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Recycling/Trash Information



Town of North Branford
909 Foxon Road
North Branford, CT 06471

Recycling Hotline: 203-484-4091 **Town Manager's Office:** 203-484-6000
John's Refuse: 203-484-0281 (missed and/or other pickup issues)
www.townofnorthbranfordct.com - Click Government, Boards and Commissions

For additional information, check the Recycling Hotline, the Totoket Times, the Totoket TV Community Bulletin Board, or the Town Website

Curbside Pickup Dates to Remember

The following special pickups will take place on your scheduled pickup day.

Scrap Metal Pickup

Scrap Metal only may be put out at the curb up to a week before your scheduled pickup day during the April 17 to 21 and November 6 to 10 periods.

Curbside Leaf Pickup

Leaves must be placed in an untaped biodegradable paper bag. Place curbside on your scheduled pickup day during the May 1 to May 5 and November 27 to December 8 periods.

Bulky Waste Pickup

Place curbside, weekly on your scheduled pickup day.

Christmas Tree Pickup

2017: January 2 to 13 2018: January 2 to 12

On your scheduled pickup days.

Annual Trash Holidays

New Year's Day	Memorial Day	Fourth of July
Labor Day	Thanksgiving	Christmas

Pickups will be delayed one day following trash holidays.

Unacceptable Curbside Waste

Tires • Construction Waste • Grass Clippings
Land Clearing/Demolition Debris • Propane Tanks
Helium Tanks • Computers • Monitors
Printers • TVs • Riding Lawn Mowers
Scrap Vehicles or Parts • Cans or Drums larger than 5 gallons • Home Cleanouts

Other large machinery-related items may not be placed curbside at any time.

Recycling Locations

North Branford Recycling Center

Public Works Facility, Route 22: 9 AM to Noon
March 11, July 8 and November 4.

Electronics, rechargeable batteries, cell phones and empty propane and helium tanks (see other side for fees).
Call the Recycling Hotline for additional information.

Leaf Dropoff Area

Near Public Works Facility; follow the signs: 9 AM to 3 PM
April 8, 15, 22, 29; Oct. 21, 28 and Nov. 4, 11, 18, 25.

HazWaste Central Dropoff

90 Sargent Dr., (Long Wharf) New Haven
Saturdays 9 AM to Noon May 13 through October 28.
For more information call 203-401-2712 or go to this website:
<http://www.rwater.com/products-and-services/hazwaste-central/>

HazWaste Central is closed Memorial Day, July 4th and Labor Day weekends.

HazWaste Central Accepts:

Aerosol containers, antifreeze, bathroom cleaners, batteries, brake fluid, bug sprays, cleaners, cooking oil, disinfectants, drain openers, fertilizer, floor-care products, fluorescent bulbs, fungicides, furniture polish, gasoline, herbicides, insecticides, kerosene, mercury thermometers & thermostats, metal polish, moth balls, oil and water-based paints, oven cleaners, paint strippers, pool and photography chemicals, spot remover, thinners, transmission fluid, and waste oil.

Oil and water-based paints should preferably be disposed of at Paint Dropoff Locations listed at:
www.paintcare.org/locator/index.php



See www.recyclerfinder.com for additional recycling options based on ZIP code and radius

Brown Barrels: Trash ONLY; Blue Barrels: Recyclables ONLY
Please place barrels at least 4 feet from mailboxes with space between them
Reminder: Put your trash out the night before or by 5:30 AM on day of pickup



Put Your Recycling and Trash Barrels Curbside *Every Week*

Please remember to keep the barrel lids closed, placed as close to the curb as possible and oriented as shown on the barrel lids. Leave space between the Recycling Barrel and the Trash Barrel.

What to Recycle at Curbside in the Blue Barrel	How to Recycle	What NOT to Recycle
Glass Containers: Bottles and jars; lids, and caps.	Rinse clean. Labels, lids, and caps may be left on.	Light bulbs, mirrors, window glass, plate glass, white/opal glass, Pyrex, pottery, ceramics and cork stoppers.
Metal: Food, beverage and other containers made only of aluminum, tin, steel or some combination of these three metals; empty aerosol cans; clean aluminum foil.	Rinse clean. Ball up clean aluminum foil.	Paint cans, coat hangers or wire. Metals other than aluminum, steel, tin or some combination of these three metals.
Paperboard Boxes/Cartons: Includes food boxes, gift boxes, shoe boxes, shirt paperboard, paper roll cores, milk and orange juice cartons. Aseptic food packages (e.g., juice boxes, tomato sauce, broth and soup). Boxes must have foil or wax paper removed from insides.	Flatten. Remove any foil or wax paper interior packaging.	Paperboard that is contaminated with residue (e.g., pizza boxes with food residue).
Plastic Containers and Trays: All plastic containers, trays lids, caps and/or closures must have one of the recycling symbols on each item:  Plastic plant containers, plastic flower or plant pots may also be recycled.	Rinse clean. Containers may be flattened or not flattened.	Plastic grocery bags. Styrofoam (even if it has a recycling symbol and/or number on it).
Paper: Includes newspapers, mail, envelopes, clean paper plates, magazines, catalogues, office and school paper (shredded paper is OK to recycle in clear bags), file folders, paperback books, telephone directories, paper bags, holiday wrapping paper and cards.	Place in blue barrel with your recyclables.	Any paper contaminated with food residue, Mylar or metallic wrapping paper.
Corrugated Cardboard: Corrugated cardboard looks like this: 	Flatten boxes – must fit completely in Recycling Barrel. Remove Styrofoam or other packing material.	Corrugated cardboard with wax coating and/or foil or plastic film lamination. Corrugated cardboard that is contaminated with residue (e.g., pizza boxes with food residue).

What to do with other recyclables not collected curbside

Leaves	Grass Clippings	Household Batteries	Rechargeable Batteries	Vehicle Batteries	Waste Oil	Plastic Grocery Bags	Empty Propane & Helium Tanks
Backyard compost Leaf Dropoff Area See detail on front of card for curbside pickup	Backyard compost	HazWaste Central	HazWaste Central North Branford Recycling Center Public Works Facility*	HazWaste Central Public Works Facility*	Uncontaminated Public Works Facility* Retail Store Contaminated HazWaste Central	Participating retail stores	North Branford Recycling Center Propane: \$1 fee up to 100 pounds; \$10 fee for 100 pound tank Helium: \$5 fee

Electronics Waste: (e.g., TV's, CD/DVD Players, VCR's, computers, monitors, printers) - North Branford Recycling Center 9 AM — Noon, March 11, July 8 and November 4. **Tires:** on November 4 only (size-based fee charged).

*The Public Works Facility is open Monday through Friday from 8 AM to 2:30 PM with Summer Hours from 7:30 AM to 2 PM

Definitions

Household Batteries: Any battery, except rechargeable batteries, used for normal household use, e.g., AA, AAA, C, D, 9 volt and Hearing Aid

Scrap Metal: Air conditioners, metal lawn furniture, large appliances (refrigerators, with doors removed), hot water tanks, tools, metal fencing, filing cabinets, furnaces, garbage pails, non-riding lawn mowers with gas removed, microwaves, outdoor grills, small machines and aluminum siding. (Please note that scrap metal only may be placed at the curb up to a week before your scheduled pickup day during the April 17 to 21 and November 6 to 10 special pickup periods).

Bulky Waste: Tree limbs, tree branches, scrap wood, rugs (tree limbs, tree branches, scrap wood, and rugs all need to be less than 4 feet long, no thicker than 4 inches and need to be bundled and tied), couches, mattresses, box springs, picnic tables and wooden furniture. **No scrap vehicle parts.**