

SCHEDULE "A"

ACCEPTABLE MATERIALS/RECYCLING & SEPARATION/SCHEDULE OF FEES

Transfer Station permits will be issued pursuant to this document Section IV: Policies, subsection E: Transfer Station Permits, upon payment of **\$1.00**.

Recycling is **Mandatory** for all persons using the facility. The following items shall be accepted only if separated and placed in the appropriate containers and/or areas in accord with the procedures set forth below:

CATEGORY I – RECYCLING - NO FEE

1. **Scrap Metal:** All scrap metal should be free of plastic, rubber, wood or other contaminants. This includes empty dry latex paint cans with lids removed.
2. **Glass:** Bottles and jars must be empty (all contents removed), rinsed out and clean; metal caps & corks removed prior to placing in designated container.

Food left in containers will contaminate the entire load.

- a. All color and clear bottles
- b. Window glass
- c. Porcelain sinks, toilets – non-porcelain parts removed
- d. Pyrex dishes
- e. Mirrors
- f. Ceramics – coffee mugs, plates, beer steins, tile, etc.

Not recyclable: vehicle windshields, vehicle headlights, unbroken florescent bulbs including CFLs, plexiglass, etc.

Please help the Town to keep Transfer Station expenses down – If any items other than glass are mixed into the glass container, the Town will get billed extra for our contamination of the entire dumpster.

3. **Aluminum, Tin and Steel Cans:** Must be empty (all contents removed), rinsed out and clean. Crushing cans would be helpful by reducing storage volume.

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4. **Cardboard:** All corrugated cardboard which is clean, dry and not waxed; includes cardboard dairy and juice containers.

No pizza boxes (likely contains food and food stains that contaminates entire load)

5. **Grocery Bags:** Brown paper bags.
6. **Newspaper:** Can be loose or in a brown paper grocery bag, and must be clean. Other paper goods including office paper, softcover (not hard cover) books and magazines are acceptable.

- 7. **Plastics:** Must be empty (all contents removed), rinsed and cleaned; all caps removed. Only recycle numbers #1, #2, #5. All other plastic containers go in regular Trash. No plastic bags.
NOTE: Food left in containers will contaminate the entire load.
- 8. **Some Smoke Detectors:** Smoke Detectors may NOT be disposed of in any Town trash or demo waste container. Please see a Transfer Station Attendant who will manage the disposal of the detector.

CATEGORY I – NON-RECYCLING - NO FEE

- 9. **Household waste** shall be deposited in the trash compactor. Along with kitchen and household waste, these additional items should be deposited only in the trash compactor: alkaline batteries, regular incandescent light bulbs, gift wrap, carbon paper, waxed or tin foil drink cartons, saran wrap, Tyvek shipping envelopes, blue print paper, dirty paper goods, etc.
- 10. **Textiles:** Usable clothing should be given to a local charity.
- 11. **Clean Wood, Brush, Slash, Clippings and Leaves:** Lawn clippings, garden waste, leaves, twigs, non-pressure treated lumber and tree limbs less than five (5) inches in diameter and five (5) feet long.
- 12. **Certain medical waste:** See Appendix A – NH Department of Environmental Services Disposal Tips for Household Generated Sharps (WMD-SW-31 2016). Please see attendant for disposal assistance.
- 13. **Hard Cover Books:** Hardcover book disposal is in the demo waste dumpsters.

CATEGORY II - FEES REQUIRED – CASH ONLY

Coupons may also be purchased for these items at the Selectmen’s Office.

- 1. **White Goods:** A \$20 disposal fee will apply to any white goods that contain Freon like air conditioners, freezers and refrigerators, etc. Refrigerators and freezers must have their doors removed prior to acceptance at the Transfer Station. Attendant may charge a higher fee at their discretion if refrigerator and freezer doors are not removed. For all other white goods like stoves, microwaves, clothes dryers, dish & clothes washers, etc., the disposal fee is \$10.
- 2. **Bulky Waste:** placed in the large roll-off containers
 - a. Stuffed chairs \$ 10.00
 - b. Stuffed recliners \$ 10.00
 - c. Couches \$ 10.00
 - d. Couches with built-in recliners \$ 20.00
 - e. Sofa beds (sofa + mattress) \$ 20.00
 - f. Mattresses \$ 10.00
 - g. Box springs \$ 10.00
 - h. Rugs (8 feet x 10 feet or larger) \$ 10.00

