECYCLING & SOLID WASTE NEWSLETTER

## Dear Dover Residents and Friends,

It gives me great pleasure to present the **2021 Recycling & Solid Waste Newsletter** to you. The information contained herein is helpful in maintaining safety, a high quality of life for our hometown, and will ensure that we **Keep Dover Beautiful!** Should you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to email me at [cblackman@dover.nj.us](mailto:cblackman@dover.nj.us) or call me (973) 366-2200 x. 1144. I look forward to hearing from you and serving you in 2021.

Over the years, we have made many improvements to our Municipal Recycling Center, which is located at 211 North Sussex Street at the *Richard Newman Public Works Facility*. Continuing this year, the Recycling Center is open and staffed six days out of the week (closed Sundays) from 8:00 am to 2:00 pm. Staff will be on hand during all open hours to monitor and to maintain the Recycling Center. We will continue to accept White Goods, Appliances and Electronics at the Recycling Center **at no cost to our residents**. "White Goods" are defined as all large appliances such as washers, dryers, refrigerators, etc. whether they are actually white in color or not.

For your convenience, Brush & Garden Trimmings curbside collection will continue on its expanded schedule on Thursdays and Fridays (see schedule). Natural Christmas trees can be placed curbside daily M-F from January 4th through January 29, 2021. Any natural garland or wreaths with wire frames must have the metal removed in order to recycle them with natural trees.

In order to keep our community safe from fraud, I am very pleased that we are again offering a paper shredding event on Saturday May 1, 2021, as long as safety permits. If you plan to attend the event, please be sure to abide by whatever the Centers for Disease Control (CDC) guidelines are in effect at that time.

As always, I greatly appreciate your kind support and I remain honored and humbled to serve you as your Mayor.

Respectfully,

Carolyn Blackman  
Mayor

## Questions? (DIAL 973-366-2200)

- **Solid waste or recycling missed?**  
Call the Health Dept. x1120
- **Do you have general solid waste or recycling?**  
Call Health Dept. x1120
- **Property maintenance issues?**  
Call Code Enforcement Dept. x2114

## Solid Waste Notes:

- Your solid waste cans shall be placed at the curb by 6:00 AM on your scheduled collection day, and no earlier than 5:00 PM on the prior evening. Receptacles must be removed by 8:00 PM on collection day.
- You may place for collection a maximum of two cans or bags (30lb. max per bag or can) at the curb for pick-up, two times per week. Additional bags or cans will only be collected if a sticker has been purchased from the Town's Health Dept.
- If your pick-up day is canceled due to a holiday or inclement weather, **no make-up date** will be scheduled. However, you will be allowed to put out double on your next scheduled collection day.
- Stickers must be purchased from the Town Health Dept. prior to pick-up of furniture/bulky waste items (sofas, chairs, mattresses, etc.) These items will be picked up by the Town's Solid Waste Hauler on the day of your regular solid waste pick-up. **All solid waste containers shall be furnished with a tight fitting lid.**

## Recycling Notes:

- Residents whose recyclables were missed must contact the Health Department before 10:00 AM on the Monday morning following the collection day at 973-366-2200, Ext. 2120.
- The Recycling Center - located on 211 North Sussex St. - is open on Monday - Saturday from 8:00 AM to 2:00 PM
- Please identify which receptacles are solid waste and which are for recycling. (Stickers available upon request in the Health Dept.) Place containers at curbside by 6:00 AM. **Containers shall not exceed 30lbs, and shall have a tight fitting lid.**
- Stickers must be purchased from the Health Department prior to the pick-up of tires and white goods (appliances). Stickers must be purchased by 3:00 PM on Thursday for Friday pick-up.

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# Town of Dover

## MORRIS COUNTY MUNICIPAL UTILITIES AUTHORITY

### SINGLE-STREAM all-in-one RECYCLING

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.

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 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. (\*For shredded paper preparation, see below.)

