



IMPORTANT NOTICE:

July 1, 2012

FRANKLIN TRANSFER STATION GENERAL INFORMATION

Note: Effective April 15, 2010, the way trash is collected and sorted at the Transfer Station will change. Mandatory Recycling is required. The changes noted below will enable the City to save a substantial amount of money and establish a long-term solution to future disposal costs.

FRANKLIN TRANSFER STATION LOCATION

The Franklin Transfer Station is located at 75 Punch Brook Road. From the intersection of Route 3 and Route 3A/11, go south on Route 3 (South Main Street) 2.2 miles to Punch Brook Road (which will be on your right).

HOURS OF OPERATION

The hours of operation for the Franklin Transfer Station are 7:30 am to 3:00 pm, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. The Transfer Station is CLOSED Sundays, Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays and Holidays.

HAULING LITTER TO THE TRANSFER STATION

Pursuant to Franklin City Code, ALL loads of trash and debris must be covered when in transit to the Transfer Station, please!

PERMITS

Decals for Residential and Commercial Facility use may be obtained at the Transfer Station and are issued annually in June. Decals must be clearly displayed on the passenger side of the vehicle. Out-of-town contractors doing business in the City of Franklin must obtain an annual application from the Municipal Services Department, located at 43 West Bow Street in Franklin, New Hampshire. Credit applications are also available to start a charge account. The telephone number for Municipal Services is 603-934-4103



CONTACT INFORMATION AND QUESTIONS

If you have any questions regarding the disposal of any item or any other solid waste questions, please contact the Transfer Station at 603-934-3206 Tuesdays through Saturdays between 7:30 am and 3:00 pm, or the Municipal Services Department Office at 603-934-4103 Mondays through Fridays between 7:30 am and 4:30 pm.

GENERAL DISPOSAL INFORMATION

Single Stream Recyclables will be disposed of in the Transfer Station Hopper. All other solid waste, including non recyclable trash, must be separated and disposed of at specified drop-off

areas within the facility. For a detailed breakdown of what type of items are acceptable for disposal / recycling, and how such items should be prepared for drop-off at the Transfer Station, please see the “Disposal Guidelines” flyer.

HAZARDOUS WASTE AND PROHIBITED ITEMS

Certain items are unacceptable for drop-off at the Transfer Station. Most of the items listed below are accepted at the annual Hazardous Waste Collection Day, which is held the last Saturday in July. The City of Franklin Transfer Station does not accept the following items:



From the House:

Arts and crafts supplies
Drain opener & Oven cleaner
Dry-cleaning fluids
Epoxies and resins
Floor cleaner & polish
Metal polish
Photo chemicals
Spot remover

From the Garage:

Radiator cleaners
Car wax and polish
Carburetor cleaners & degreasers
Gasoline, antifreeze and other automobile fluids
Gasoline tanks / diesel tanks
Automobiles, engines and other automotive parts

From the Yard and Garden:

Cesspool cleaner
Coal tar-based driveway sealer
Roofing tar
Muriatic acid
Pesticides (1 gallon containers or smaller)
Herbicides & weed killers
Pool chemicals
Rust preventative

From the Workbench and Other items:

Paint Stripper / Oil-based paints
Paint thinners & solvents
Stains & varnishes / Spray paint
Wood preservative / Sealants
HOT ASHES from wood burning stoves
Closed containers such as 55 gallon barrels
Barrels & drums with fluid or hazardous waste
Animal carcasses / dead animals
Ammunition and explosives
Asbestos containing items

LAKES REGION HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS PRODUCT FACILITY

The Lakes Region Household Hazardous Product Facility is a storage facility where residents and taxpayers can safely and conveniently dispose of unwanted materials that pose a threat to the human and natural environment.

This Facility is open May through October, every third Saturday (8:30 am – 12:00 noon). Their telephone number is 569-5826. They are located at 404 Beech Pond Road in Wolfeboro. Their email address is lrhhpf@metrocast.net.

To bring hazardous materials to this Facility, you will be charged a fee (0-5 gallons - \$40.00 or 6-10 gallons - \$80.00). Each household is limited to 10 gallons. Checks can be made out to LRHHPF (Lakes Region Household Hazardous Product Facility).

