

Derry Township Recycling Guide



Ready, Set, Recycle

Recycling Services

Recycling is taking a product at the end of its useful life and making it into another product. The Pennsylvania Municipal Waste Planning Recycling Act of July 1998 mandates municipalities with 10,000 or more residents provide curbside recycling. Derry Township is committed to recycling to save natural resources, reduce waste disposal, reuse materials for manufacturing, and reducing air emission through its program, which includes curbside collection of recyclable items through a contracted waste hauler and the operation of a Recycling Center that accepts items in addition to what is collected curbside.

Curbside Collection

The Township's waste hauler provides a recycling bin to each household. Bins can be obtained by calling the waste hauler.

There is no limit on the quantity of acceptable recyclable items to be collected curbside. Items must be placed at the curb by 5 a.m. on the trash collection day.

Earn rewards with RecycleBank for your recycling efforts. Sign up RecycleBank.com It's a great source for recycling information.

The arrows in the recycle triangle represent **Collection, Remanufacture, and Resale.**



The Recycling Center, Public Works Facility and Municipal Building are located on Clearwater Road.



Cans and bottles never biodegrade.

Reduce

Reuse

Recycle

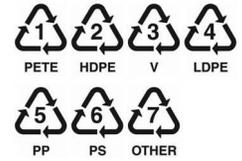
Residents are provided with a 96 gallon container for the weekly curbside collection of garbage. A Pay as You Throw option is available. We encourage residents to create less trash by buying refillable products, using refillable containers, composting, reusing items or donating them, and recycling.

Recycling Is EASY And CONVENIENT

What Goes In the Bin

Plastics

Plastic containers will have a raised #1, #2, #3, #4, #5, #6, and #7 in a triangle on the bottom indicating that they are recyclable. Common plastic items are soda bottles, milk and water containers, and detergent bottles.



Please remove the lids, rinse the containers, and recycle the lid if it is plastic. Plastic wrap and plastic bags **are not** collected in the bin.

Glass

Clear, brown, and green glass is collected. Please remove the lids and rinse the jars and bottles. Window glass, dishes, and light bulbs **are not** collected curbside.

Aluminum and Steel Cans

Items such as food, beverage, and pet food cans are accepted. Please rinse the cans. Empty aerosol cans, foil and foil pie plates and bakeware **are** collected curbside. Paint cans with dried paint only can be placed in the trash.

Paper

Newspapers, magazines, glossy paper, junk mail, telephone books, **food boxes**, and shoe boxes are collected. These items should be separate, but may be put in the bin. Staples are to be removed. Cardboard should be flattened and placed in the bin.



Recycling Center



Please call the Recycling Line, 533-8665, for the effective dates for the seasonal hours, or see the Township News.

Items Collected

Light Bulbs

Fluorescent Lamps - 4q and 8q lamps \$.12/ft.
U Tube Fluorescent Lamps \$1.10/lamp
Fluorescent Ballast \$.76/lb.
High Intensity Discharge Lamps \$4.00 each
High Intensity Discharge Ballast \$2.50/lb.

Batteries

All types and brands of batteries are accepted. Car, truck, and motorcycle batteries are accepted.

Fluids

Anti-freeze and motor oil are accepted. Do not mix with other fluids.

Tires

Tires up to 20+in diameter are \$3.00 each.
Tires on rims are \$6.00 each.

Hours of Operation

Spring and Summer

Monday	4 pm to 8
Wednesday	4 pm to 8
Friday	8 am to 3
Saturday	8 am to 3

Fall and Winter

Monday	4 pm to 8
Friday	8 am to 3
Saturday	8 am to 1



A single quart of motor oil, if disposed of improperly, can contaminate up to 2,000,000 gallons of fresh water.

Packaging Materials

Styrofoam peanuts, Polystyrene #6, and bubble wrap are accepted. Items must be clean and reusable.

Paper and Cardboard

Office paper, magazines, and glossy inserts may be brought to the Center. Corrugated cardboard that is clean, dry, and flat is accepted.

About one-third of an average dump is made of packaging material.



Misc. Items

Aluminum scrap (no cans or foil), metals (ferrous and non-ferrous), inkjet cartridges, oil filters, propane tanks, plastic bags, Christmas tree lights, retired U.S. and State flags, and crayons are accepted at no charge. Oil filters are accepted for \$.25 each.

Bulk Items

Appliances (stoves, washers, dryers) are accepted for \$15.00 each. Appliances containing Freon (refrigerators and air conditioning units) are accepted for \$25.00 each. Mattresses and box springs are accepted for \$10 each. Water heaters are accepted for \$15.00 each.

Construction material and demolition debris are not accepted at the Recycling Center.

Hazardous Waste Collection

The collection of hazardous waste may be arranged by calling 1-800-449-7587 or by visiting www.hotline@curbside.inc.

Electronics

Radios, cell phones, televisions, VCRs, stereos, cd players, scanners, telephones, typewriters, fax machines, computers, monitors, and keyboards can be taken to the Dauphin County Recycling Center located at 1625 South Cameron Street Harrisburg, PA 17104.

Recycling Hotline
533-8665