Recycle plastic containers (bottles and non-bottles) coded:

Plastic caps and lids larger than 3" in diameter are acceptable. The smallest acceptable plastic container is an 8-ounce yogurt cup. Containers must be empty.



Recycle aluminum and steel (tin) cans, loose metal jar lids, steel bottle caps, clean aluminum foil, pie plates and trays.

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

#### IMPORTANT

\*Recycling containers must not exceed 50 pounds. 32-gallon containers are recommended.

\*Only use plastic bags for shredded paper. All other material must be loose in a container, not in a bag.

\*Do not tie cardboard or newspapers, put in reusable containers loose, or stack folded boxes into one box.

\*Label your recycling containers with free decals from your town or the MCMUA.

\*If necessary, use multiple recycling containers. Containers must have handles. Lids are strongly recommended.

Do not  
recycle  
plastics  
coded



All items must be empty, dry, and free of food residue.

No liquids

No cups

No plastic items smaller than 8-ounce yogurt cups; for example, do not recycle small plastic caps or pill bottles

No VHS/VCR tapes

No hangers

No hardcover books

No flower pots or trays

No plant material or food waste

No window panes, mirrors, glass vases, ceramics, or Pyrex® dishware

No glass, plastics or metal other than what is listed

No electronic waste (batteries, cell phones, computers, etc.)

No paint, pesticides, oil and cleaners

No waxed paper

No waxed cardboard

No Styrofoam™ or paper to-go containers

No stickers or address label sheet waste

No spray pumps or nozzles

No straws

No motor oil, gas or anti-freeze containers

No clothing, textiles, or shoes

No insulated box liners

No hoses

No diapers

No garbage

Do not tie newspapers or cardboard

\*No loose shredded paper

No plastic bags other than for 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.

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This flyer has been prepared by the Morris County Municipal Utilities Authority ("MCMUA") for material being recycled at the ReCommunity Recycling facility located in Mine Hill, NJ. For more information about recycling and solid waste management in Morris County, NJ contact the MCMUA at: [www.MCMUA.com](http://www.MCMUA.com)

# Household Hazardous Wastes

Household Hazardous Wastes may be taken to Morris County MUA Facility located at 168 Goldmine Road in Flanders (Mt. Olive), NJ 07836. All deliveries are **by appointment only**. Call 973-829-8006 for schedules and additional information.

## Acceptable HHW

- E-Waste - Televisions, Computers, Monitors, Laptops, Printers, Fax Machines, Scanners & Audio Equipment.
- Oil-Based Paints and Varnishes, Stains, Lacquers (liquid or solidified)
- Solvents & Paint Thinners
- Propane Cylinders (BBQ sized propane cylinders cost \$5/cyl. at permanent HHW facility & there is no charge for camping stove-sized propane cyl.)
- Pesticides & Herbicides
- Pool Chemicals & Chlorine
- Batteries, if they are rechargeable and/or hazardous dry-cell batteries (button-cell and lithium). Alkaline Batteries are not hazardous and are not accepted (put them into the garbage)
- Batteries for Car & Boat (Lead-Acid)
- Automotive Fluids such as Oil, Antifreeze & Brake, Transmission & Steering Fluids etc.
- Gasoline (must be transported in certified gas can)
- Automotive Cleaning Products
- Thermometers & Thermostats containing Mercury
- Fluorescent Light Bulbs and CFLs that contain Mercury
- Asbestos in small quantities, must be under 100 lbs., wet down, double bagged, sealed with duct tape, and sized to fit into 55-gallon drums.
- Kerosene
- Aerosol Cans
- Driveway Sealant & Roofing Tar if they contain coal tar or petroleum distillates.
- Adhesives
- Caulks

- Cooking Oils
- Photography Chemicals
- Nail Polish
- Nail Polish Remover (Acetone)
- Muriatic Acid
- Caustic Cleaning Materials
- Fire Extinguishers

