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# **RECYCLING CENTER INFORMATION**

**OPEN Weekdays: 7 a.m. to 3:50 p.m.**

**Saturday, Sunday and Holidays: 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.**

**2020 Holiday Dates: 1/1 - 1/20 - 2/17 - 4/10 - 5/25 - 9/7 - 10/12  
11/11 - 11/26 - 11/27 - 12/24 - 12/25 - 12/31**

**GARBAGE AND HAZARDOUS MATERIALS ARE NOT ACCEPTED**

**Recycling Office Hours:**

8 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.  
Monday to Friday

**Recycling Office Location:**

70 Sindle Avenue, Last gate on left before Recycling Center

**Recycling Office Mailing Address:**

Township of Little Falls  
Attn: Recycling Dept  
225 Main Street  
Little Falls, NJ 07424

***YOU MUST RECYCLE — IT'S THE LAW !!  
IMPORTANT INFORMATION — PLEASE READ & SAVE  
NEW CURBSIDE RECYCLING SCHEDULE FOR 2020***

**2020  
RECYCLING & GARBAGE  
SCHEDULE  
STORM WATER INFORMATION**

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STANDARD  
U.S. POSTAGE PAID  
PATERSON, NJ  
PERMIT NO. 1365

POSTAL PATRON  
Little Falls, New Jersey 07424

## RECYCLABLE ITEMS

**Appliances and Metal** – Refrigerators, stoves, washers, air conditioners, fencing, etc. can be dropped off or picked up (a fee of \$5.00 per item for pickup) paid in advance at the Recycling Office, 70 Sindle (DPW facility) or Municipal Building 225 Main St, or mailed to the Township of Little Falls, 225 Main St, Attn: Recycling Dept. Pickups will be made within a couple days once fee is paid

**Car Batteries** – May be dropped off at the Recycling Center. See attendant for disposal

**Cardboard** - (*curbside collection – see schedule for dates*) Place in recycling compactor truck marked for cardboard. Cardboard consist of corrugated cardboard and chipboard (cereal, macaroni, and shoe boxes etc.) Clean pizza boxes are recyclable. Do not include any wax coated cardboard packing materials or plastic.

**Clothes** – Clothes may be placed in donations boxes located at the Recycling Center

**Commingled Containers** (*curbside collection – see schedule for dates*) (*containers cannot weigh more than 40 lbs*) – Rinsed glass food and beverage containers (no window glass), tin and bi metal cans, aluminum cans, and plastics marked with #'s 1,2,5 only can be put in recycling roll offs marked for commingle items. **NO plastic bags allowed to be used in recycling.** **LOOSE MATERIALS MUST BE PLACED IN CONTAINERS.**

**Electronics** – TVs, Computers, monitors, telephones, VCRS and DVD players, stereos, etc. may be dropped off at the Recycling Center in the electronics box. Residents may also schedule a pick-up of these items by calling (973-256-6815). There is a \$5.00 each pick up fee for TV's larger than 35 inches and/or console TVs.

**Grass and Leaves** – will be collected in paper biodegradable bags **only** (Do not place in street). Section I will be collected on **Monday**. Section II will be collected on **Tuesday**. (**must be at the curb by 6 a.m. and not weigh more than 40 lbs**) **Bags will be collected until there is snow on the ground.** Residents can also drop off their grass and leaves at the Recycling Center in the marked area. **NO PLASTIC BAGS.** Loose leaves are not permitted to be placed in the street.

**Holiday Trees**- Trees will be picked up curbside during the month of January as weather and schedule permits. Residents can also drop them off at the Recycling Center in the marked area.

**Motor Oil** – can be dropped off at the Recycling Center between 11 a.m. and 3:50 p.m. See attendant on duty for disposal. If no attendant is present **DO NOT** drop off oil. **DO NOT** mix any other chemical with the motor oil.

**Paper** – Place in roll off container marked for paper. **NO PLASTIC BAGS.** Mixed paper shall consist of newspaper, magazines, junk mail, telephone books, office paper, brown bags, etc. (*curbside collection – see schedule for dates.*)

**Paints, Chemicals, Propane Tanks, ETC** – We are not permitted by law to accept these items. Do not transport or bring these items to the Recycling Center. **Please call the Passaic County Office of Recycling at 973-881-4506 for disposal information**

**Tires** – Auto tires and small truck tires may be brought to the Recycling Center on Sindle Ave. **Fees:** Car tires - \$4.00 per tire Truck Tires - \$15.00 per tire

