

Batteries

Drop off: Resource Recovery Center, regular hours

NO ALKALINES (place in blue cart)

Button style, car batteries, marine and ATV batteries, nickel cadmium (NiCd), lithium ion (Li-ion), lithium primary, nickel metal hydride (Ni-MH), and all rechargeable batteries

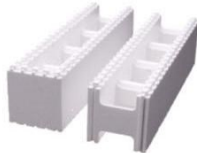


Expanded Polystyrene (EPS) a.k.a. Styrofoam

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Must be clean, white, block EPS. **Do not recycle styrofoam in your green cart!**

- No food trays, to-go boxes, cups, plates
- Break up large pieces
- No colored EPS
- No flexible foam wrap
- No packing peanuts



Printer Cartridges

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Propane Tanks, Helium Tanks & Fire Extinguishers

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Automotive Materials

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Pour off used oil and antifreeze

Used oil filters

Tires (limit 2 per visit)



CONTACT US

Resource Recovery Center

115 Rumford Ave., Auburndale, MA 02466

Closed during holidays and extreme weather

Customer Service at City Hall

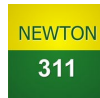
1000 Commonwealth Ave., Newton, MA 02459

(617) 796-1000

recycling@newtonma.gov

GET CONNECTED

Download *Recycle Right Newton* to get trash day reminders, view the collection calendar, find the best way to get rid of stuff, and play the waste sorting game.



Ask questions, report problems, and make requests by dialing 311 from any Newton landline or download the Newton MA 311 app for Apple and Android.



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CITY OF NEWTON
SUSTAINABLE MATERIALS
MANAGEMENT DIVISION



CURBSIDE AND DROP-OFF RECYCLING SERVICES

Department of Public Works

1000 Commonwealth Ave.

Newton, MA 02459

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Single Stream Recycling

Curbside: Place these materials loose in your **green** cart for weekly collection

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Kitchen, Laundry, Bath: Bottles and Containers empty and replace cap



Aluminum and Steel Cans empty and rinse



Mixed Paper, Newspaper, and Magazines



Bottles and Jars empty and rinse



Flattened Cardboard

Plastic bags are the #1 source of contamination in Newton's recycling. **DO NOT BAG RECYCLABLES. DO NOT PUT PLASTIC BAGS IN SINGLE STREAM**



No Food or Liquid (empty all containers)



Do Not Bag Recyclables No Garbage



No Plastic Bags (return to retail)



No Clothing or Linens (use donation programs)



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

Appliances, Refrigerants & Scrap Metal

Optional curbside collection of large appliances, electronics and scrap metal items is available for a \$25 fee per item. Requests may be submitted online at: www.newtonma.gov/billpay or at Customer Service in Newton City Hall to pay by cash, check or credit card. These items are accepted for drop-off at no cost at the Resource Recovery Center at 115 Rumford Avenue.

Curbside collection requests made by 10am on Friday will be picked up the following Wednesday.



Unused/Expired Medications

Drop off: Newton Police Station lobby drop box kiosk (1321 Washington St.); no liquids, inhalers, or injection devices



TVs & Monitors

TVs/monitors have a \$25 per item fee for pickup or drop-off. Proof of payment must be presented to the attendant at drop-off. Pay online or at City Hall.

Curbside: Payments for white goods pickup requests received by 10am on Friday will be picked up the following week on Thursday.

Drop off: Resource Recovery Center, regular hours—proof of payment is required at time of drop off.



e - Waste

Drop off: Goodwill—donation trailer located at the Resource Recovery Center

Working electronics (except old TVs/monitors) and non-working computer equipment are accepted

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Home office:

Cell phones, chargers, tablets, computers, laptops, e-readers, hard drives, mice, keyboards, printers, scanners, modems, fax machines, routers, analog phones, cables/cords, calculators

Home entertainment:

DVD/Bluray players, VCRs, video game consoles/accessories, speakers/subwoofers, cables/cords, sound systems/stereos, radios, alarm clocks, GPS units, cable/satellite boxes



Rigid Plastics

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No PVC pipe or vinyl siding, no plastic film or bags, no flexible water hoses, no hazardous materials or medical waste, no oil or chemical containers.

Medical Sharps

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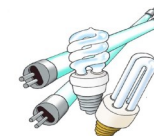
Don't bring loose needles or lancets to the Resource Recover Center.

Store and transport sharps in a red medical waste container or puncture proof container such as a detergent bottle. Red containers are available at most pharmacies.



Mercury Products

Drop off: Resource Recovery Center, regular hours



CFL bulbs, fluorescent tubes, mercury thermostats, mercury thermometers

No smoke alarms or carbon monoxide detectors—return to manufacturer or place in your blue cart.