## Unacceptable HHW

- Explosives or Highly Reactive materials since these may be dangerous! Always call first for safety instructions. DO NOT bring these materials without prior authorization! These dangerous items include, but are not limited to the following:
  - Picric Acid
  - Isopropyl Ether
  - Calcium Carbide
  - Perchloric Acid
  - Benzoyl Peroxide
- Materials in containers larger than 5 Gallons in size
- Dried, Hard, Solid Latex Paint or Empty Paint Cans; these are accepted for disposal at the transfer stations with other non-hazardous solid waste. Residents should remove the lids from these dried-out cans and dispose of both types into their household garbage.
- Latex or Water-Based Paints are not hazardous and are not accepted at MCMUA hazardous waste disposal programs. Latex paint may be safely disposed of in garbage when it is dried out. Dry out latex paint cans by stirring absorbent material such as cat litter into the paint. The paint will harden within a few minutes. Leave the lid off the can, put the

lid and the can into the regular garbage. A hazardous waste handling fee of \$1.25/pound is charged for latex paint. Latex paint will not be accepted whatsoever during one-day hazardous waste disposal events.

- Tires
- Smoke Detectors
- Medical Waste, including pharmaceuticals, syringes, and needles.
- Construction Materials such as Wood, Treated Lumber, Asphalt, or Concrete. Appliances such as Microwave Ovens, Washers, Dryers, Freon-Containing Appliances such as Refrigerators, Freezers, Air Conditioners, Humidifiers.

## Additional Mandated Recycling Items

The following is a list of markets which the resident or business may consider using in order to remove these specific materials. (With the exception of vehicular batteries, these materials cannot be taken to the Town Recycling Center.)

Material	Reference market
Vehicular batteries	Statewide Battery Recovery Service PO Box 1017, Denville, NJ 07834 (973) 627-3196
Oil contaminated soil - Type 27; Concrete, Asphalt	Mount Hope Rock Products 625 Mt. Hope Road Mt. Hope, NJ 07801 (973) 366-7741
Tree Stumps	Nature's Choice Corp. 1405 Route 46 Ledgewood, NJ 07852 (973) 584-5595
Rechargeable Household Batteries	Morris County Household Hazardous Waste Facility - Mt. Olive Call (973) 829-8006 for appointment

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## Steps that we all can take to help prevent litter, garbage and recycling from collecting on our streets of Dover

- Make sure that all recycling and garbage cans are secured with a tight fitting lid.
- If birds or other animals are constantly tearing your garbage bags open, switch to a solid can with a tight fitting lid.
- Properly secure all cans when strong winds are predicted.
- Please remove your recycling and garbage can(s) from the curb prior to 8pm on the day of collection.
- Don't use plastic bags for recycling (exception: shredded paper must be in a clear plastic bag). Recycling placed in plastic bags will be rejected at the curb.
- The receptacles that are placed in our parks and public streets are not for household garbage. Please dispose of household garbage in cans or bag on the day of garbage collection.
- Don't throw litter or garbage onto the public sidewalks or streets, use the municipal containers.
- Please recycle.
- Pick up any litter, garbage or recyclables you see while walking through the town.

## Important Phone Numbers for Recycling and Solid Waste

Main Phone Number: 973-366-2200

(Use 4 digit extension numbers for various departments)

Public Works x3129

Health Department x1120

Recycling Coordinator x2152

# **Other Recycling Items Collected Curbside and Accepted at the Recycling Center by the Public Works Department**

## **Items Accepted at the Recycling Center Only**

- **Large Rigid Plastics** – Acceptable items are; large plastic toys, laundry baskets, soda and milk crates, plastic pet carriers, kitty litter buckets, plastic storage containers, plastic outdoor furniture without PVC pipes or metal, clean 5 gallon buckets without metal handles.
- **Electronics** – See below for requirements and accepted items.

