

GARBAGE PICK-UP:

As the Township does not provide garbage pickup, residents must contract with a private hauler. (The Township does not provide referrals and suggests speaking with neighbors.)

2015 COUNTY CURBSIDE RECYCLING DATES/INFORMATION

January 5, 20	July 6, 20
February 2, 17	August 3, 17, 31
March 2, 16, 30	September 14, 28
April 13, 27	October 12, 26
May 11, 26	November 9, 23
June 8, 223	December 7, 21



<p>NEWSPAPER Newspapers must be bundled and tied with string or twine.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Newspaper • Inserts that come with the newspaper, such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - comics - TV/magazine sections - glossy coupons - colored food/store ads 	
<p>GLASS BOTTLES, PLASTIC BOTTLES (#1-#7), STEEL, BIMETAL & ALUMINUM CANS These items should be rinsed thoroughly and placed inside your blue recycling bucket. Only the items listed at right are acceptable.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Glass bottles (all colors) • Glass jars (all colors) • Steel cans • Bi-metal cans • Aluminum cans • All plastic bottles and containers #1-#7 <p>NO STYROFOAM</p>	<p>#1—# 7 Examples: water, soda, milk, juice, soap, detergent, bleach, shampoo and cleaning agent bottles. You may also include peanut butter, yogurt and diaper-wipe containers, margarine tubs, plastic trays and clear plastic clamshell containers from restaurant salad bars.</p>
<p>OTHER PAPER/JUNK MAIL Other paper should be placed in a brown paper bag and placed next to your blue recycling bucket.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Magazines • Writing/school paper • All envelopes • Copy paper • Paperback books • Hardcover books • Non-metallic gift wrap 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Catalogs • Phone books • Store Fliers • Office paper • Non-metallic gift wrap • Greeting cards
<p>CORRUGATED CARDBOARD & CHIPBOARD Corrugated cardboard must be cut into squares of 2ft. x 2ft. and tied with string or twine. Place bundle next to blue recycling bucket.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Corrugated cardboard • Pizza Boxes • Brown paper bags • Chipboard Boxes: Cereal, cookie, pasta, cake, cracker, detergent (remove plastic liners), gift, shoe, shirt or any retail boxes. • Poster board and backing on writing pads • Tissue boxes; paper towel rolls 	

Residents are asked to thoroughly clean and rinse their recycling buckets periodically with hot, soapy water. Clean buckets attract fewer pests and reduce offensive odors.

Recyclables are the property of Somerset County when placed at the curb. Please notify your local police if anyone other than County employees removes recyclables from the curb. Theft of recyclable materials is illegal.

HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE

2015 Hazardous Waste Disposal Days - 9:00 AM—2:00 PM



March 21, Bernards Township Public Works

April 18, Warren Township Public Works

June 20, Franklin Township Sewerage Authority

September 12, Branchburg Township Public Works

October 24, South County Public Works Garage

For more information on Household Hazardous Waste Drop-off locations, please call 908/231-7031.

What CAN be collected:

- All hazardous waste generated from households along with **banned or outdated pesticides** (must be in their original, labeled containers)
- Auto products: Anti-freeze, transmission fluids, brake fluids, wet-cell car batteries, motor oil (2 gallon maximum) & used oil filters
- Fluorescent tubes & compact fluorescent lights
- Ammonia-based cleaners
- Gasoline, kerosene
- Mercury, Mercury switches
- Oil-based paints*
- Pool chemicals
- Propane tanks
- Rechargeable and button cell batteries

What CANNOT be collected:

- Unknown or unidentified material
- Electronic Waste, smoke alarms
- Air conditioners/dehumidifiers
- Tires
- Gas cylinders
- Infectious Waste
- Explosives
- Dioxins
- PCBs
- Pentachlorophenol
- 2, 4, 5-TP (Silvex)
- Latex paint *

*Latex or water-based paints may be air-dried or diluted with water, and the cans can be thrown in the regular trash.

OTHER COUNTY SPONSORED PROGRAMS:

Electronic Waste Collection:

Somerset County residents can bring electronic waste to Newtech Recycling weekdays from 7:00 AM – 5:00 PM or on the first Saturday of the month.

Newtech Recycling, Inc.
600 A Apgar Drive, Building 600A
Somerset, NJ 08873
732/564-3110
www.newtechrecycling.com

Christmas Tree Recycling:

The Somerset County Park Commission accepts Christmas trees during the month of January at North Branch Park, Parking Lot A, in Bridgewater or in Colonial Park, Parking Lot F, in Somerset. For information on Christmas tree recycling ONLY, call 908/722-9292, press 6.

