



2020 IPSWICH Recycling/Trash Information

Recycling is MANDATORY in Ipswich. Trash will not be picked up unless recyclables are also at the curb. See details at IpswichRecycles.org.

EVERYTHING MUST BE AT THE CURB BY 6 AM.

Please keep this brochure.

Curbside Trash Pickup

One 35-gallon barrel free (50-pound maximum)
EVERYTHING MUST BE AT THE CURB BY 6 AM.
Any trash out of barrel must be in **overthrow bags**.

Overthrow Bags: Available at Aubuchon Hardware, Conley's Drug, Cumberland Farms (both), DJ's Variety, Richdale, Shaw's and Tedford's

Bulky Item FEE \$10 – Purchase sticker at retailers listed below. Sofa, chair, mattress, box spring, bureau, carpet (1 room only) (Carpet must be cut into 3' wide sections, rolled and tied)

NO appliances or electronics. See full list at IpswichRecycles.org.

Bulky Item Stickers: Available at Aubuchon Hardware, Conley's Drug, Cumberland Farms (70 Central Street only), DJ's Variety, Richdale, Shaw's and Tedford's

Mandatory Recycling

Glass, Cans, Cardboard, Paper

Newspapers, magazines, cereal boxes, envelopes, junk mail, cardboard (boxes must be flattened)

Plastics: Pictured items only

NO pizza boxes, straws, snack bags, candy wrappers, jar lids
NO Styrofoam or other #6 plastics
NO thin-film plastics or plastic bags of any kind
NO clothing or hangers
NO shredded paper
DO NOT PUT RECYCLABLES IN PLASTIC BAGS.



Food and Beverage Cans, Tins, and Foil
empty and rinse
roll clean foil into a ball



Bottles, Jars, Jugs, Tubs
empty and rinse
replace cap



Bottles and Jars
empty and rinse
put caps in trash



Mixed Paper, Newspaper, Magazines, Flattened Cardboard
NO pizza boxes

NO!



Do Not Bag Recyclables
No Trash



No Plastic Bags or Plastic Wrap
(return to retail)



No Food or Liquid
(empty and rinse all containers)



No Clothing or Linens
(use textile boxes at Ipswich Schools)



No Tangles
(no hoses, wires, chains or electronics)

HOLIDAYS: January – December 2020

Curbside collections will be one day late following these **WEEKDAY** holidays.

2020

New Year's Day

Wednesday, Jan. 1*

Martin Luther King, Jr. Day

Monday, Jan. 20

Presidents' Day

Monday, Feb. 17

Patriots' Day

Monday, April 20

Memorial Day

Monday, May 25

Labor Day

Monday, Sept. 7

Columbus Day

Monday, Oct. 12

Veterans Day*

Wednesday, Nov. 11

Thanksgiving

Thursday, Nov. 26

Christmas Day**

Friday, Dec. 25

*Wednesday, Thursday, Friday routes only

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Leaf Collection



November 16 – 20, 2020

During this week only, place **paper leaf bags** out on your regular trash/recycling day (**NO PLASTIC BAGS!**).

Join Curbside Composting

Reduce your trash by as much as 40% by joining the curbside composting program. You can compost much more than just kitchen scraps! Curbside pickup is less than \$2 per week – the cost of an overthrow bag – and compost cart is free with signup!

- Food scraps
- Grass clippings
- Kitty litter (bentonite-free only)
- Meat and bones
- Pizza boxes
- Waste cooking oil
- Much more!

Wednesday is pickup day. Interested? Questions?

Email IpswichComposts@gmail.com or sign up at BlackEarthCompost.com.

Need updates on trash delays, public health alerts, paving notices, town meeting reminders (and more)?

Sign up at Ipswichma.gov for notices from any departments of interest. Click Notify Me, enter your email address and choose the notices you would like to receive.



ECRWSS

RESIDENT CUSTOMER
IPSWICH, MA

Construction Waste

Pay by weight. Call for details.
Hiltz 978-283-3335
JRM 978-536-2500
Mello Disposal 978-352-9948

Curbside Pickup

Call JRM at 978-536-2500 to pay with a credit card and schedule a pickup.

TVs, Monitors: \$25 pickup fee

Appliances and metal items that you are unable to bring to the Transfer Station: \$25 pickup fee

Watch for These Special Recycling Events

2020

Saturday, May 16, 9 AM to Noon

Electronics Recycling – Winthrop School
Tires (4) and Oil-Based Paints and Thinners – Transfer Station

Saturday, September 19, 9 AM to Noon

Electronics Recycling – Winthrop School
Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) – Transfer Station

Cardboard Boxes

Moving and other cardboard boxes (no packing materials!) can be brought to the cardboard dumpster at the DPW yard (100 County Road) anytime or to the transfer station on Wednesdays and Saturdays, 8 AM to 3:30 PM (excluding January 1, July 4 and December 25).

Ipswich Transfer Station

The transfer station is a *recycling center* located at 180 Town Farm Road.

We welcome all residents with a beach sticker or a transfer station sticker (free at DPW office).

Open Wednesdays and Saturdays (excluding holidays) from 8 AM to 3:30 PM
(Examples of accepted items are below – see complete list at IpswichRecycles.org)

- Batteries (auto, rechargeable, household)
- Boat Shrink Wrap (April to September)
- Books/CDs/DVDs
- Cardboard
- “Curbside” Recycling (bottles, cans, newspaper)
- Fluorescent Lights (unbroken CFLs, tube lights)
- Mercury Products (thermostats and thermometers)
- Rigid Plastic (laundry baskets, milk crates, etc.)
- Scrap Metal (appliances, grills and more)
- Textiles (CLEAN and DRY clothing, bedding)
- Yard Waste (leaves, branches smaller than 4’ in diameter and 4’ long)

NO TVs, monitors, or hazardous materials NO Styrofoam or plastic bags

NO motor oil or latex paint NO waste cooking oil

NO PVC pipe, composite decking, vinyl (toys, inflatables, tents, tarps) or water hoses

How/Where to Recycle, Donate or Dispose of Special Items ...

THESE ITEMS ARE NOT ACCEPTED AT THE TRANSFER STATION OR CURBSIDE.

(See complete details at IpswichRecycles.org.)

Clothing/Textiles/Accessories

Bring to the Ecosmith box at Ipswich schools.

Items can be ripped or stained but must be CLEAN and DRY.

Kids’ Toys and Other Household Items

A chart with donation details is available at IpswichRecycles.org or at the DPW office.

Motor Oil

Bring to retailers (AutoZone, O’Reilly Auto Parts, BJ’s, Costco, etc.) or to household hazardous waste event in September.

Electronics (TVs, monitors, etc.)

See May and September special collections.

Paint – See May and September special

collections for oil-based paints and thinners.

Latex paint should be dried out (cover off) and put in with trash after paint in can is completely dry.

Plastic Bags and Plastic Film – Do NOT put

plastic bags and film (water bottle case wrap,

paper towel wrap, etc.) in curbside recycling

bin. These items get caught in machinery at

the recycling facility, creating a hazard for

workers. Bring to grocery stores (Market

Basket, Shaw’s, Stop & Shop, etc.) and retail

stores (Target, Kohl’s, etc.) for recycling,

even if not purchased at that particular store.

Details at PlasticFilmRecycling.org