# **Borough of Matawan**

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For Information and Questions Call Recycling Coordinator (732) 566-3898 ext. 132 Leave Message

### DO NOT PUT RECYCLING ITEMS OUT ON GARBAGE DAY. ORD. 24-16.1 DO NOT PUT GARBAGE OUT UNTIL 4 P.M. THE DAY BEFORE PICKUP – IT'S THE LAW.

If you would prefer to bag your leaves please call **732-290-2015** 

or go to www.matawanborough.com

We thank the residents and businesses for making our recycling program successful.

**WARNING:** Your garbage may be checked. If recyclables are found in garbage it will be left at curb until violation is corrected. Continued failure to abide by the law may result in a fine of \$50 for the first offense. This applies to Residents & Businesses.

Please Register for the Borough's Emergency Notification System, SWIFT911. Log on to **www.matawanborough.com** and click on the SWIFT911 icon. (Click on E-Alerts to register for municipality E-Alerts)

### MATAWAN BOROUGH 2015 mandatory recycling program update FOR RESIDENTS & BUSINESSES

Please increase your efforts to keep all recyclables out of your garbage (this will reduce our costs and help keep the environment cleaner). If you would prefer to bag your leaves – please call 732-290-2015 or go to **www.matawanborough.com** 

#### 2015 FALL LEAF PICKUP SCHEDULE (LEAVES ONLY – ABSOLUTELY NO GRASS – NO DEBRIS, BRANCHES OR PLASTIC BAGS WILL BE ALLOWED OR PICKED UP)

Please rake leaves to the curb (not in the street) at the beginning of the week so you do not miss the pickup date. Be patient, weather may delay pickup. In the event of inclement weather or changes to the schedules indicated below, we will make every attempt to notify the residents accordingly.

#### The schedule below may be modified at the discretion of the Department of Public Works and areas with heavy accumulations will be addressed accordingly.

		Week Of	Week Of
Area 1	Poets Dr. to Rt. 516, Contempra, Eisenhower Ct. MacArthur Dr., Mill Rd. Wilson & Texas Rd. Sutphin & Center Aves.	11-23	12-21
Area 2	Rt. 516 to Rt. 34, Miriam Dr., Ziegler, Broad St. Edgemere Dr. & Schenck Ave., Crescent St., & Green & White Village	11-16	12-14
Area 3	Rt. 34 to Business District, Jackson St. Orchard St., Broad St., Johnson & Atlantic Aves. Railroad Station, Lochslea Hts.	11-9	12-7
Area 4	Ravine Dr. Middlesex Rd., Rustic Lane Aberdeen Rd., Marc Woods	11-2	11-30

#### RECYCLING PICKUP SCHEDULE WILL REMAIN THE SAME GARBAGE WILL CONTINUE TO BE PICKED UP ONCE A WEEK Recyclables will be picked up in Areas 1 & 2 Wednesdays and Areas 3 & 4 Saturdays. SEE CALENDAR FOR SCHEDULE OF RECYCLABLES COLLECTED EACH WEEK. FOR MISSED RECYCLABLES OR GARBAGE CALL FUTURE SANITATION AT 732-919-3345.

- Area 1Marc Woods South of Union St. (towards Main St.)Garbage Day Monday, Recycling Day Wednesday
- Area 2 Edgemere Dr. & Kimberly, Green & White Village, Crescent Dr., Oak Lane, Lochslea Hts., Middlesex Rd., Ravine Dr. & Marc Woods from Union St. North Garbage Day – Tuesday, Recycling Day – Wednesday
- Area 3 West of Rt. 34, including Rt. 34, Contempra & Poet Dr. Garbage Day – Thursday, Recycling Day – Saturday
- Area 4 East of Rt. 34 Business District & Atlantic Avenue Garbage Day – Friday, Recycling Day – Saturday
- **NOTE:** If garbage day or recycling day falls on Thanksgiving, Christmas or New Year's Pick-up the following business day other holidays will be normal schedule.

#### PLEASE CONTACT WASTE HAULER FUTURE SANITATION @ 732-919-3345 FOR MISSED PICK-UPS

#### BULK ITEMS: BRANCHES LESS THAN 3" IN DIAMETER & WOOD MUST BE BUNDLED IN 4' LENGTHS & CAN BE PLACED OUT WITH YOUR GARBAGE. OLD FURNITURE, RUGS & PERMITTED HOUSEHOLD GOODS CAN ALSO BE PUT OUT WITH YOUR GARBAGE. PLEASE BE AWARE ONLY 2 BULK ITEMS ARE PERMITTED PER WEEK. EXPLANATION OF RECYCLING COLLECTION CATEGORIES

**NEWSPAPERS:** All inserts acceptable. No magazines, telephone books or junk mail (junk mail to be recycled with mixed paper). Tie with string only. No plastic bags or cardboard boxes.

**COMMINGLED:** Aluminum cans (soda & beer) tin & bi-metal cans used for food products (soup, coffee, tuna, etc.), glass bottles used for food and beverages & plastic containers (#1 & 2 required) soda, laundry, milk and water containers. Rinse all of the above. Other plastics put in garbage.

