

Frequently Asked Questions

Q: What Do I Do With...?

A: Please see www.WasteTrucking.com/faq for more information on how to dispose of the following items: paint, electronics, TV's, microwaves, old tires, mattresses, concrete, and trash from contracting projects. If you are unsure about an item, call our office or check the recycling facility CRRA website at www.crra.org and search for your town.

Q: What happens on holidays & vacations?

A: When in doubt, set it out, and always the night before. WMTC will be closed on major holidays. If your pick-up falls on one of these holidays, put your trash/recyclables out the following day. If you're going on vacation, contact the office for a temporary hold. No charge for 3 or more consecutive weeks away.

Q: What happens during bad weather?

A: If the governor prohibits trucks from being on the road, we will not be collecting. Leave your trash out; we'll catch up that day, or the following day.

Q: What do I do with bulky items & overage?

A: If you have an overflow of garbage bags, you can call the prior business day by 2:00 p.m. and schedule for the bags to be collected for a minimum fee. Monday routes must be called in by 2:00 p.m. on Friday.

**Family Owned & Operated
Since 1937**



Welcome to Waste Material Trucking Company

Waste Material Trucking Company is proud to be a local family-owned business since 1937. Five generations later, the Zommer family is still serving many of our original and loyal customers who trust us to provide residential curbside waste collection for their families. Today we also provide bi-weekly recyclable collection, bulk waste collection, and commercial dumpster services throughout central Connecticut. Our goals have remained the same since the days when we used a horse drawn cart to collect food scraps during the Great Depression: honest hard work, the support of family, superior customer service, loyalty to employees, and long-standing relationships with municipalities. We feel fortunate to have your business, thank you for choosing us!



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Customer Reference Guide

WasteTrucking.com

What CAN be Recycled? (place in the green cart)

- Paper: newspapers, magazines, catalogs, junk mail, office paper, paper egg cartons, and boxes for items such as cereal, crackers, pasta, shoes, etc.

- Cardboard: cut flat to fit loosely in container

- Clean, rinse (no need to remove labels) and recycle the following:

- Beverage containers such as juice boxes (remove straws) and milk cartons

- Plastic bottles such as laundry detergent, shampoo, shower gel, etc.

- Food and beverage containers made from glass, aluminum, steel, and plastic such as cans, jars, bottles and metal food trays

When & where are recyclables collected?

Put recyclables out every other week with your trash on collection day. It's recommended to place the cart 4 feet from the trash can, mailbox, or any other obstruction.

Ecologically Aware: We stay on top of current events in environmental science by using ultra-low sulfur fuel in our trucks and reusing the oil to heat our facilities.

Generating excess household trash? Need help with a big clean-up job? We provide custom hauling services, whether we pick up a single item or a whole attic-full.

Dumpsters: We also rent dumpsters for both residential and commercial use. Call (860) 675-9682 for rates and schedule info.



What NOT to Recycle (place in the grey cart unless noted)

- Trash: household rubbish, food, ceramics, dishes, appliances, hangers, pots, pans, and light bulbs

- Yard waste: plant containers, garden tools, grass clippings, leaves (*Visit your town website for their leaf cleanup program*).

- Styrofoam and polystyrene such as foam egg cartons

- Aerosol cans

- Prescription drug containers and medicine bottles

- Sharps: knives, light bulbs, mirrors, syringes, needles (*require special handling*), window glass

- Plastic bags (*recycle at supermarket*)

- Toxic Fluids: antifreeze, motor oil, household cleaners, pesticides, paint cans, batteries

- Toys, sporting goods, CD's, DVD's

- Certain paper items: phone books, ice cream cartons, Tyvek or similar envelopes, wax or plastic coated cardboard, and items contaminated with food such as paper towels, paper plates, napkins, food wrappers, or pizza boxes.

- Bottle tops for plastic bottles and containers such as: bleach, detergent, fabric softener, milk, soda and water

- Tops for glass jars such as spaghetti sauce, pickles, salsa, jelly, etc.

- Light bulbs (regular and fluorescent) can be put in the trash. Home Depot stores also have recycling programs for unbroken bulbs.

Collection Schedule:

Rubbish Service Starts _____

Recycle Service Starts _____

Your Pick Up Day is _____

Southington customers are required to put cans out the night before.

Avon customers are required to put cans out by 8 a.m. on their pickup day.

Your Recycle Week is _____, please find our complimentary calendar enclosed.



“YOUR CANS ARE IN GOOD HANDS”