



## Town of Millbury Department of Public Works

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### FY 2021 – RECYCLING CENTER - RULES & REGULATIONS

#### Recycling Center Hours of Operation

Tuesday	Open	7:00 AM – 3:00 PM
Wednesday	Open	7:00 AM – 3:00 PM
Thursday	Open	7:00 AM – 3:00 PM
Friday	Open	7:00 AM – 3:00 PM
Saturday	Open	7:00 AM – 3:00 PM

**Note: The Town reserves the right to close the station after 3 inches of snow falls per storm. The closing may last for more than a day due to the severity of the storm.**

*Note: Opening and Closing times are determined by the Recycling center time clock*

#### Holiday Schedule 2020/2021

CLOSED Saturday July 4, 2020 due to Independence Day  
CLOSED Tuesday September 8, 2020 due to Labor Day  
CLOSED Tuesday October 13, 2020 due to Columbus Day  
CLOSED Wednesday November 11, 2020 due to Veterans Day  
CLOSED Thursday November 26 & Friday November 27, 2020 due to Thanksgiving  
HALF-DAY Thursday December 24, 2020 due to Christmas EVE (Hours: 7 to 11)  
CLOSED Friday December 25, 2020 due to Christmas Day  
CLOSED Friday January 1, 2021 due to New Year's Day  
CLOSED Tuesday January 19, 2021 due to Martin Luther King Day  
CLOSED Tuesday February 16, 2021 due to Presidents Day  
CLOSED Tuesday April 20, 2021 due to Patriots Day  
CLOSED Tuesday June 1, 2021 due to Memorial Day

#### Sticker Sales at Town Clerk's Office Hours of Operation

Monday	Open	8:30 AM - 4:30 PM
Tuesday	Open	8:30 AM - 7:00 PM
Wednesday	Open	8:30 AM - 4:30 PM
Thursday	Open	8:30 AM - 4:30 PM
Friday	Open	8:30 AM - 4:30 PM
Saturday	Open	JUNE ONLY (8:30 AM – noon)

**A VALID VEHICLE REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED TO PURCHASE A STICKER.  
PROOF OF RESIDENCY IS REQUIRED.**

Stickers are valid from Date of Purchase to June 30, 2021

Recycling Center stickers remain the property of the Town of Millbury. Town Employees have the right to refuse any item deemed un-acceptable, refuse entrance to the facility to anyone not abiding by the rules and revoke the right to use the Recycling Center at any time, for any reason.

**ALL VIOLATORS ARE SUBJECT TO A THREE HUNDRED DOLLAR (\$300) FINE UNDER THE TOWN OF MILLBURY'S NON-CRIMINAL DISPOSITION BYLAW**

**Note: ALL HOUSEHOLD TRASH MUST BE IN GARBAGE/TRASH BAGS  
NO TIED PLASTIC SHOPPING BAGS**

## **FY 2021 FEES**

### **Senior Households 65 years or older**

65 or over \$0.00 (Free) One per household Spouse of senior \$7.50  
Each additional sticker will be \$25.00

### **Disabled Placard or Plate**

Disabled \$0.00 (Free) One per household Spouse of disabled driver \$7.50  
Each additional sticker will be \$25.00 Vehicle Registration must be in the name of the placard or plate registration holder for the free sticker.

### **Households under the Age of 65 and No Placard**

First sticker is \$35.00 Additional stickers are \$25.00

### **Commercial Vehicles**

First sticker is \$35.00 Additional stickers are \$25.00  
*Commercial Vehicles are only allowed if the registration of the vehicle is in the resident's name. Commercial Vehicles registered to a company name are not allowed. Vehicles registered to anyone other than the resident's name (i.e.: business or family trust, etc.) are not allowed.*

**Items that we charge for:** Payable by check or Money Order to the Town of Millbury  
Receipts must be obtained from the station attendant.

#### **Consumer Electronics \$15.00**

Including but not limited to: Computer monitors; computer towers; televisions; microwave ovens; air conditioners, etc.

**CAR Batteries \$15.00** (Note: Car Batteries can also be returned to the point of sale for free)

**Furniture:** Your first piece of furniture is free, but you must get a onetime slip from the Town Clerk's office in order to drop the furniture off. After your first free item of furniture you will be charged **\$25.00 per item.** Examples include: a couch, mattress, box spring, tables, dining room set.

### **Residential Construction and Demolition Debris Drop Off**

Pay as you throw service: Pricing structure is a flat rate and includes everything from one bag to a vehicle full of loose materials. No Exceptions.

**Construction Debris not accepted: (windows, doors, drywall, asphalt/concrete, etc.)**

#### **Acceptable Material Limited to the following:**

**(Wood, Shingles, Piping, Carpeting, Tile, Brick, Toilets, Sinks)**

This service is limited to recycling center sticker holders only. The Town Employees have the right to refuse any item deemed un-acceptable.

Pricing Structure as follows:

<b>Car, Mini Van, SUV</b>	<b>\$40.00/load</b>
<b>Truck &amp; Full Size Van</b>	<b>\$80.00/load</b>
<b>Vehicle with Trailer</b>	<b>\$150.00/ load</b>

**If a Toilet or Sink is brought to the station individually it will cost \$10.00 per item.**

Payable by check or Money Order to the Town of Millbury. Receipts may be obtained from the station attendant. This service is for Residential Construction Debris ONLY!!!!

