TOWN OF WILBRAHAM RECYCLING INFORMATION

www.wilbraham-ma.gov
Wilbraham Disposal and Recycling Center: 2720 Boston Road, Wilbraham
PERMITS REQUIRED – Purchase at Town Hall
Residents: $120  Seniors: $100
Trash bags sold @ Town Hall, Big Y-Wilbraham, Main St. Mart & The Senior Center

HOURS:  Wednesday, Friday 7:00AM - 3:00PM
Saturday 7:00AM - 5:00PM  Sunday 12:00PM – 5:00PM

PAPER
Keep these materials together and separate from household trash.

- Yard Waste
  - Leaves, grass, other easily raked materials.
  - Branches 6” x 6’ max.
  - No stumps.
  - No plastic or paper bags.

- Junk mail
- Boxboard – Cereal, shoe, cracker boxes, etc.; remove plastic liners. No waxed paper, pizza boxes or egg cartons.
- Newspapers/inserts
- Magazines and catalogs
- Brown paper bags
- White and colored paper
- Computer paper
- Corrugated cardboard – Flatten, remove tape and string. All paper and cardboard must be clean & dry.

CONTAINERS
Rinse. Keep these materials together and separate from paper.

- Glass bottles/jars, all colors and sizes – Labels, lids, corks, neck rings, etc. may stay. No broken or other glass such as light bulbs, window or auto glass, dishes, drinking glasses, Pyrex.
- Aluminum, tin/steel cans and lids and aluminum foil – Labels may stay on. No paint or aerosol cans or other metal items.
- Milk & juice cartons (tent top), drink boxes – Remove straws and caps, flatten. Place in bin with other containers.

PLASTIC
All plastic bottles, jars, tubs and plastic microwave trays/containers
Δ #1-5 and Δ #7 plastics are acceptable. Δ #6 block Styrofoam (No packing peanuts). Label and detergent spouts may be left on.

NO caps, lids, pumps, or wraps. NO plastic bags, containers over 2 gallons, motor oil, chemical or foam containers or flower pots.
NO black microwave trays or pill bottles. NO toys or CD cassette

Other Materials To Recycle

- Metal Items & Appliances
  - Purchase stickers at Town Hall.
  - $25 per TV or computer monitors (any size).
  - No charge – laptops or tablets
  - Purchase stickers at Town Hall.

- Cell Phones
  - Place in Marked Container located next to Trash Disposal Hopper

- Paint
  - Dried out Latex paint can be disposed of after inspection by the attendant

- Nickel & Button Batteries
  - Nickel, camera, phone, etc. 9 volt and button.
  - Wrap in duct tape and give to attendant.
  - Alkaline Batteries can go in household trash.

- Electronics
  - $25 per TV or computer monitors (any size).
  - No charge – laptops or tablets
  - Purchase stickers at Town Hall.

- Books

- Paper
- Newspapers/inserts
- Magazines and catalogs
- Corrugated cardboard
- Plastic

Other Materials To Recycle

- Yard Waste
  - Leaves, grass, other easily raked materials.
  - Branches 6” x 6’ max.
  - No stumps.
  - No plastic or paper bags.

- Fluorescent Bulbs
  - Drop off at Disposal and Recycling Center and give to attendant to place in fluorescent shed

- Nickel & Button Batteries
  - Nickel, camera, phone, etc. 9 volt and button.
  - Wrap in duct tape and give to attendant.

- Alkaline Batteries can go in household trash

Pizza boxes, flower pots, dried out latex paint and all non-recycling items must be placed in orange bags.

SAVE OUR ENVIRONMENT & RESOURCES.

THANK YOU FOR RECYCLING

25, Mon.-Fri. 8:30-4:30
Town of Wilbraham
Recycling Information

For more information, call (413) 596-2800, Ext.225

Recycling – it’s easier than you think!!

Think recycling is difficult or confusing? Well, good news! Recycling requirements have changed over the years making it even simpler for you to participate. Most items can be dropped in the designated bins! Fees apply for disposal of Electronics, T.V’s, Monitors, Refrigerators, Freezers, Air Conditions, and Dehumidifiers. Stickers can be purchased at Town Hall Collector’s Office.

Did you know…?

Massachusetts prohibits the disposal of the following items:

- Paper and cardboard
- Bottles and cans
- Leaves and yard waste
- TV’s and computers
- Large home appliances

Be sure to keep these items out of your trash.

For More Details on Recycling please contact us at (413) 596-2800, Ext. 225 or go to www.wilbraham-ma.gov.

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency’s Phase II Storm Water Regulations prohibits the disposal of paints, household waste, chemicals or pet waste into catch basins, streams or waterways. For more information, visit the EPA website at www.epa.gov/npdes/stormwater.

Your efforts are making a difference!!

Last year, the Wilbraham DRC saved thousands of dollars in trash fees by removing recyclables from the waste stream. Enough energy was saved by recycling aluminum cans to run a refrigerator for more than three years. You continue to make our recycling program a success! With your continued commitment, we will achieve our recycling goals. Keep up the good work!!