

## RECYCLES

Recycling is mandatory in the State of Connecticut and Woodbridge takes RECYCLING seriously. Listed below are items accepted at the Woodbridge Transfer Station.

- ◆ Aluminum
- ◆ Batteries
- ◆ Nickel Cadmium (Ni-Cd)
- ◆ Nickel Metal Hydride (Ni-MH)
- ◆ Nickel Zinc (Ni-Zn)
- ◆ Lithium Ion (Li-ion)
- ◆ Small Sealed Lead (Pb)
- ◆ **NO ALKALINE, NON-RECHARGEABLE OR LITHIUM BATTERIES ARE ACCEPTED**
- ◆ Box Board (Cereal Boxes)
- ◆ Corrugated Cardboard
- ◆ Electronic Waste (TV's, Computers, Monitors)
- ◆ Fluorescent Light Bulbs
- ◆ Glass (brown / clear / green)
- ◆ Junk Mail
- ◆ Leaves / Grass Clippings (not in bags)
- ◆ Metals
- ◆ Newspapers
- ◆ Motor Oil
- ◆ Paper—clean office type
- ◆ Plastics #1 through #7
- ◆ Mixed Scrap Metals

**Please check with the attendant at the Transfer Station with any questions you may have regarding recycling.**

**Free Sand** (up to a 5-gallon container) is available to residents during the winter months at the Transfer Station.

Due to the popularity, supplies may run low at time, so please call the transfer station at 203-393-3090 for available product.

Residents must provide their own container for the sand. The use of Town equipment and personnel is strictly prohibited.

## Fee Schedule

The following fee schedule associated with the Transfer Station.



**Appliance** -Appliances that contain CFHC/HCFC (refrigerants) such as air conditioners, freezers, dehumidifiers and refrigerators are accepted at the transfer station for a fee of **\$10 per unit**.



**Brush** -residential brush is accepted for a fee of **\$10** per cubic yard. Brush should be no longer than 6-feet and no wider than 3-inches in diameter. Logs should be cut to 3-foot lengths. Disposal is limited to a maximum of 2-cubic yards per trip.



**Demolition** -residential demolition may be disposed of for **\$20** per cubic yard; with a 2-cubic yard limit. Some samples of demolition debris is: sheetrock, wood decking, wood fencing and roof shingles.



**Tires**-old tires must be off the rims and no larger than 16-inches in diameter. The fee per tire is **\$2**.

Should a resident hire a private contractor to dispose of debris, the resident is responsible for obtaining a "temporary permit" This "temporary permit" is issued to the resident and must include the name of the hauler, town the hauler is located in, make / model / license plate of the vehicle that the hauler is using to dispose the debris. Any fees associated with the disposal must be paid prior to entering the Transfer Station.

Some residents choose to use a private trash hauler for their household trash and recyclable. Please contact the Public Works Office if you need information on these private haulers. Private haulers must adhere to the same recycling laws governed by the State of CT Department of Energy and Environmental Protection if using the Woodbridge Transfer Station.

Private trash / recycle haulers must also register with the Public Works Office on a yearly basis.

## TRANSFER STATION HOURS

85 Acorn Hill Road  
Woodbridge, CT 06525  
203-393-3090

**OPEN:** Tuesday—Saturday  
8:30 AM—3:00PM

**CLOSED:** Sunday, Monday and  
Legal Holidays

## TRANSFER STATION PERMITS

The Transfer Station is a permit-required facility-open to all Woodbridge Residents. All vehicles entering the Transfer Station must have a valid permit. All permits may be obtained at The Sheehy Department of Public Works, 15 Meetinghouse Lane, Woodbridge, CT Monday—Friday, 8:30am—4:00pm (behind the Town Hall Building).

There are two types of permits issued: a sticker-type permit and a "temporary" paper-type permit. Sticker-type permits are issued to vehicles that are registered in the Town of Woodbridge and not leased or under a company name.

If a resident has a leased vehicle or vehicles registered under a company name and plan to utilize the Transfer Station with those vehicles, they will be issued a "temporary" paper type permit. The resident is responsible for providing the make, model and license plate number for each vehicle they plan to use at the Transfer Station Permits for leased or company registered vehicles are issued on a fiscal year basis: July-June and must be renewed every year.

Residents are required to show the vehicle registration for each vehicle that they wish to obtain a permit. Permits should be visibly displayed on the appropriate vehicle.

**TOWN OF WOODBRIDGE**

**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS**

**RECYCLING**

**IN**

**WOODBRIDGE**

**What You Need To Know**



**SHEEHY DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS**

**BUILDING**

**15 MEETINGHOUSE LANE**

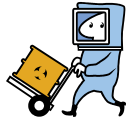
**WOODBRIDGE, CT 06525**

**203-389-3420 –Phone**

**203-389-3488 –Fax**

**WWW.WOODBRIDGECT.ORG**

## HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE PROGRAM



The Town of Woodbridge participates in the Household HazWaste Central Program with other member towns through the Regional Water Authority. The Regional Water Authority (RWA) is located at 90 Sargent Drive, New Haven, CT. The facility is open for residential drop-off from mid-MAY through the last Saturday in October. Residential collections are accepted on Saturday's only from 9:00AM—NOON.