**Tree Branches** – You must call 973-256-6815 to be put on the schedule for pick-up. Branches must be no longer than 10 feet in length, stacked neatly with the cut ends all facing the same way. Branches 3 feet or smaller **must be bundled.** Branches must be placed by the curb where accessible, but **NOT IN THE STREET.** **No roots or tree stumps are permitted.**

**CURBSIDE RECYCLING COLLECTION SCHEDULE 2020  
(EVERY WEDNESDAY FOR WHOLE TOWNSHIP)**

**COMMINGLED**

**(Glass, Plastic and Tin Cans)  
and ALUMINUM**

January 8  
January 22  
February 5  
February 19  
March 4  
March 18  
April 1  
April 15  
April 29  
May 13  
May 27  
June 10  
June 24  
July 8  
July 22  
August 5  
August 19  
September 2  
September 16  
September 30  
October 14  
October 28  
November 11  
November 25  
December 9  
December 23

**NEWSPAPERS &  
CARDBOARD**

January 15  
January 29  
February 12  
February 26  
March 11  
March 25  
April 8  
April 22  
May 6  
May 20  
June 3  
June 17  
July 1  
July 15  
July 29  
August 12  
August 26  
September 9  
September 23  
October 7  
October 21  
November 4  
November 18  
December 2  
December 16  
December 30

Commingled items include aluminum cans, glass containers (no window glass), tin and bi-metal cans, plastics (#'s 1, 2, 5 only).

**Recycling must be out by 6 A.M. (No Later)**

Containers with contents must weigh no more than 40 lbs.

(Good rule of thumb, if you can pick up the container 3 feet off the ground, then it should be ok)

Containers are NOT to be placed in street for pick up.

## GARBAGE PICK-UP SCHEDULE FOR THE TOWNSHIP OF LITTLE FALLS

Garbage **must** be at curb by 6:00 AM

*Containers are not to be placed in the street for pick up.*

### SECTION I

Pickup days are **Monday** and **Thursday** except for holidays. **NO PICKUP** on the following holiday days:

May 25	Memorial Day
September 7	Labor Day
November 26	Thanksgiving Day

### SECTION II

Pickup days are **Tuesday** and **Friday** except for holidays. **NO PICKUP** on the following holiday days:

December 25	Christmas Day
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## GARBAGE RULES AND REGULATIONS

### **GARBAGE MUST BE OUT BY 6 A.M. ON DAY OF COLLECTION.**

All garbage receptacles shall be strong, water tight containers with handles and close-fitting covers. Each receptacle can be up to a 64 gallon container. Receptacles, together with the contents, shall weigh no more than 60 lbs. and up to 5 (five) containers can be placed out at the curb for pick-up.

The following types of containers are **NOT** acceptable:

- Landscape barrels
- Pickle barrels
- Plastic or metal drums
- Cardboard boxes

All receptacles must be placed adjacent to the street (**not in the street**), no sooner than dusk of the day before the day of scheduled collection and shall be removed no later than 9:00 p.m. on the collection day.

When garbage collection falls on a legal holiday, no garbage will be collected on that day. Garbage will be picked up on the next regular garbage pick-up for your section.

You are allowed two larger items (*such as a sofa, dresser, box springs and mattress, etc.*) to be put out on the second pick up of each week with your regular garbage.

### **ITEMS NOT PERMITTED IN GARBAGE**

The following items are not permitted to be placed in the garbage:

Recyclables: aluminium cans, appliances, brush and tree branches, car batteries, cardboard, glass food and beverage containers, grass, leaves, metal, oil, newspapers, tires, tin and bi-metal cans and vegetative waste.

No stones, dirt, rocks and roofing material.

Any construction debris from new work, alterations, or repairs is prohibited and must be disposed of by the property owner.

\*\*Wood from other than the list above may be placed in bundles securely tied with heavy twine, cord or wire. Bundles are not to exceed six feet in length nor weigh in excess of 50 lbs. each. You are limited to no more than 2 bundles per pick up.

Any materials from contractors doing work on your building or property must be disposed of by the contractor. The Township will not pick up this material.

Carpeting removed by a contractor and debris left over from installing the new carpet must be disposed of by the contractor. The Township will not pick up these items.

If you are removing the rug yourself, you are permitted to put out 2 pieces no bigger than 6 foot wide. Carpet must be rolled and tied and placed at the curb for pick up. Please try to cover it if it is raining, since the carpets get very heavy to handle.

NO paint cans are allowed to be placed in the garbage, except dried out latex/water base paint. (To dryout latex paint, pop top off cans, set aside in a covered area, the liquid will evaporate, then place the can, tops off, with the dried out paint alongside your garbage receptacle.)

