2019 Dartmouth Recycling Information
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Not sure if an item can be recycled? Type it into the Recyclopedia on RecycleSmartMA.org and find out!

What to Do with Yard Waste

Set Out for Curbside Collection
(FOR SMART CUSTOMERS ONLY)

Spring 2019 Yard Waste Collection Schedule
Monday & Tuesday Solid Waste Routes
Fridays: April 26, May 10, & May 24
Wednesday & Thursday Solid Waste Routes
Fridays: May 3, May 17, & June 7

Fall 2019 Yard Waste Collection Schedule
Monday & Tuesday Solid Waste Routes
Fridays: October 11, November 1, & November 22
Wednesday & Thursday Solid Waste Routes
Fridays: October 25, November 8, & December 6

Drop Off at Water Pollution Facility
(TRANSFER STATION PERMIT REQUIRED)
759 Russells Mills Road
Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday
7:30 a.m. to 3:15 p.m.
Saturday 7:30 a.m. to 2:45 p.m.
Accepted: grass and leaves, small branches, bushes, prunings or general brush.
Maximum size is 6 inches in diameter and 4 feet in length.
No stumps.

How to Set Out Yard Waste
1. Place grass, leaves and twigs (no larger than 1/4" in diameter) loose in barrels or biodegradable bags.
2. Set at curb by 7:00 a.m.

Contact Us!
Dartmouth DPW
(508) 999-0740, trash & recycling collection
Greater New Bedford Refuse District
(508) 979-1493, drop-off events
Visit town.dartmouth.ma.us

What Goes In Your Recycling Carts?

Gray Lid
Bottles, Cans, Jugs & Jars
1. Empty & rinse containers.
2. Do not flatten containers.
3. Place loose in cart.

EXAMPLES
- Containers
- Jars
- Cans

Black Lid
Paper & Cardboard
1. Flatten boxes.
2. Place loose in cart.

EXAMPLES
- Boxes
- Envelopes

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No plastic bags
No plastic wrap
No bagged recyclables
No tanglers (hoses, chains, electronics)
No food
**What Can Be Dropped Off for Recycling?**

**Drop-Off Recycling at the Dartmouth Transfer Station**

976 Russells Mills Road  
Tuesday & Thursday, 7:30 a.m. to 3:15 p.m.  
Saturday, 7:30 a.m. to 2:45 p.m.

**Transfer Station Permit Required:**  
- Permit is free for SMART customers  
- Permit fee is $50 for non-SMART customers

**Items Accepted at the Dartmouth Transfer Station**

If additional recycling options are available, they are listed after the item name. No transfer station permit is required for the additional options. Please note that all information is subject to change. Please call private organizations/businesses for most up to date information.

- **Antifreeze & waste oil**
- **Batteries (rechargeable & car)** Also, take to Interstate Batteries, 154 Faunce Corner Rd., Dartmouth, (508) 991-8019
- **Boat shrink wrap (accepted at the transfer station April through July)**
- **Clothing & shoes** Also, if gently used: Gifts to Give, 1 Titleist Drive Acushnet, (508) 717-8715 or if gently used, torn or stained: clothing bin, visit town.dartmouth.ma.us to view a map of locations
- **Books**
- **Computer monitors & televisions ($10 each)** Also, take to Best Buy: 27 Faunce Corner Rd., Dartmouth, (508) 984-0002 (fee applies)
- **Corrugated cardboard**
- **Mercury containing devices e.g. thermostats, fluorescent lamps** Also, take compact fluorescent lamps to Lowe’s, 55 Faunce Corner Rd., Dartmouth, (508) 441-5284 or Home Depot, 470 State Road, Dartmouth, (508) 997-9600
- **Propane tanks ($5 for empty, $10 with propane)**
- **Recyclable containers (metal cans, glass food & beverage containers, & plastic bottles, jugs & jars)**
- **Recyclable paper (newspaper, magazines, junk mail, office & school paper, phone books, & food boxes, tissue & shoe boxes)**
- **Scrap metal (washer, dryers, air conditioners, & refrigerators; fee may apply)**
- **Styrofoam blocks**

**Spring & Fall 2019 Events**

**Tire Drop-off Days**  
April 27th & September 28th, 9:00 a.m. to noon  
(DARTMOUTH & NEW BEDFORD RESIDENTS ONLY, ID REQUIRED)  
Location: Shawmut Avenue Transfer Station, 1103 Shawmut Avenue, New Bedford  
Fees are as follows:  
- $1 per car tire  
- $5 per light duty truck tire  
- $15 per heavy duty truck tire (max R24, no off-road equipment tires)  
Cash or check only. Tires 28 ½ inches or taller are in the truck categories. Rims are ok. No commercial loads. Car batteries accepted at no charge. Event is for households only.

**Household Hazardous Waste Drop-Off (NO LATEX PAINT)**  
May 4th & September 21st, 9:00 a.m. to noon  
(DARTMOUTH, NEW BEDFORD, & FREETOWN RESIDENTS ONLY, ID REQUIRED)  
Location: Crapo Hill Landfill, 300 Samuel Barnet Blvd.; visit gnbrrmdistrict.org for directions. Examples of hazardous wastes accepted: oil-based paints, paint thinner, & waste fuels. Maximum load size is 25 pounds or 25 gallons. No latex paint; dry out and throw away in the regular trash. Event is for households only.

**Paper Shredding Day, sponsored by New Bedford Credit Union**  
May 18th & October 5th, 9:00 a.m. to noon  
(ALL ARE WELCOME)  
Location: Parking lot across from New Bedford City Hall  
(corner of William & N. 6th Streets)  
No fee. Limit of two boxes per person.

**How to Dispose of Sharps & Medications**

- **Sharps (needles, syringes, lancets)** Take to:  
  Board of Health, Town Hall  
  400 Slocum Road, Room 119  
  (508) 910-1700  
  Dartmouth residents only. In approved containers only. No repurposed or reused containers.

- **Medications** Take to:  
  Dartmouth Police Headquarters  
  249 Russell Mills Road  
  (508) 910-1700  
  Umass Dartmouth campus police station  
  285 Old Westport Road