

SPRING 2020 RECYCLING UPDATE



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HELP US PASS THE NEW PAPER MILL QUALITY TEST!

Paper mills won't buy our recycled paper and cardboard until sample bales of each trailer load are cut open and checked for contaminants. If too many bad items, like plastic bags or Styrofoam, are found, **the mill inspector will reject the entire shipment.**

Do your part! Empty and flatten cardboard boxes. Remove plastic wrap from cases of water, newspapers and magazines.

Towns in some New Jersey counties are paying thousands of dollars to recycle, due to contaminants.

Help cut the cost of recycling in Burlington County by
Recycling Right!



(above) Paper Mill inspector selects the 1800 lbs. bales he will inspect.



(right) Inspector oversees OTC recycling staff removing bad items from a cut open bale.

SPRING 2020 PAPER SHREDDING EVENTS

MARCH 29 APRIL 26

Both events are **SUNDAYS** from 9 AM until 1 PM* | Rain or Shine

Burlington County Resource Recovery Complex (Landfill)

located at 22000 Burlington-Columbus Road in Florence, NJ 08518 (Exit 52A off I-295)

***EVENTS MAY END PRIOR TO 1PM IF SHREDDING TRUCKS REACH CAPACITY.**



Do you need a secure way to recycle old confidential files?

Spring is a great time to safely recycle old confidential files.

Please mark your calendar now to take advantage of this free county service.

- Freeholder Tom Pullion

NO NEED TO LEAVE YOUR CAR! Our staff will unload your documents. **(LIMIT 4 BAGS/BOXES OF UN-SHREDDED DOCUMENTS WEIGHING NO MORE THAN 10 POUNDS EACH).** We can also take your pre-shredded paper.

CONFIDENTIAL FILES ONLY including bank and credit card statements, tax returns, etc. (staples OK).

Need more information? Call (609) 499-1001 or email recycle@co.burlington.nj.us



BURLINGTON COUNTY RESIDENTS ONLY. Identification required. No businesses or non-profits, please.

DO NOT BRING:

⊗ CIRCULARS

⊗ BINDERS

⊗ COMPUTER DISKS

⊗ JUNK MAIL

⊗ PLASTIC FOLDERS

⊗ PLASTIC CREDIT CARDS

⊗ CATALOGS

⊗ MAGAZINES

CARTS WITH PLASTIC BAGS **WILL NOT BE COLLECTED**



RECYCLE:

Paper and Cardboard

**EMPTY,
FLATTEN
AND FOLD**



**Plastic Bottles
and Food
Containers**

Empty and
rinse containers.



**Glass Bottles
and Jars**

Labels are okay!



Metal CANS Only

Empty, non-hazardous
aerosol cans
are okay!



Cartons



**SET RECYCLING
OUT BY 6 AM**

Metal bar must face the street.

DO NOT RECYCLE:

NO hoses or hangers



NO hardback books,
food soiled, or
frozen food boxes



NO foil items, bulbs,
cookware, or
window glass



NO motor oil, batteries,
or hazardous items



NO plastic with a



NO Styrofoam



NO plastic bags
or wrap



NO air pillows



NO needles



NO plant pots, trays,
lids, or cups



NO shredded paper



*You can recycle rechargeable
batteries at Home Depot,
Lowes, and other big box stores.*



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