

**INFORMATION GUIDE
FOR THE
DISPOSAL OF TRASH
AND
RECYCLING
IN THE
TOWNSHIP OF DENNIS**



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IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS

**POLICE, FIRE, EMS
EMERGENCY
DIAL 9-1-1**
Administration 861-9700
Finance 861-9700
Tax Collector 861-9703
Tax Assessment 861-9704
Construction/Planning/Zoning 861-9705
Code Enforcement 861-9706
Municipal Court 628-2015
Senior Citizen Center 861-3137
Recreation Department 861-1045
Public Works Department 861-5309
School House Museum 861-1899

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

MONDAY

AREA 1: From Johnson's Mill Pond North, including NW Dennis, Eldora, and Belleplain.

TUESDAY

AREA 2: From Johnson's Mill Pond south, including all of Dennisville and part of South Dennis, including all roads branching off Route 47. Route 83 to and including Dennis Creek Village. Dennisville Road from Route 83 to intersection of Hagen Road and Dennisville Road.

WEDNESDAY

AREA 3: Remainder of Route 83, Route 9 south from the intersection of Route 9 and Route 83, all of Kings Highway to Woodbine-Ocean View Road, Dennisville Road from intersection with Hagen Road to intersection with Main Street in South Seaville, Hagen Road, North and South Ravenwood Drive, and all roads branching off of these roads.

THURSDAY

AREA 4: Route 9 north of intersection with Route 83, all roads east of Route 9, Corson's Tavern Road, Woodbine-Ocean View Road, Main Street in South Seaville, De Vault's Lane, Tompkins Lane, Alexandra Way, and all roads branching off of these roads.

BULK COLLECTION

All areas will receive once a month **large item collection**:

AREA 1: **First** Friday of every month
AREA 2: **Second** Friday of every month
AREA 3: **Third** Friday of every month
AREA 4: **Fourth** Friday of every month

- ❖ Items must be placed curbside by 6:00 a.m. on day of collection.
- ❖ Items should not be placed out more than 24 hours before scheduled pick up.
- ❖ No construction or landscaping materials, tires, or auto parts.
- ❖ Remove all refrigerator & freezer doors.
- ❖ Area may not exceed 4'x8'x4'

LEAF COLLECTION

**COLLECTION WILL TAKE PLACE
EACH FALL & SPRING**

Visit www.dennistwp.org or call Public Works @ 609-861-5309 for the current schedule.

Please note: If an area takes longer than a week, that area will be completed before moving onto the next area. You may call Public Works to check schedule.

- ❖ **NO** dirt, stones, trash, brush, branches, twigs or debris with leaves (These items will ruin our vacuum)
- ❖ **NO** bagged leaves will be picked up
- ❖ **MUST** be curbside in a row by first day of scheduled collection week
- ❖ Leaves will be collected **ONE** time only on each residential street, **NO** return trips
- ❖ Leaves **MUST** be no more than 6 feet from edge of road or black top
- ❖ Do **NOT** put leaves in a fenced in area or around mailboxes, paper boxes or on hills at the edge of the road

BRUSH COLLECTION

**COLLECTION WILL TAKE PLACE
EACH FALL & SPRING**

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- ❖ Due to the enormous success and participation of this relatively new service, and in compliance with Township Ordinance, the total pile of brush for each residence must not exceed 4 feet in height, 4 feet in depth, and 8 feet in length. As a standard guideline, this size is approximately the same as the bed of a standard pick-up truck. When a pile exceeds 4'x 8'x 4' only that much of the pile will be collected.

- ❖ Brush must be placed curbside by 6:00 a.m. the day of collection
- ❖ Brush must be clean; no nails, bolts, string, etc.
- ❖ Long branches to be placed in neat piles for chipping.
- ❖ Branches must not exceed 6 inches in diameter
- ❖ **Residents must dispose of brush resulting from lot clearing or tree removal.**
- ❖ **Builders are responsible for disposing of their own brush.**
- ❖ Grass and leaves are not considered brush.

