

HOPEWELL/GREENWICH CONVENIENCE CENTER INFO & RULES

539 Trench Road, Bridgeton

Hours: Wednesdays & Saturdays from 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

- Hopewell and Greenwich residents ONLY.
- <u>Residential</u> household trash/recyclables only. <u>No commercial</u> vehicles. <u>No Commercial</u> waste
- <u>Passes</u> are required. They are free from the Township Offices. Proof of Residency and vehicle registration need to be presented at time of issue.
- Use <u>closed bags</u> to transport trash. <u>Cover</u> all truck beds to prevent trash from flying out into streets, yards and fields.
- Only one load of trash is allowed per day.
- <u>Single Stream Recycling</u>. All material is placed in <u>one container</u>. Cardboard <u>must be flattened</u>. Please do this before you bring it to the center. Use a container for your recyclables. Containers are available for <u>free</u> at Township Offices. <u>Remove</u> all caps and lids. <u>Rinse</u> all containers of food residue. See back page for additional information.
- All loads must go over the ramp for inspection (except for brush/leaves/grass).
- All trash that can be <u>compacted</u> must be compacted. This saves on hauling fees. Hauling fees are per load regardless of weight. Please compact your trash.
- <u>Shredded Paper</u> is trash. DO NOT put this in the recycle container because it jams the sorting machine.
- <u>Rigid plastic</u> (buckets, resin chairs, old toys) are trash. Do not recycle.
- <u>Leaves, grass clippings, flowers, old garden plants and non-wood items</u> are placed in the compost mound at the rear of the facility. <u>Brush and leaves</u> fall under recycling. Mulch and compost can be picked up by township residents for home use when available.
- <u>Brush</u> shall be no more than three (3) inches in diameter and no more than six (6) feet in length. This is for operational safety when the chipper is running. <u>You may be refused the right to dump if the load has brush longer than six (6) feet</u>. Only <u>one load</u> of brush is allowed per day.

ADDITIONAL ACCEPTED ITEMS:

- <u>Latex paint</u> is accepted if <u>dry/solidified</u> and the lid is removed from the container for visual inspection. Use cat litter or a commercial drying agent to speed up the drying process
- <u>Furniture, cabinets, etc</u>. must be broken up before taking it to the center. Flat packing the dumpsters saves money on hauling.
- Appliances. Place near the RED dumpster. Do not remove refrigerant.
- Metal: Place in designated dumpster. No metal can be removed from the facility (Ordinance 3.03).
- <u>Electronics</u>: Place near the shed to the right of the entry ramp or as directed. If possible, take TVs (32" or less) to Best Buy or computers/DVD/VCR/cell phones to Staples for free disposal.
- Oil / Antifreeze: Place in the containers to the right of the exit ramp.
- <u>Concrete/Masonry</u>: Small quantities of masonry material may be placed in the dumpster at the rear of the facility.

ADDITIONAL REJECTED ITEMS:

- No <u>construction debris</u>. Obtain a dumpster if you are performing renovations or large projects.
- No tires, batteries or shingles will be accepted in any quantity.
- No <u>chemicals</u>, <u>oil-based paints or solvents</u>. These are disposed of at the CCIA household waste days. See the announcements posted on the ramp for upcoming dates.
- No <u>logs, trees or root balls</u>.