The following are some other ways to reduce the impact on the environment: Avoid products that contain hazardous ingredients, whenever possible; Buy only as much as you will use right away and give leftovers to friends or neighbors; Tell your retailer that you want to buy recycled products; Store leftovers in their original containers with the labels intact, away from children and pets.

WASTE DISPOSAL FEES

NON-FEE ITEMS	FEE ITEMS	FEE AMOUNT
Household Trash - generated from a private residence. (Note: household trash is defined as burnable waste generated as part of normal household rubbish Burnable lumber / wood waste (untreated/unpainted/ no glues or epoxies) and yard waste Steel / Iron / Aluminum / Other metals	Commercial Trash – over 250 pounds (costs adjusts annually in January)	\$44.00 per ton
	Commercial Rubbish Haulers / Packers – must dump at the Penacook Facility (costs adjusts annually in January)	\$47.50 per ton
	Asphalt shingles	\$113.00 per ton
	Residential and Commercial demolition materials including all painted and treated woods, construction waste and building materials	\$115.00 per ton
	Flourescent light bulbs (unbroken)	\$1.00 each
	Freezers / Refrigerators / Air Conditioners / Dehumidifiers (& other Freon items)	\$10.00 each
	Microwave Ovens	\$5.00 each
	Washers / Dryers / Stoves / Other appliances	\$5.00 each
	Tires: Up to 16” 16” to 24” 24” and over	\$2.00 each \$4.00 each \$6.00 each
	Propane Tanks: Up to & including 20 lb container 21 lb. & over containers	\$1.00 each \$20.00 each
	Computer Monitors: 13”, 14” & 15” 17” 19” and over	\$8.00 each \$9.00 each \$11.00 each
	Televisions: Up to 13” screens 13” screens and over Large Console & Big Screen	\$8.00 each \$18.00 each \$38.00 each
	Additional Broken Glass / CRT Charge for any computer monitor or TV	\$35.00 each
	VCR’s / CD players	\$2.00 each
	Fax Machines & Copiers	\$15.00 each



FRANKLIN TRANSFER STATION DISPOSAL GUIDELINES

The City of Franklin, City Ordinance requires residents and businesses to maximize their recycling efforts for both economic and environmental benefits. Due to facility operations, all solid waste deposited for disposal must be separated and discarded at appropriate disposal areas throughout the facility. Some items require a disposal fee and must be paid prior to disposal.

Trash must be separated and disposed of as follows with **NO HAZARDOUS WASTE / MEDICAL WASTE:**

Trash

Normal Trash typically includes paper and plastic with food waste, plate and ceramic glass, pressurized spray cans, food and wet garbage, diapers, plastic items (other than those marked #1-7), Styrofoam packing, bubble wrap, vinyl products, carpeting, mattresses, cushions. Recycling is mandatory. **NONRECYCLABLE TRASH WILL CONTINUE TO BE DISPOSED OF IN THE COMPACTOR HOPPER.** There will be an area designated adjacent to the main building where recyclables items must be deposited.

Separation of all other items listed below (at specified areas within the facility) is mandatory and these items cannot be disposed of with trash:

Single Stream Recycling

All recyclable items can be mixed together in the same recycling container. **PLEASE NOTE: SINGLE STREAM RECYCLABLES SHALL BE DISPOSED OF IN THE COMPACTOR UNIT ADJACENT TO THE MAIN BUILDING. TRASH WILL CONTINUE TO BE DEPOSITED IN THE HOPPER BUT ALL RECYCLABLES MUST BE REMOVED.**

Recyclable items include cardboard, office paper, newsprint, magazines, junk mail, paper bags, egg cartons, cereal boxes, shoe boxes, paper towel rolls, all clear & colored glass including juice containers, sauce/condiment jars and liquor/wine bottles, metal food cans, beverage cans, aluminum foil, metal lids, empty spray cans and all plastic products marked #1-7. *NOTE: For paper products, there is no bundling required; just place loose in container. For glass, rinse and remove caps and lids (which are also recyclable) and place loose in container; no need to remove labels. For metal, rinse and place loose in container; no need to remove labels. For plastic products, rinse and place loose in container.*

Construction / Demolition Material (C&D)

Materials include all painted, glued and treated wood waste, plaster, sheetrock, wood shingles, furniture, wood paneling, insulation, wooden storm windows, vinyl siding & flooring, plastic & Formica countertops, fencing and other building materials. **NO GREATER THAN 4 FOOT LENGTHS.** This is a pay item requiring loads to be weighed prior to disposal. **NO ASBESTOS PRODUCTS.** Effective January 1, 2011, all non-painted / un-treated construction material is included in this category of waste.