EXCLUDED: Plate glass, mirrors, light bulbs, plastic bags and ceramics.

**MIXED PAPER:** Please note all the items that are recyclable. Junk mail, corrugated cardboard, brown grocery bags, wrapping paper, cereal boxes, cracker boxes, dry soap boxes, shoe boxes, gift boxes, shirt cardboard, file cards, telephone books, magazines, catalogs, envelopes, bond paper, office paper, copier paper, computer paper, greeting cards & books without hard covers. Do not use black bags for paper goods.

**NON-ACCEPTABLE MIXED PAPER:** Blueprints, carbon paper, napkins, tissues and paper towels. All acceptable mixed paper can be placed in a garbage can or plastic container with a lid labeled "Recycling Container." Cardboard boxes may be used if they are sturdy. **DO NOT PUT NEWSPAPERS OUT WITH YOUR MIXED PAPER.** 

#### ITEMS BANNED FROM LANDFILL IN ADDITION TO SCHEDULED ITEMS

Permanent Hazardous Waste drop off site is located at 3211 Shafto Road, Tinton Falls, Monmouth County Residents only. Call 732-683-8686 ext. 5210 for an automated message with further information. Appointments are no longer required for residents to utilize the HHW facility. Hours are as follows: Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 12 p.m. to 4 p.m.; Thursdays and Fridays from 12 p.m. to 8 p.m.; Saturdays from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

**REFRIGERATORS, AIR CONDITIONERS AND DEHUMIDIFIERS:** When you purchase a unit, have the vendor take the old unit. If not possible, put at curb with garbage. Counts as bulk item. Refrigerators must have Freon removed before being scrapped.

**LARGE METAL APPLIANCES:** Dishwashers, clothes washer & dryers, hot water heaters, stove. When you purchase a unit have the vendor take the old unit. MOST IMPORTANT: If not possible, put at curb with garbage. Counts as bulk item.

**ASBESTOS SHINGLES & SIDING:** This is extremely hazardous material. Do not put out with garbage. Call the Health Department at 732-683-8686 ext. 5658.

**BATTERIES** – **HOUSEHOLD:** Batteries, except button batteries and rechargeable batteries, can be thrown in the trash. Buttons and rechargeable can be recycled through HHW.

AUTOMOTIVE BATTERIES: Have vendor keep old one. If not possible, call hazardous waste, 732-683-8686 ext. 5210

**TIRES:** May be brought to the Reclamation Center at 6000 Asbury Avenue in Tinton Falls. They are accepted M-F from 7:30 am to 3:00 pm and on Saturday from 7:30 am to 2:00 pm. Residents are restricted to 8 car tires. Tires have to be 18 inches or less in diameter and cannot be on rims. No businesses are accepted for tire drop-offs.

**MOTOR OIL:** Along with full service commercial establishments, the HHW facility accepts it as well from residents only (fee may apply). **GRASS CLIPPINGS:** "Cut & Leave It" – or backyard compost are the best method of disposal. If not possible, take to recycling area at the landfill in Tinton Falls and you will be charged \$3.00 per carload for residents, \$35.00 per ton for commercial or residential truckloads (\$0.35 per 20 lbs). Call Monmouth County at 732-683-8686 ext. 5141 for hours of operation.

**PAINT CANS:** Remove lids and put empty cans in garbage. Latex Paints: small amounts – remove lid, allow to dry & put empty can in garbage. If more than 1 inch of paint, combine with kitty litter or latex solidifier and put in trash – oil based paints: take to hazardous waste site – SEE ABOVE.

The County's HHW facility accepts: Latex paint, Pesticides, Herbicides, Fertilizers, Solvents, Thinners, Corrosives, Cleaners, Pool Chemicals, Oil paints, Varnishes, Aerosol Cans (Full or partially full), Used Motor Oil, Anti-Freeze, Gasoline, Automotive and 'Button' Batteries, and Propane BBQ Tanks. All items must be in closed containers with original labels. Maximum amount accepted is 200 lbs. of dry material and/or 20 gals. of liquid. No containers larger than 5 gals. each.

**BUSINESSES:** Must recycle bottles, cans, high grade paper & corrugated cardboard in addition to all items listed above. **RECYCLING DIRECTORY:** Pick up at Borough Hall or go to Monmouth County website

www.visitmonmouth.com – THIS IS A MUST – CONTAINS HELPFUL INFORMATION

## Mandatory Recycling Calendar 2015

"Recycling." It's the <u>Law</u>.

Area 1 & 2 – Wednesday • Area 3 & 4 – Saturday *Follow Color Code Carefully* 

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Blue Mixed Paper

Residents may also drop off their recyclables at the Aberdeen Public Works Garage, located on Lennox Road. Hours of operation are Monday through Saturday, 7 AM -3 PM. Items can also be left at the Aberdeen Township Hall parking lot on Church St. on the third Saturday of each month between 10 AM and 2 PM

Commingled