RECYCLING IN THE NEK*

Items not on this list are not accepted for recycling.

NEWSPAPERS, MAGAZINES & OFFICE PAPER (JUNK MAIL): Can be mixed together - Includes catalogs, telephone books, glossy inserts and paperback books as well as colored paper, white paper, wrapping paper and junk mail. Any color or type of paper can be in this category.

NO brown Kraft bags, boxboard, coffee cups, ice cream cartons, or metallic wrapping paper.

CORRUGATED CARDBOARD & BROWN KRAFT BAGS & BOXBOARD: Remove excess tape. Staples are OK. Please no strings, handles, or bags with plastic layers. NO wax-coated cardboard, cardboard soiled with food waste, coffee cups, ice cream cartons, or Styrofoam.

TIN CANS: Labels are OK. Flattening is not required. Separate from aluminum cans (A magnet will stick to tin but not to aluminum). Please rinse.

ALUMINUM CANS, FOIL, AND FOOD TRAYS: Labels OK. Flattening not required, please rinse. Snack bags and candy wrappers are not aluminum foil.

GLASS (ALL COLORS): Clear, green, blue, and amber bottles and jars. Please rinse. Window glass, mirror, ceramic, Pyrex and drinking glasses are acceptable. NO crystal, lids, metal or wood. NO light bulbs.

#1 through #7 PLASTIC CONTAINERS: Look for the recycling number stamped on the bottom of the container. Includes all labeled plastic containers and lids. Labels are OK, please crush larger containers. Tubs and automotive product containers are acceptable as long as they are completely drained of fluid. Please rinse. NO vinyl siding, toys, CD cases, VHS tapes, Styrofoam, syringes, or medical devices – call for proper disposal options for these items.

PLASTIC BAGS: Plastic bags must be labeled #2 or #4, includes Bubble Wrap. NO Zip Locks or nylon woven bags.

ELECTRONICS: Computers; Peripherals; Computer Monitors; Cathode Ray Tubes; Televisions; Printers; Personal Electronics such as Personal Digital Assistants and Personal Music Players; Electronic Game Consoles; Fax Machines; Wireless Telephones; Telephones; Answering Machines; Videocassette Recorders; Digital Versatile Disc Players; Digital Converter Boxes; Stereo Equipment and power supply cords (as used to charge electronic devices). NO coffee makers, irons, or vacuum cleaners.

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<u>FOOD WASTE</u> — Food Scraps Only, meat, seafood, dairy products, fruits, and vegetables. Please keep liquids, oils, and grease separate. **NO PLU stickers, milk or juice cartons, compostable bags, utensils, plates or cups, store bought floral products.**

ADDITIONAL RECYCLABLE MATERIALS:

- Aerosol Cans
- Agricultural Bale Wrap
- Alkaline Batteries, Automotive Batteries, Rechargeable Batteries
- Cellular Phones
- Fluorescent Bulbs, CFL's
- Hard and Soft Covered Books
- Lead Fishing Sinkers
- Leaf and Yard Waste
- Liquid Cooking Oils
- Mercury Containing Devices (Thermostats, Thermometers, Etc.),
- Oil, Oil Filters
- Printer Cartridges
- Propane Tanks
- Scrap Metal
- Tires Fees apply for tires. Check with your local facility for pricing.

HOUSHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE – BY APPOINTMENT ONLY

Monday – Friday, May through the end of September in Lyndonville Special remote events throughout the District; May 1 – October 1. Fees apply for business wastes. Call for details or

Lyndonville walk-in is open to residents of all NEKWMD Towns Wednesday 8am – 4pm & Saturday 8am – 3pm

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS – PLEASE CONTACT THE NORTHEAST KINGDOM WASTE MANAGEMENT DISTRICT AT (802) 626-3532 or (800) 734-4602

On the web at www.nekwmd.org, e-mail progmgr@nekwmd.org

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Acceptable HHW Materials

HOUSEHOLD ITEMS

- AEROSOLS
- AIR FRESHENERS
- AMMONIA
- ARTS AND CRAFTS SUPPLIES
- BLEACH
- CLEANERS (INCLUDES: DRAIN, OVEN, FLOOR, WINDOW, TOILET, RUG, ETC.)
- DISINFECTANTS
- METAL & FURNITURE POLISH
- MOTHBALLS
- MERCURY THERMOMETERS
- NAIL POLISH & REMOVER
- NI-CD, LITHIUM, Mi-MH, AND BUTTON CELL BATTERIES
- SPOT & STAIN REMOVERS
- ALKALINE BATTERIES *

GARDEN SUPPLIES

- CREOSOTE
- DIOXINS
- FERTILIZERS
- FLEA KILLERS
- FUNGICIDES
- HERBICIDES
- INSECT SPRAYS
- MURIATIC ACID
- NO-PEST STRIPS
- PESTICIDES
- RODENT KILLERS

GARAGE

- ANTIFREEZE
- BRAKE FLUID *
- CORROSIVES

CAR WAXES AND CLEANERS

GARAGE (CONTINUED)

- ENGINE DEGREASERS
- FLUORESCENT LIGHT BULBS *
- GASOLINE/DRY GAS
- KEROSENE
- LEAD-ACID CAR BATTERIES *
- LIGHTER FLUID
- OIL-BASED PAINT
- LATEX-BASED PAINT
- PAINT THINNER
- PROPANE CYLINDERS
- SEALANTS
- STAINS/STRIPPERS
- SWIMMING POOL CHEMICALS
- TRANSMISSION FLUID *
- WOOD PRESERVATIVES
- USED MOTOR OIL AND FILTERS *

PLEASE DO NOT BRING:

- ASBESTOS
- EXPLOSIVES, INCLUDING GUN POWDER, AMMUNITION
- FLARES
- INFECTIOUS WASTE
- PRESCRIPTION MEDICATION
- RADIOACTIVE WASTE, INCLUDING SMOKE DETECTORS
- UNKNOWN GAS CYLINDERS
- EMPTY CONTAINERS

CALL THE NEKWMD IF YOU HAVE ITEMS YOU CANNOT IDENTIFY OR HAVE ITEMS NOT ON THIS LIST 802-626-3532 or 800-734-4602 or www.nekwmd.org

The NEKWMD hazardous waste collection program is made possible in part by a grant from the Vermont Agency of Natural Resources. This year's grant totaled \$50,479.

^{*} ALSO ACCEPTED AT OIL AND BATTERY STATIONS YEAR ROUND

MAIDSTONE RESIDENTS BULKY ITEM DISPOSAL

Saturday, August 8, 2015 8:00am-12:00pm

Bulky items will be accepted free of charge at the McVetty residence at 1342 VT Route 102 in Maidstone.

Acceptable materials include, but are not limited to:

Mattresses
Box Springs
Rugs & Carpet
Treated Wood

Couches Chairs Toilets Sinks

Sheetrock
Fiberglass
Painted Wood
Bathtubs

<u>Unacceptable materials</u> include, but are not limited to: Cars, boats, campers, hazardous wastes, and household trash.

Fees Apply for Tires:

\$2.00 for tires 17" and less (off the rim)
\$7.00 for tires greater than 17" (off the rim)
Prices are doubled for tires on the rim

For questions concerning acceptable materials, recycling opportunities, and household hazardous waste disposal please contact the NEKWMD at 626-3532.