



**Town of Barnstable**  
**Department of Public Works**  
**Transfer Station & Recycling Center**  
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Solid Waste Division

## **Rules and Regulations**

### **Residential Transfer Station Sticker:**

The Residential Transfer Station Sticker is available for purchase by any residential property owner or year-round tenants of a residential property located in the Town of Barnstable. Stickers may be issued for passenger vehicles, vans or pick-up trucks. The Residential Transfer Station Sticker entitles the sticker holder to dispose of their bagged household trash and recyclables.

Residential Transfer Station Stickers may be purchased at the Office of the Transfer Station & Recycling Center. **Proof of residency and a valid vehicle registration is required for all stickers. All paperwork must connect the vehicle obtaining the sticker to a residential property in the Town of Barnstable.**

Residential property owners and tenants of a residential property may purchase a total of two (2) Residential Transfer Station Stickers per household. Stickers are non-transferable. The second vehicle **must** be registered to the same address as the first vehicle.

Stickers **must** be permanently affixed to the inside lower left (driver's side) corner of the windshield.

All household trash must be bagged to be disposed of at the Transfer Station. Disposal of another resident's trash is an unauthorized use of the sticker.

Low Income Stickers are available to those residents who qualify. Applications are available at the Office of the Transfer Station & Recycling Center or on the Transfer Station & Recycling Center website.

Residential Transfer Station Stickers will go on sale May 1, 2018 for the sticker that runs from July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2019.

### **Disposal of Bagged Household Trash Without a Sticker:**

Residential property owners and year-round tenants of residential property may dispose of their bagged household trash without a sticker but will be charged a fee for disposal each time they do so.

### **Residential Recycle Only Sticker:**

Beginning on January 1, 2015, residential property owners and year-round tenants of residential properties in the Town of Barnstable who wish to dispose of corrugated cardboard, single stream recycling and other recyclable materials are required to have a Residential Recycle Only sticker affixed to their windshield. The Residential Recycle Only sticker is free of charge and is available in the Office of the Transfer Station & Recycling Center. There is a maximum of two (2) Residential Recycle Only stickers per household.

Some recyclable material will still have a disposal fee that applies, see Fee Schedule.

The Residential Recycle Only sticker allows for the disposal of yard waste, limited to leaves and grass, for composting at no charge.

The Transfer Station & Recycling Center is continuing with the Single Stream Recycling Program. Glass, paper, tin cans, and plastic cans are disposed of in the same compactors for recycling. Corrugated cardboard is separated and disposed of in designated compactors.

All rules and regulations of the Transfer Station & Recycling Center apply to the Residential Recycle Only sticker.

### **Replacement Stickers**

A replacement sticker will be issued with the return of the old sticker or documented proof, approved by the Division Supervisor, that the old sticker has been destroyed. Please refer to the Fee Schedule for associated fees.

### **Construction & Demolition (C&D) Material:**

Residents and contractors may dispose of building materials from the construction/demolition of structures located in the Town of Barnstable for a fee in vehicles restricted to the size no larger than that of a full-size pick-up. Carpeting and rugs can be no larger than 4' x 4' or lengths of wood no longer than 4'. C&D disposal is restricted to loads less than 5 cubic yards of material. Mixed C&D is a load that contains 20% or more of metal, cardboard, or other non-C&D material.

All vehicles will be weighed at the scale, unless the Gate Attendant determines the minimum charge is in order due to the small volume of debris.

Sleeper sofas must have the mattress removed and there will be an additional charge for the disposal of the mattress.

### **Transfer Station Scale is Inoperative:**

If the scale becomes inoperative for any reason, all vehicles requiring weighing will be charged according to the Fee Schedule.

### **Bulky Items:**

Bulky items may be disposed of for a fee. These items include furniture, mattresses, box springs, couches and other items determined by the Gate Attendant. Large furniture, rugs and couches may be weighed in order to determine the disposal fee.

### **Enforcement:**

It is the responsibility of all users of the Transfer Station & Recycling Center to stop at the Gate House and see a Gate Attendant before disposing of any chargeable items.

If any person attempts to use the Transfer Station & Recycling Center using a vehicle with a sticker affixed to it that was issued to another vehicle, the sticker will be subject to confiscation by the Solid Waste Division.

The driver of any vehicle requiring weighing who leaves the Transfer Station & Recycling Center after disposing of trash without having paid the applicable fee shall be subject to criminal prosecution.

Continuous and flagrant disregard for the Rules and Regulations contained herein and/or posted at the facility shall be deemed sufficient cause for the Supervisor of the Solid Waste Division to bar the entrance of any vehicle, or to revoke a Residential Transfer Station Sticker.

Whoever, himself, herself or by his or her agent, or as the agent of any other person or any firm or corporation, violates the above regulations shall be punished by a fine of not more than three hundred dollars (\$300.00).

### **Effective Dates**

The Transfer Station & Recycling Center sticker prices will remain in effect through June 30, 2019. Transfer Station & Recycling Center fees and charges in this schedule are intended to be in effect July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2019.

Transfer Station & Recycling Center  
508-428-2258  
Open 7 Days a Week  
7:30 am to 3:30 pm  
Closed on Holidays

Inclement weather or unforeseen circumstances may result in the Transfer Station & Recycling Center closing without notice. All efforts will be taken to provide advanced notice but may not be possible.

**BANNED MATERIALS  
FOR DISPOSAL AT  
THE TRANSFER STATION & RECYCLING CENTER**

Pursuant to the Department of Environmental Protection requirements of 310 CMR 19.000, the following materials are banned from disposal with Construction and Demolition (C&D) and Municipal Household Trash:

Asphalt Pavement*	Recyclable Paper
Brick*	Recyclable Plastics
Concrete*	White Goods
Batteries	TV's & Monitors
Glass Containers	Tires
Metal	Leaves & Grass
Appliances	Cardboard

These materials will not be accepted at the Construction and Demolition area or with Municipal Household Trash.

\*Asphalt Pavement, Concrete and bricks are not accepted at the Transfer Station & Recycling Center.

All other materials are accepted at the Transfer Station & Recycling Center. Please see the Fee Schedule for fees and charges for disposal.

Thank you,

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