Some of the acceptable materials are: Kitchen & bathroom aerosols, floor care products, furniture polish, oven cleaners, garage & workshop chemicals such as antifreeze, brake fluids, oil-based paint, garden and miscellaneous items such as moth balls, insecticides, and herbicides. For a complete listing of hazardous material you may contact customer service at RWA Hazardous Waste Central 203-401-2712 or their website at [www.rwater.com](http://www.rwater.com).

Woodbridge also participates in two "HOME TOWN DAYS" at the Regional Water Authority HazWaste Program in New Haven. Volunteers are always needed to assist with traffic flow and handouts. Anyone interested in volunteering should contact the Public Works Office at 203-389-3420 for the specific dates and more information. This is a great opportunity for community service project hours.

**At no time does a volunteer come in contact with any chemicals and / or hazardous waste!**

## Special Hazardous Waste Collection Day Saturday, October 15, 2016 Woodbridge Transfer Station

Woodbridge holds a special collection for hazardous waste at the Woodbridge Transfer Station through the Regional Water Authority Household HazWaste Program.

This year residents may take their hazardous waste to the Woodbridge Transfer Station on **Saturday, October 15, 2016 from 9:00am—Noon.**

This program operates under the same guidelines as the household hazardous waste collection at the Regional Water Authority facility in New Haven.

For questions or additional information, please contact the Public Works Office at 203-389-3420 or the Regional Water Authority HazWaste Collection at 203-401-2172.

Volunteers are always needed for traffic control and distribution of informational handouts. Please contact the Public Works Office for volunteer sign-ups.



## PAINT CANS

Effective October 2013 the Woodbridge Transfer Station is now a collection site for paint / stains / and the like. This includes interior and

exterior paints, deck coatings, floor paints, primers, sealers, under-coaters, stains, shellacs, lacquers, varnishes, waterproofing, concrete, masonry, wood sealers and repellents, metal coatings, rust preventatives, field and lawn paints. All containers **MUST** be in their original container with their labels and container size be 5 gallons or less. This program is for Woodbridge residents only. For a detailed product list, please check with the Town's website at [www.woodbridgect.org](http://www.woodbridgect.org). or contact the Public Works Office at 203-389-3420. This program is not for contractors and strictly adhered to. Contractors can contact the Public Works Office for information on large quantity disposal / recycling.

## RESIDENTIAL FURNITURE / APPLIANCE COLLECTION

Furniture / appliance collection is offered 5 months during the year for residential households only. Collections are offered during the months of

- ◆ March, April and May
- ◆ October and November

### ◆ Pick ups are on Tuesday only

- ◆ Appointment must be made ahead of time.

**We strongly recommend calling 3 weeks in advance for scheduling an appointment.**

Collection must be scheduled through the Public Works Office by calling 203-389-3420, Monday-Friday, 8:30am-4:00pm. Please provide your name, address, contact phone number and a description of the items scheduled for pick up. Each household may schedule one pick up per calendar year to allow fairness for this service to all residents.

### Acceptable items include:

- ◆ Dryers, Washing Machines
- ◆ Furniture Items (couch, end tables, bookcase)
- ◆ Large Area Rugs
- ◆ Outside lawn furniture

### Acceptable Items with Fees:

- ◆ \$2.00 -Tires (must be off rims)
- ◆ \$10.00—AC, Dehumidifier, Freezer, Refrigerator

Propane tanks and lawnmowers are acceptable, but we ask that the propane tank be empty and the mowing equipment be free of oil and gasoline.

### Unacceptable Items for Pick Up:

- ◆ Outside yard waste
- ◆ Demolition / Construction Debris
- ◆ Car / Boat parts
- ◆ Small Toys / small appliances (items that fit in the trunk of a car)
- ◆ Recycles or anything that can be taken to the Transfer Station on a regular recycle basis.

Please call the Public Works Office with any questions or to schedule an appointment.

## ELECTRONIC RECYCLING



In July of 2007, the State of Connecticut was one of the first in a growing list of states that adopted a law concerning the recycling of household electronic waste (e-waste). Under this e-waste law, residents will have convenient and free opportunities to recycle their computers, printers, televisions and monitors; and manufacturers will finance the transportation and recycling of them. Retailers will be required to inform their customers about electronics recycling options, and will only be allowed to sell these products from manufacturers that have registered with the Department of Energy and Environmental Protection (DEEP). Effective January 1, 2011 there is a disposal ban on these devices.

In accordance with the above law, the Transfer Station is accepting residential electronics for proper recycling and disposal. There is a separate container for the collection of covered electronic devices (CED's). These include: computer monitors, CPU's and televisions. Peripherals such as keyboards and mice may also be disposed in the electronics container. Please ask the attendant or call the Public Works Office if you have any questions.



## Needles and Lancets

Proper and safe disposal of needles and lancets is required.

Sharps containers allow needles to be broken off and contained making them safe to throw in your regular trash. Sharps containers can be purchased in medical supply stores, pharmacies.

Large laundry bottles or coffee cans may also be used as long as needles are not able to stick through and lids are taped closed.