3. Lawn Mowers: Push and Riding Mowers

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| a. Push mowers emptied of both gas and oil | \$ 20.00 |
| b. Riding mowers emptied of both gas and oil | \$ 30.00 |

4. Water Heaters and Steel Furnaces and Boilers

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| a. Water heaters | \$ 30.00 |
| b. Steel furnaces and boilers | \$ 30.00 |
| c. Assembled BBQ grills | \$ 30.00 |

5. Tires: passenger, wheelbarrow, boat, etc.

Up to 20" (inches) in diameter – **Six (6) tire limit per visit** \$ 4.00 each

Note: No commercial truck tires, no tractor tires. Tire rims disposed of free if removed from the tire.

6. Motor Oil Waste \$2.00 per gallon**7. Asphalt Shingles and Construction Debris/Demolition:**

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| a. Acceptable items are building materials, including but not limited to painted, stained or pressure treated wood and asphalt shingles. | |
| b. Unacceptable items are specified in Article VI.A.5. | |
| c. No commercial trailers. | |
| d. Demo up to level ½ bed pickup (tire well top or 1 foot) | \$40.00 |
| e. Demo ½ to full bed pickup (top of bed sides or 2 feet) | \$80.00 |
| f. Trailer – 6 ft. wide x 8 ft. long demo up to 1 foot high | \$40.00 |
| g. Trailer – 6 ft. wide x 8 ft. long demo up to 2 feet high | \$80.00 |
| h. Demo in contractor bags, 2 nd bag or more | \$ 5.00 per bag |
| i. Demo less than a contractor bag full (small amounts) - FREE | \$ 0.00 |

8. Computers and Televisions:

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| a. Computers and Computer Monitors | \$ 10.00 |
| b. Televisions & Flat Screen TV's | \$ 10.00 |

NOTE: Permit holders with loads in excess of one pickup truck bed are required to haul materials in items 4 and 5 above, directly to a commercial landfill such as Turnkey in Rochester. Permit holders will be allowed one pickup truck bed of demo materials per day. A convenient alternative would be to purchase a Waste Management Bagster® Bag and have the demo/waste picked up at your location. For more information, please visit <https://www.wm.com/us/en/services/on-demand-pickup/bagster>

CATEGORY III - BURN PILE MATERIALS

The Town shall accept the following materials for open air burning in accordance with state and local regulations: 'metal free' untreated wood and untreated dimensional lumber.

During such times as the State Forest Fire Warden or the Effingham Forest Fire Warden may declare open burning to be unsafe, the Town will not accept any materials described above, until such time as the fire hazard has been lifted.

CATEGORY IV- BRUSH PILE

The Town shall accept the following materials for the brush pile: brush, and slash five (5) inches or less in diameter and five (5) feet or less in length.

CATEGORY V- COMPOST PILE

The Town shall accept the following materials for the compost pile: cut grass, leaves and yard waste. Residential material only, no commercial contractor compost.

Note: Compost is available to permit holders for FREE.

CATEGORY VI - UNUSED MEDICINES

There are several options for safe disposal in the Lakes Region area:

- Local Drop Boxes - <https://www.dhhs.nh.gov/dcbcs/bdas/documents/drop-box-locations.pdf>
- LRHHPF Collections - <https://www.wolfborough.us/lakes-region-household-hazardous-product-facility>
- National Drug Takebag Day (usually spring/fall) - <https://takebackday.dea.gov/>
- Contact your local drug store or pharmacy for possible disposal locations.

CATEGORY VII - WASTE TO BE TRANSFERRED

Residual solid waste: solid waste and household trash/garbage which is not listed above for recycling/separation is prohibited. The Board of Selectmen may alter the hours of operation at any time. The Board of Selectmen may alter the schedule of fees and penalties only after holding a public hearing with proper notice to be in accordance with the requirements of RSA 41:9-a, IV (i.e. newspaper advertisement, posting in two public places).

This Schedule "A" shall be effective after a duly scheduled Effingham Board of Selectmen Public Hearing.

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