Burnable Wood Waste

Wood waste includes clean, un-treated, un-painted, non-glued lumber, clean pallets, tree limbs/logs and brush (up to 5 inches in diameter and 4 feet in length only). All wood waste must be no greater than 6 feet in length. No leaves; No painted, treated or glued wood; No stumps. Effective July 1, 2012 there will no longer be burning of clean untreated wood waste at the Transfer Station. Vegetative wood waste such as logs, brush etc. will still be accepted but will be stockpiled for grinding and reuse.

Stumps

Stumps from residential dwellings may be disposed of by making arrangements with the Municipal Services Department Office at 934-4103.

Leaves / Yard Waste

Leaves and yard waste must be clean of sand, litter, brush, logs and other contaminants. Material must be emptied from containers and /or bags. Pine needles, leaves, lawn and garden clippings are all acceptable. Do not empty these items at the burn pile please!

Asphalt Shingles

Asphalt shingles must be free of all other materials and are to be disposed of in a designated area. Shingles are a pay item requiring loads to be weighed prior to disposal.

Tires

Tires should be removed from rims. The City accepts tires up to 24" in size. There is a fee required to dispose of tires at the Transfer Station.

Metals

There is no charge to dispose of various metals in the metal bin, however, all contaminants must be stripped and removed from any materials deposited. Appliances and electronics should not be disposed of in the metal bin. Typical items accepted in the metal bin include steel, copper, iron, aluminum, brass, etc. No automotive parts, closed / pressurized containers, batteries, gas tanks or cable wire in the metal bin.

Household Appliances and White Goods,

Appliances, including freezers, refrigerators, washers, dryers, air conditioners, dehumidifiers and stoves, are accepted at designated drop-off areas. As some appliances require Freon removal, there is a fee to dispose of these items.

Propane Tanks

Empty tanks up to 20 lb. capacity will be accepted for a fee.

Electronics

CPU's, laptops, key boards, televisions, VCR's, CD players, computer screens and monitors, fax and copy machines, printers, microwave ovens and other electronic devices are collected for a disposal fee.

Waste Oil

Waste oil is accepted at the recycling building. Large quantities of over 5 gallons need prior approval. Waste Oil cannot be contaminated with antifreeze, gasoline, paint thinner, water or any other chemicals. If it is contaminated, please save it and bring it to the annual Hazardous Waste Collection Day.

Water Based / Latex Paints

All Latex paint cans will be accepted as part of your normal trash, provided they are properly prepared for disposal prior to drop-off. Prior to drop-off, remove the cover or lid and fill the paint cans with 50% sand or kitty litter, let air cure until paint is dry then replace cover or lid for disposal.

Oil Based Paint / Varnishes

Oil based paints and varnishes may only be disposed of at the annual Hazardous Waste Collection Day, or you may wish to contact the permanent Household Hazardous Waste Collection Center in Wolfeboro at 569-5826.

Batteries

Both dry cell and wet cell batteries are accepted. Such batteries include boat, automobile, rechargeable, cd, lithium, alkaline, etc. See the Transfer Station attendant for specific drop-off location.

Asphalt, Stone, Brick and Concrete Rubble Material

If you have large quantities of these materials, call the MSD Office to make arrangements for hauling it to the City pit. Smaller amounts can be dropped off at the Transfer Station by seeing the attendant.

Clothing

There is a Goodwill Collection container located at the facility for all types of clothing and shoes, which are in good condition. Unclean, torn clothing should be considered trash. Alternative disposal sites for clothing are available throughout the City at collection boxes.

Flourescent Tubes and Bulbs

Bulbs that are broken or unbroken must be recycled. There is a fee charged. Please see the attendant for drop-off.

Mercury containing devices

The State of New Hampshire prohibits disposal of mercury containing devices in the solid waste stream. There is a specific container for these items, which include thermometers, thermostats, etc. Mercury containing devices may also be disposed of at the City's annual Hazardous Waste Collection Day.