



## DERRY TOWNSHIP RECYCLING GUIDE

# READY, SET, RECYCLE

### Recycling Services

Recycling takes a product at the end of its useful life and makes 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 reduce air emissions 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.

THE ARROWS IN THE RECYCLE TRIANGLE REPRESENT COLLECTION, REMANUFACTURE, & RESALE.



### 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.

THE RECYCLING CENTER, PUBLIC WORK FACILITY & MUNICIPAL BUILDING ARE LOCATED ON CLEARWATER ROAD.

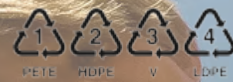
REDUCE  
REUSE  
RECYCLE

## RECYCLING IS EASY & 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 & 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

Mail, magazines, glossy paper, junk mail, telephone books, food boxes, and shoeboxes are collected. These items should be separate but may be put in the bin. Staples are to be removed. The cardboard should be corrugated, clean, dry, flattened, and placed in the bin. NO NEWSPRINT.



Cans & bottles never biodegrade.

# 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 - 4' \$1.00 per item  
Tube Fluorescent Lamps/U tubes - over 4' \$1.10 per item  
Lighting Ballast - \$2.50 per item

### **Batteries**

Types of batteries accepted: car, truck, and motorcycle batteries. **NOT ACCEPTED:** ALKALINE, LITHIUM-ION, AND NACID BATTERIES NOT ACCEPTED - Place alkaline batteries in the regular trash. (NO charge)

### **Fluids**

Anti-freeze and motor oil- Only. Do not mix. Do not mix with other fluids. (\$2.00 per item)

### **Tires**

Regular up to a 20-in inner diameter. (\$3.00 per tire) Oversized/off-road. (\$10.00 per tire) Heavy Truck/ Tractor. (\$20.00 per tire). \*add \$3.00 if still mounted on the RIM.

## HOURS OF OPERATION:

### SPRING/SUMMER SCHEDULE EFFECTIVE 3/11/2024-11/03/2024

MON & WED 4-8 pm  
FRI & SAT 8 am-3 pm  
TUES, THURS, & SUN CLOSED

### WINTER SCHEDULE EFFECTIVE 11/4/2024-3/9/2025

MON 4-8 pm  
FRI 8 am-3 pm  
SAT 8 am-1 pm  
TUES, WED, THURS & SUN CLOSED

## **Packaging Materials**

Styrofoam peanuts, Polystyrene #6, and bubble wrap are accepted, packing foam (WHITE ONLY). Items must be clean and reusable. (NO charge)

## **Paper & Cardboard**

Office paper, magazines, and glossy inserts may be brought to the Center. NO Newsprint. Corrugated cardboard that is clean, dry, and flat. (No Charge)

## **Misc. Items**

Aluminum, brass, copper, iron, tin, steel, (no cans or foil). Christmas tree lights, retired U.S. and State flags (place in mailbox outside), and crayons are accepted. (NO charge)  
Propane Tanks/Canisters; PLEASE PLACE OUTSIDE IN COLLECTION AREA (NO charge).

## **Bulk Waste**

Household items, **No Construction Materials** (\$10.00 & up-base price). Furniture, including mattress/box spring (\$10.00 per item). Large items (i.e., sectional sofas, etc.). Appliances; washer, dryer, oven, etc., (\$15.00 per item). Appliances; containing Freon (refrigerators and A/C units etc., \$25.00 per item).

Construction materials & demolition debris are not accepted at the Recycling Center.

## **Yard Waste**

Brush, trees, clippings, leaves, grass, etc. (NO Charge for Residents, \$15.00 per truck load for Contractors).

## **Hazard Waste Collection**

The collection of hazardous waste may be arranged by calling 1-800-449-7587 or by visiting [www.hotline@curbside.inc](http://www.hotline@curbside.inc)

## **Electronics**

Radios, cell phones, televisions, VCRs, stereos, cd players, scanners, telephones, typewriters, fax machines, computers, monitors, & keyboards can be taken to the **Dauphin County Recycling Center located at 1625 South Cameron Street Harrisburg, PA 17104, 717-982-6772.**

**\*WE DO NOT ACCEPT ANY ELECTRONICS.**

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**Recycling Hotline**

**717-533-8665**