## **Items Collected Curbside Only**

- **Garden Trimmings** – Consist of vegetation, twigs, brush trimmings, small branches and small plants. For curbside collection place Garden Trimmings in a marked re-usable container (30 gal. max.)
- **Brush** – (Branches) Brush is collected curbside from April thru December according to the provided schedule. Brush shall be no larger than 4" diameter and 6' long, tied in bundles and stacked neatly at the curb.
- **Christmas Trees** – Collected curbside January 4th – January 29th
- **Grass and Leaves** – Are collected April thru December in accordance with the provided schedule. For curbside collection place grass and leaves in a re-usable container (30 gal. max.) or biodegradable bags which are available at the D. P. W. (Container shall be marked Grass/Leaves)

**NOTE: See schedule for leaf vacuum collection.**

## **Items Collected Curbside and Accepted at the Recycling Center**

- **White Goods and Appliances** – For the curbside collection of these items a sticker must be purchased from the Health Department prior to pick up. Stickers must be purchased before 3:00pm on Thursday for Friday collection. White Goods shall include, but are not limited to; refrigerators, stoves, washing machines, dryers, air conditioners, dishwashers, etc. There is no charge for items delivered to the Recycling Center.
- **Tires** - Tires can either be collected curbside or delivered to the Recycling Center. For curbside collection a sticker must be purchased from the Health Department before 3:00pm on Thursday for Friday Pick up.

## **Electronics Recycling**

The New Jersey Electronics Recycling Act mandates that as of January 1, 2011 all televisions, portable desktop or personal computers and computer monitors can no longer be disposed of in the landfill and that they be recycled. In addition to the mandated items listed above, the Recycling Center will also accept the following items at no cost;

- Desktop printers and printer / fax / copier / scanner combinations
- Computer peripherals, including keyboards, mice, hard drives, and other devices
- Fax machines; and
- DVD players, VCR's, and other video players (i.e., DVR's)

**NOTE:** Items that are damaged or have been stripped of their electronic components will not be accepted.



# Town Sections For Grass & Leaves, Curbside Leaf Vacuum Collection & Solid Waste Pick-up

This newsletter includes the pick-up and service dates for your "Section." The town is divided into three (3) "Sections" for purposes of grass & leaves, curbside leaf vacuum collection and solid waste pick-up. Locate your "Section" from the table below and then refer to the schedule for pick-up dates.

## Section #1

Baker Street	Lincoln Avenue
(south of Goodale)	Locust Avenue
Bart Place	Losey Street
Beatty Street	Lynn Street
Beech Street	Maple Avenue
Belmont Avenue	McDavitt Place
Berry Street	McFarlan Street E.
Blackwell St. E.	Mt. Hope Avenue
(east of N. Salem)	Oak Street
Brook Drive	Oram Drive
Central Avenue	Palm Street
Christopher Street	Pequannock Street
Clark Street	(south of Goodale)
Conger Street	Perry Street
Cooper Street	Reeves Street
Court Drive	Richards Avenue
Depew Avenue	(east of Nelson)
Ekstrom Street	Route 46
Elena Drive	Rutan Drive
Elm Street	Salem Street N.
Fairview Ave E. & W.	Salem Street S.
Front Street	Sammis Avenue
Goodale Avenue	Sanford Street
Guy Street	Schley Street
Harding Avenue	Searing Street
Harrison Street	Segur Street
Hinchman Avenue	Sims Street
Hoagland Avenue	Sussex St. N.
Ivan Street	(north of Rt. 46)
Jackson Avenue	Taft Street
John Street	Trenton Street
King Street	Watson Drive
Kyle Drive	Wayne Street
Jessica Lane	Wilson Street
Julia Terrace	

## Section #2

Academy Street	Livingston Avenue
Arlene Lane	Madison Street
Audrey Place	Millbrook Avenue
Boonton Street	Monmouth Avenue
Byram Avenue	Morris Street S.
Carolyn Street	Mountain Avenue
Chestnut Street	Munson Ave. E/W.
Chrystal St. E./W.	New Street
Conrad Place	Orchard Avenue
Cottage Street	Overlook Avenue
Cross Street	Park Avenue
Curtis Street	Park Place
Dickerson St. E./W.	Penn Avenue
Everett Drive	Pine Street
Fifth Street	Prospect Street
First Street	Reservoir Avenue
Fourth Street	Searing Lane
Fred Terrace	Second Street
Glenmore Place	Sixth Street
Grant Street	South Street
Highland Avenue	Spruce Street
Hillcrest Avenue	Summer Avenue
Jordan Terrace	Sylvan Way
Kearney Street	Third Street
Kensington Avenue	Thompson Avenue
Knickerbocker Ave.	VanNostrand Avenue
Legion Place	Wayside Avenue
Liberty Street	Williams Street
Linden Place	Windsor Avenue
Linden Place N.	Winthrop Place