Due to people sneaking paint cans into the garbage and the complications that can follow, residents will receive a summons to appear in court. More seriously, you could face fines and jail time from the County Health Department and/or the State DEP. Please abide by the rules.

**NOTE:** The Township is prohibited from collecting household hazardous waste such as oil base paints, paint thinners, gasoline, pesticides, herbicides, acids, etc. Questions about proper disposal methods and locations should be directed to the Passaic County Office of Solid Waste Management at 973-881-4506. **Please do not** put these items into the garbage or bring them down to our recycling center.

No garbage can be brought to the recycling center. We are not permitted by law to accept any garbage at our facility.

Summons issued for recycling and/or garbage violations will require a court appearance. Fines can be set from \$100 to \$1000 for each and every offense. The court could also sentence you to up to 90 days in jail. Please obey the rules and regulations.

Residents moving out and new people moving into the Township need to adhere to these rules and regulations. Residents should dispose of these items in advance of moving. Put allowable items out a little at a time. Do not put it out in large amounts. If you have any questions, please call the office at 973-256-0309.

### Apartments and Condominiums

You are also subject to these rules and regulations. Please see your property manager, superintendent, or landlord for additional rules concerning disposal of your garbage and recyclables.

Failure to abide by the rules and regulations will result in summons being issued to your association and/or landlord. Please comply.

## SECTION I — INCLUDES THE FOLLOWING STREETS

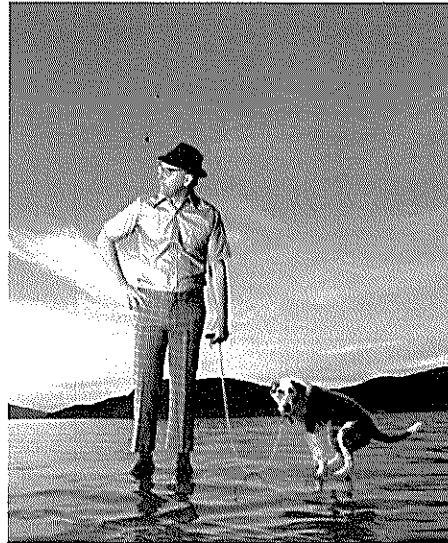
Alida Street	Houston Road	Paterson Avenue
Autumn Court	Hudson Street	(between Rt. 46 and Maple Street)
Birch Road	Inwood Drive	Peckman Road
Brook Court	Ironwood Way	Prospect Street
Brookhill Place	Jackson Street	(between First Avenue and
Browertown Road	Jacobus Avenue	Wilmore Road)
Camp Bal Place	Jean Drive	Randolph Place
Canterbury Lane	Kingwood Court	Reiners Road
Capalbo Avenue	Kingwood Drive	Ridge Road
Cedar Street	Lindsley Road	Robinwood Drive
Cedar Grove Road	(Cedar Grove line to Francisco Avenue)	Ryle Avenue
Charles Street	Long Hill Road	Second Avenue
Cheryl Court	Lower Notch Road	Sigtim Drive
Chestnut Ridge Court	Lynn Place	Sisco Lane
Clove Road	Madison Avenue	Sindle Avenue
Crestmont Road	Main Street	Smalley Street
De Young Drive	(between Maple Street and First Avenue)	Stephen Place
Dogwood Way	Maple Street	Stewart Avenue
Douglas Drive	Marguerite Court	Stone Ridge Court
East Main Street	Marietta Street	Thomas Street
Elm Street	Martin Place	Third Avenue
Ethel Drive	Morningside Circle	Tivoli Court
First Avenue	Mountaintop Terrace	Tulip Crescent
Fourth Avenue	Notch Road	Turnberry Road
Francis Street	Notchcroft Drive	Upper Mountain Avenue
Francisco Avenue	Notch Park Road	Van Ness Avenue
Glen Rock Road	Oak Crescent	Viewmont Terrace
Greenbriar Road	Oak Hill Drive	Villa Road
Harrison Street	Oak Place	Willow Avenue
Hemlock Road	Oak Tree Lane	Wilmore Road
High Court	Overlook Avenue	Woodlawn Terrace
Highland Avenue	Overlook Road	Woods Road
Hillcrest Drive	Overmont Road	
Hopson Avenue	Park Lane	

