

Hardwick Recycling Center Guidelines

LOCATION: 2011 Barre Road, Rt. 32, Wheelwright, MA 01094 PHONE 413-477-0941

HOURS: Saturdays 8 AM - Noon & Wednesdays 9 AM - 11 AM Do not leave items when we are closed.

ANNUAL STICKERS ARE REQUIRED TO USE THE RECYCLING CENTER AND SWAP SHED.

\$25 for fiscal year beginning July 1st for Hardwick residents; \$80 for non-Hardwick residents

FEES APPLY FOR SOME HARD-TO-MANAGE MATERIALS.

MATERIAL	WHAT TO RECYCLE	HOW TO PREPARE	UNACCEPTABLE
MIXED PAPER & CARDBOARD	Mixed paper and cardboard (If it tears, it's recyclable)	Must be dry. Bring to appropriate container. Flatten boxes.	No wallpaper, metallic wrapping paper, tissue, wax paper, and no dirt, grease, food particles
CO-MINGLED CONTAINERS	Plastics #1-7 Metal and aluminum food cans and trays	Rinse clean. Labels may be left on.	No paint or petroleum product containers , plastic bags, plastic wrappings, six-pack rings, styrofoam trays or cups
GLASS	Food and beverage jars, bottles	Rinse clean. Remove tops. Labels may be left on	No window glass, dishes, glasses, pyrex, ceramics, light bulbs
AUTOMOTIVE	Waste motor oil - free Car batteries - free Car tires - \$2 Tractor tires - \$17.50 Oil Filters - \$1	Waste oil in quart or gallon containers tightly capped. Bring to garage.	No mixing anti-freeze, gas, water or other material with oil that is used to heat the highway barn. Empty and full petroleum product containers other than motor oil not accepted. North Brookfield offers regional hazardous waste collection days.
FLUORESCENT BULBS, MERCURY THERMOMETERS	Greater than 2 feet long \$1 Less than 2 feet, bulbs \$.50	Handle carefully to avoid breakage.	
SCRAP METAL	Large and small items including a bicycle, lawnmower, snow blower, rototiller, LP tank any size, stove, washer/dryer, residential water heater, aluminum sheds, car parts, farm tools	For power equipment drain gasoline. LP Tanks must be empty.	
ELECTRONICS AND APPLIANCES	Computer monitor, hard drive, - \$10 TV < 25" - \$10, <35" - \$25, >36" - \$40 Copy machine small - \$10 large \$25 Refrigerator, freezer detach doors - \$10 Large Dehumidifier with Freon - \$15 Small Dehumidifier with Freon - \$10 Air conditioner - \$10 Printer, scanner, fax machine - \$5 VCR, DVD player - \$5 Small video game - \$3 Telephone, answering machine - \$2 Microwave - \$10 Printer cartridges - free Cell Phones - free Non-alkaline batteries - free		Alkaline batteries should be put in household trash according to the DEP.
REDEMPTION CONTAINERS		Rinse clean.	Funds donated to non-profit groups.
CLOTHING, TEXTILES & SHOES		Items must be dry and in tied plastic bags. Place in Planet Aid bins anytime	Use 13 gallon size bags or smaller. Larger bags do not fit and should not be put outside the container.
COMPOSTABLE ORGANICS	Not accepted on site		Earth Machines for sale for \$30.
SWAP SHED	Most any clean, usable items such as books, tools, construction material, games, good clean clothing, household items, etc.	See attendant before leaving any items.	Nothing broken. Must be in working condition. No mattresses, upholstered furniture, car seats, suitcases, skis, and large plastic toys/items.

BULK WASTE COLLECTIONS ARE HELD AT LEAST ANNUALLY AND FEES ARE CHARGED TO COVER EXPENSES.

Pricing for event 6/19/10: Mattress, Box spring, any size, Couch - \$20 Futon, Waterbed mattress, Loveseat, Sink, Toilet, Large Humidifier with no freon - \$15 Upholstered chair, Dishwasher, Small dehumidifier with no Freon, Trash compactor, Rug, Carpet - \$10 Wooden chair, Table, Bookcase, Bureau, Infant car seat, Large plastic toys - \$5 Suitcases - \$3 Styrofoam - large bag - \$1 Staff and volunteers reserve the right to price or reject other items accordingly on site.