## Section #3

Ann Street	Jardine Street
Baker Avenue	Jefferson Avenue
Baker Street	Lawrence Street
Bassett Highway	Lehigh Street
Beaufort Avenue	Lemar Street
Bergen St. N./S.	Leonard Street
Berkshire Avenue	Linwood Avenue
Blackwell St. E.	Mase Avenue
(west of N. Salem)	McFarlan St. W.
Blackwell St. W.	Mercer Street
Bonnieview Drive	Morris Street N.
Bowlby Street	Mt. Pleasant Avenue
Brook Lane	Myrtle Avenue
Center Street	Nelson Street
Claredon Terrace	North Street
Clinton St. E/W. Rt 15	Park Heights Avenue
Columbia Street	Parker Street
Davis Avenue	Passaic Street
Dewey Street	Pequannock St.
Dickerson Street	(north of Goodale)
Drake Avenue	Princeton Avenue
Edgewood Terrace	Randolph Avenue
Elizabeth Street	(west of Nelson)
Elk Street N./S.	Richboynton Road
Elliott Street	River Street
Essex Street N./S.	Rockridge Terrace
Ev-Ken Terrace	Roswell Street
Fox Hill Drive	Rutgers Street
Garrison Avenue	Sickle Street
George Street	Spring Street
Glenmore Place	St. Mary's Avenue
Grace Street	Sussex St. N.
Green Tree Lane	(south of Rt. 46)
Greenwood Avenue	Taylor Place
Grover Road	Turner Street
Harvard Street	Union Street
Highland Avenue	Vail Street
Hillside Avenue	Walnut Street
Hillsdale Avenue	Warren Street N./S.
Hudson Street	White Street
James Street	Yale Street

### PICK-UP DAYS:

**Solid Waste:**  
Tuesday & Friday

**Grass & Leaves:**  
Tuesday

### PICK-UP DAYS:

**Solid Waste:**  
Monday & Thursday

**Grass & Leaves:**  
Mondays

**Did  
You  
Know?**



Recyclables must be placed in a re-usable container.  
Plastic bags will not be accepted.



### PICK-UP DAYS:

**Solid Waste:**  
Wednesday & Saturday  
**Grass & Leaves:**  
Wednesday



# 2021 Schedules:

## HOLIDAYS

### RECYCLING HOLIDAYS -

January 1, 2021

(Pick-Up Saturday January 2, 2021)

### NO GARBAGE COLLECTION ON THE FOLLOWING HOLIDAYS

- Friday, January 1, 2021 (Section 2)
- Monday, May 31, 2021 (Section 1)
- Monday, July 5, 2021 (Section 1)
- Monday, September 6, 2021 (Section 1)
- Thursday, November 25, 2021 (Section 1)
- Saturday, December 25, 2021 (Section 3)

## CHRISTMAS TREE CURBSIDE COLLECTION

January 4th. thru January 29th.

### Town of Dover Recycling Center

211 North Sussex Street

Dover, New Jersey 07801

Hours:

Monday - Saturday

8:00 am - 2:00 pm

Phone: 973-366-2200, Ext. 3129

### Health Department

37 North Sussex Street

Dover, New Jersey 07801

Hours: 8:30 am - 4:30 pm

Phone: 973-366-2200, Ext. 1120, 1121

## BRUSH & GARDEN TRIMMINGS PICK-UP DATES

For the entire town

(All scheduled dates are on a Thursday.)