WHAT TO RECYCLE

- ❖ Glass food and beverage bottles and jars.
- ❖ Household plastic containers (food, beverage, soap, detergent, health and beauty aids having a #1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 or 7 recycling symbol). **No automobile fluid containers.**
- ❖ Aluminum and steel-plated cans (fruit, vegetable, fish and pet food cans, and bi-metal cans including non-aluminum beverage cans.
- ❖ Clean mixed paper products (junk mail, newspapers, magazines, telephone books and corrugated cardboard).
- ❖ Used motor oil.**
- ❖ Automotive batteries.**
- ❖ Any items not listed are considered non-recyclable, if any questions call the Department of Public Works at 861-5309.

The list of recyclable and non-recyclable material is provided to the Township by the CMCMUA. The Township can only collect those items accepted by the CMCMUA.

HOW TO RECYCLE**

- ❖ Rinsed glass, plastic and metal containers are to be placed in the same reusable container (plastic or metal). **No plastic or paper bags.**
- ❖ Cardboard and paper can be placed curbside in paper bags, corrugated boxes or reusable containers (metal or plastic).
- ❖ Used motor oil must be put in clear 1-gallon containers (milk jugs, preferably with screw-on lids) and brought to the Public Works garage on weekdays from 7 a.m. to 2 p.m. Please call first.

WHAT NOT TO RECYCLE

- ❖ Pizza Boxes, Waxed Boxes
- ❖ Paper Cups and Plates
- ❖ Paper Towels, Tissues, Napkins, Diapers
- ❖ Laminated or Plastic Coated Paper or Cardboard

- ❖ Food Contaminated Paper or Cardboard
- ❖ Gum Wrappers, Candy Wrappers
- ❖ Pasta/Rice Boxes
- ❖ Cardboard Milk Cartons, Beer, Soda, Cereal, and Detergent Boxes
- ❖ Carbon Paper, Photographic Paper, Paper with Heavy Paint or Crayon, Photographs, Pendaflex Folders
- ❖ Hardback Books, Cigarette packs, Gift Boxes, Shoe boxes
- ❖ Sandpaper, Wood or Glass
- ❖ Styrofoam in any form
- ❖ Bulky mixed rigid plastics
- ❖ Shredded paper

HAZARDOUS WASTE DISPOSAL

The proper and legal disposal of unwanted paints, thinners, varnishes and other hazardous household materials is done twice a year by taking them to the Cape May County Municipal Authority's hazardous materials collection location. The MUA advertises this collection in area newspapers and they do mailing to all county residents. For further information, contact the MUA at 609-465-9026. There are two collections each year, one in early spring and the other in fall.

**** Remember that we will not collect any hazardous materials at the curbside. You must store these materials and dispose of them through the MUA.**

www.cmcmua.com

HOLIDAY RECYCLING COLLECTION SCHEDULE

There will be no recycling collection on the following holidays:

***NEW YEAR'S DAY
THANKSGIVING DAY
CHRISTMAS***

HOLIDAY TRASH COLLECTION SCHEDULE

There will be no trash collection on the following holidays:

***NEW YEAR'S DAY
THANKSGIVING DAY
CHRISTMAS***

If your recycling/trash collection falls on a holiday, your items will be picked up the next business day.

ANY QUESTIONS?

Contact the Township of Dennis Department of Public Works by writing to P.O. Box 204, 571 Petersburg Road, Dennisville, NJ 08214, by email @ dtpublicworks@dennistwp.org or by calling 861-5309. Leave a message on the answering machine if the staff is out on business. The department is open from 6 a.m. to 2 p.m. Monday through Friday.

FOR TRASH:

**PINELANDS CONSTRUCTION
@ 1-609-425-8564**

FOR RECYCLING:

**PINELANDS CONSTRUCTION
@ 609-425-8564**

**All dates are subject to change.
Check the website at**

www.dennistwp.org

for most current information.

TRASH & RECYCLING RULES & REGULATIONS

- ❖ All trash and recycling items must be separated and **placed curbside by 6:00a.m. on the day of collection.**
- ❖ All trash must be in sealed or tied plastic bags or in plastic or metal containers with lids, exterior handles and drainage holes in bottom.
- ❖ Recycling containers must be labeled.
- ❖ No trash will be collected in cardboard boxes.
- ❖ **No trash or recycling containers weighing over 50 pounds will be collected.**
- ❖ No trash will be collected in 55-gallon drums.
- ❖ **No construction materials will be collected.**
- ❖ Trash and recycling materials are not to be placed curbside earlier than the night before collection.
- ❖ Businesses are responsible for their own disposal.