**NO HOUSE CLEANOUTS** – you must contact a private trash hauler or get a dumpster for this. Contact the Millbury Board of Health office for a list of registered private trash haulers. (508) 865-4721

#### **WHERE TO PLACE YOUR STICKER**

Stickers must be placed on the rear window of the vehicle in the upper driver's side corner.

Recycling Center stickers must match the vehicle registration.

#### **USE OF A DIFFERENT VEHICLE**

If you need to use a different vehicle for yard waste, large items, or the vehicle with the sticker is being repaired, the Town Clerk's office may provide you with the proper paperwork.

Note: Town Clerk paperwork is required to use a different vehicle. The paperwork will only be issued for the items that you are bringing that day. If any other items are taken the attendants at the Recycling Center will not accept them.

**If you replace your vehicle's glass, the Town Clerk will issue a replacement sticker FREE OF CHARGE if you bring in your accident report or window replacement receipt.**

**If you are selling your vehicle or are switching to a different vehicle you must salvage and return the sticker to the Town Clerks office and a replacement sticker will be issued FREE OF CHARGE.**

## **RECYCLING IS MANDATORY – STATE-WIDE in MASSACHUSETTS**

All of your recyclables are able to go into any of our containers. You do not need to separate any recycling materials. Please combine all recyclables into the nearest open container.

This process is called Zero-Sort or co-mingled recycling and makes it easier for you to store recyclables (combined) at home and faster and safer to deliver them to our Transfer Station since you do not need to walk from container to container with sorted materials any longer.

### **Recycling; it all goes in together:**

Newspapers, Magazines, Catalogs, Telephone Books, Hard/Soft Covered Books, Junk Mail, Envelopes, Paper (all colors, with staples or paperclips are okay), Cereal Boxes, Shoe Boxes, Paper Milk and Juice containers, Cardboard (please collapse and flatten all cardboard), Paper bags, Plastic containers (# 1-7), Soda, Juice, and Water Bottles (glass or plastic), Plastic Milk Jugs, Bleach/Detergent Bottles, Shampoo Bottles, Food Containers (butter, cottage cheese, yogurt, etc.), Glass Bottles or jars, Aluminum Pie Plates/Trays/Foil, Metal cans, Tin/Steel/Aluminum Cans.

**METALS:** Heavy and light iron is to be placed in the provided container. Please remove any non-metal attached from these items. (Tubs, sinks, small appliances, bikes, etc.)

**CLOTHING:** The Good, The Bad, and The Ugly. This market has changed significantly since we were kids. Items can be stained, ripped, or only one shoe, sock, or glove! Clean area rugs welcome. Please no wet items! You have a choice of vendors from The Salvation Army, St. Vincent De Paul, and Planet Aid. Please place all donations in the provided containers. Please do not put the items or bags on the ground. If a container is full report it to our Attendant(s).

**LEAVES AND GRASS CLIPPINGS:** Please remove items/trash from the containers or bags used and place the materials in the compost area. Plastic bags may be placed in the provided containers. Large biodegradable bags also need to be dumped into the provided containers. This area closes December 1 until April 1 and once opened it may be closed due to weather. Shrubs and branches are not accepted.

**BRUSH CHIPPING:** Residential brush is chipped at the DPW Garage at 137 Providence Street (Route 122A) in spring and fall. Brush Chipping dates include:

**November 07, 2020**

**April 10, 2021**

**November 14, 2020**

**May 08, 2021**

**ANTI-FREEZE:** Clean used Antifreeze may be delivered to the recycling center attendant in the plastic container it was purchased in. Also, it may be returned to the point of sale

**MOTOR OIL:** 5-quart limit to each drop off. Oil must be given to a station attendant. Oil mixed with other fluids will not be accepted. (Note: Used oil may also be returned to the point of sale)

**Foam Packaging or Styrofoam:** These items should be thrown with your bagged trash.

**PAINT:** Only dried water-based paint is acceptable and must be given to a station attendant.

If you have questions about what is acceptable please ask the Attendant(s).

**KITTY LITTER:** Must be placed in the receptacle and must be in tied garbage bags.

**ITEMS that we do NOT accept:**

No Plastic Bags (use the barrel provided for plastic bags)

No Compact Fluorescent Light Bulbs (CFL's) (these can be returned to Home Depot, Lowes, the Board of Health or the Millbury High School)

No Dishes, Pyrex, or Ceramics

No Aerosol Cans (paint/hairspray/cleaners) (Household Hazardous Waste Day cleanout items)

No Tires (Please call Central Massachusetts Mosquito Control Project at 508-393-3055)

No Propane tanks or pressure vessels of any kind (return to point of sale)

No Chemicals or Hazardous Waste of any kind

No Animal Remains, Cooking Oil, or Sludge

No Refrigerators or Freezers

No Ammunition or Explosives

No Medications (There is a prescription bin at the Police Department 127 Elm St)

No Needles or Sharps (There is a sharps bin at Town Hall entrance 127 Elm St)

**Household Hazardous Waste (HHW)**

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