Please place material out for collection  
on Wednesday

MONTH	DATES
APRIL	8, 9, 15, 16, 22, 23, 29, 30
MAY	6, 7, 13, 14, 20, 21, 27, 28
JUNE	4, 10, 11, 17, 18, 24, 25
JULY	1, 2, 8, 9, 15, 16, 22, 23, 29, 30
AUGUST	5, 6, 12, 13, 19, 20, 26, 27
SEPTEMBER	2, 3, 10, 16, 17, 23, 24, 30
OCTOBER	1, 7, 8, 15, 21, 22, 28, 29
NOVEMBER	5, 12, 18, 19
DECEMBER	2, 3, 9, 10, 16, 17

## 2021 RECYCLING SCHEDULE

RECYCLING COLLECTION DAYS ARE EVERY OTHER FRIDAY  
UNLESS NOTED OTHERWISE

MONTH	DATE	MONTH	DATE
JANUARY	2 (Sat), 15, 29	JULY	2, 16, 30
FEBRUARY	12, 26	AUGUST	13, 27
MARCH	12, 26	SEPTEMBER	10, 24
APRIL	9, 23	OCTOBER	8, 22
MAY	7, 21	NOVEMBER	5, 19
JUNE	4, 18	DECEMBER	3, 17, 31

NOTE: If your collection day is cancelled due to inclement weather you can leave your material out curbside for collection on the next day Saturday, weather permitting.

## PICK-UP DATES FOR GRASS & LEAVES IN BIODEGRADABLE BAGS OR RE-USABLE CONTAINERS

	SECTION #1	SECTION #2	SECTION #3
APRIL	5, 12, 19, 26	6, 13, 20, 27	7, 14, 21, 28
MAY	3, 10, 17, 24	4, 11, 18, 25	5, 12, 19, 26
JUNE	3, 7, 14, 21, 28	1, 8, 15, 22, 29	2, 9, 16, 23, 30
JULY	8, 12, 19, 26	6, 13, 20, 27	7, 14, 21, 28
AUGUST	2, 9, 16, 23, 30	3, 10, 17, 24, 31	4, 11, 18, 25
SEPTEMBER	9, 13, 20, 27	7, 14, 21, 28	1, 8, 15, 22, 29
OCTOBER	4, 14, 18, 25	5, 12, 19, 26	6, 13, 20, 27
NOVEMBER	1, 8, 15, 22, 29	4, 9, 16, 23, 30	3, 10, 17, 24
DECEMBER	6, 13	7, 14	1, 8, 15

Call D.P.W. for questions regarding yard waste 973-366-2200 x3129

## CURBSIDE LEAF VACUUM COLLECTION

NEW! CURBSIDE LEAF VACUUM COLLECTION HAS CHANGED. LEAVES WILL BE VACUUMED WEEKLY DEPENDING ON YOUR SECTION. PLEASE REFER TO THE LIST OF STREETS IN EACH SECTION.

	SECTION #1	SECTION #2	SECTION #3
OCTOBER	18, 19, 20, 21, 22	25, 26, 27, 28, 29	
NOVEMBER	8, 9, 10, 12, 29, 30	15, 16, 17, 18, 19	1, 3, 4, 5, 22, 23, 24
DECEMBER	1, 2, 3	6, 7, 8, 9, 10	13, 14, 15, 16, 17

## Sweeper Schedule

FIRST WARD	April 5 - April 9	June 1 - 4	August 2 - 6
SECOND WARD	April 12 - 16	June 7 - 11	August 9 - 13
THIRD WARD	April 19 - 23	June 14 - 18	August 16 - 20
FOURTH WARD	April 26 - 30	June 21 - 25	August 23 - 27

NOTE: IF YOU DON'T KNOW WHICH WARD YOU RESIDE IN, CALL THE DOVER MUNICIPAL BUILDING AT 973-366-2200 EXT. 1100

## Paper Shredding Event

Dover Recycling Center

Saturday May 1, 2021 8 am - 12 pm