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## SECTION II — INCLUDES THE FOLLOWING STREETS

Abbe Road	Lincoln Avenue	Riker Road
Amity Street	Lindsley Road	River Boulevard
Arlington Street	(Main Street to N. Caldwell Line)	Riverview Circle
Barber Street	Loretta Drive	Second Street
Beattie Court	Louis Street	Singac Place
Bergen Drive	Lytel Street	Stanley Road
Bogart Street	Main Street	Stanley Street
Bradford Avenue	(Maple Street to Fairfield Line)	Stevens Avenue
Brookside Avenue	Meadow Drive	Stinson Place
Center Avenue	Micklejohn Avenue	Strickland Avenue
Cherry Street	Montclair Avenue	Taylor Avenue
Clarence Avenue	Mozart Avenue	Tolstoi Place
Coney Road	Muller Place	Third Street
Crane Street	Muzzy Road	Union Avenue
Dewey Avenue	Newark - Pompton Turnpike	U.S. Highway 23
Donato Drive	Oak Drive	Van Pelt Place
Elm Court	Orchard Street	Veranda Avenue
East Woodcliffe	Parkway	Walnut Street
Avenue	Park Place	Warren Street
Fairfield Avenue	Paterson Avenue	Weaver Street
First Street	(Maple Street to Main Street)	West End Avenue
Garden Street	Paul Place	William Street
Garrabrant Avenue	Pine Court	Wood Street
Gray Street	Pleasant Avenue	Woodcliffe Avenue
Grey Rock Avenue	Prospect Street	Woodhull Avenue
Grove Street	(First Avenue to Stevens Avenue)	Woodside Avenue
Haines Place	Railroad Avenue	Yolanda Drive
Hughes Place	Ridge Avenue	Zeliff Avenue
Island Avenue	Riker Avenue	

# IF YOU DON'T PICK UP AFTER YOUR PET, IT MIGHT AS WELL POOP IN THE RIVER



**Rain washes  
pollutants into  
storm drains which  
flows directly into  
our streams, lakes,  
rivers and the  
ocean.**

**So what can you do?**

## WHAT'S THE PROBLEM WITH PET WASTE?

Rain can wash pet waste that sits on a lawn or unpaved surface into storm drains, ultimately ending up in our lakes, rivers and the ocean. Pet waste contains coliform bacteria and other pollutants that can make people sick, and often cause beach closures on lakes or the ocean. Coliform bacteria can contaminate shellfish, which causes people to get very sick when they are eaten. Bacteria from pet waste can also pollute your drinking water, as well as kill fish, wildlife and plants. Pet waste is not only a health hazard but also a nuisance in our neighborhoods.

### YOU CAN HELP!

- Use newspaper, plastic bags, or a pooper-scooper to pick up the waste when you walk your pet.
- Properly dispose of pet waste into the trash or toilet. (Do NOT dispose of newspaper or plastic bags in the toilet.) Do
- not dispose of pet waste in storm drains.

## WHY SHOULD YOU CARE ABOUT CLEAN WATER?

Stormwater pollution is one of the greatest threats to New Jersey's clean water supply. Clean water provides access to safe drinking water, a place for recreation, commercial opportunities, healthy wildlife habitats, and adds beauty to our landscape. Rain washes pollution from streets, parking lots, and lawns into storm drains, then directly to our streams, rivers, lakes and the ocean.

**Did you know more than 60 percent of water pollution comes from things like motor oil, fertilizers, pet waste, and detergents? By sharing the responsibility and making small, easy changes in our daily lives, we can keep common pollutants out of stormwater.**

New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection  
[www.CleanWaterNJ.org](http://www.CleanWaterNJ.org)



## HEALTHY LAWNs - HEALTHY WATER

### WHAT YOU CAN DO:

1. Choose a no phosphorus and slow-release nitrogen fertilizer. Check the first and second number on the package for nitrogen and phosphate content. Formula, 26-0-3, for example, means no phosphate.
2. Apply fertilizer at the spreader setting shown on the bag, to avoid overuse or underuse of product.
3. Return any unused product to the original container for future use.
4. Do not apply fertilizer products if a heavy rain is predicted.
5. Use a drop spreader or a rotary spreader with a side guard to keep fertilizer on the lawn and off driveways, roadways and walkways. Sweep up excess fertilizer from paved surfaces.
6. For a healthier, greener lawn, fertilize after the first lawn cutting in the spring and again in the fall when weather conditions are best for grass to absorb nutrients.
7. Soil tests can help identify what nutrients your lawn needs. Contact your County Extension Agent at <http://njaes.rutgers.edu/county/> for details and other helpful lawn and garden information.
8. For more information visit [www.nj.gov/dep/healthylawns/healthywater](http://www.nj.gov/dep/healthylawns/healthywater)



## **Skip The Bag**

Don't place your recyclables  
in plastic bags

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## **Recycling Contamination**

Occurs when the wrong  
items, or the right items  
prepared the wrong way, are  
placed in your curbside  
recycling bin.

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