

# TOWN OF TEWKSBURY 2016 - 2017 Recycling Calendar



**"RED" DISTRICT**



**"BLUE" DISTRICT**



**HOLIDAY**

Please call Republic Services at 1-800-442-9006 regarding the collection of your solid waste, recycling items, white goods and bulk pickups.

Addresses on the Billerica side of Main Street/Route 38 are Blue Recycling, addresses on the Andover side are Red Recycling

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**HOLIDAY SCHEDULE**

**Thurs. pickups**, July 7, Sept. 8, Oct: 13, Jan: 19  
Feb: 23 Apr: 20 and June 1  
Please note: 12/28 & 1/4 - No pickup change

**LEAF PICKUP**

2016 OCT: 17th - NOV: 25th  
2017 MAY: 1st - JUNE: 3rd  
Different street schedule for Yardwaste & Christmas Trees.

**BRANCH PICKUP**

2016 OCT: 11th - OCT: 15th  
2017 APR: 24th - APR: 28th

**CHRISTMAS TREE PICKUP**

Week of January 9, 2017

[Consult website for your street pickup](#)

**Town of Tewksbury**  
1009 Main Street  
Tewksbury, MA 01876

PRSR ST  
U.S. POSTAGE  
**PAID**  
PERMIT #3  
NO. BILLERICA, MA

PLEASE SAVE  
THIS CALENDAR!!

**Resident Customer**  
Tewksbury, MA 01876

## RECYCLING INSTRUCTIONS

Please call **Republic Services at 1-800-442-9006** with any questions or concerns.

The Town is divided into two sections for recycling: **RED** and **BLUE** for an alternating week pick up schedule  
Addresses on the Billerica side of Main Street/Route 38 are Blue Recycling, addresses on the Andover side are Red Recycling  
**Trash and Recycling must be placed curbside no later than 7:00AM on Wed. unless otherwise noted on calendar**

MATERIAL	WHAT TO RECYCLE	DO NOT INCLUDE
<b>TRASH STICKERS</b> FOR EXTRA HOUSEHOLD TRASH Republic Services 1-800-442-9006	If your household trash does <b>NOT</b> fit in your toter with your lid closed, you need to purchase stickers for <b>\$5.00</b> per extra bag from Republic Services 1-800-442-9006. <b>EXCESS BAGS WILL NOT BE PICKED UP WITHOUT A STICKER -Your bags cannot exceed 50 Lbs.</b>	
<b>SINGLE STREAM RECYCLING</b>  See <a href="http://www.tewksbury-ma.gov">www.tewksbury-ma.gov</a> for Schedule and your pick up week	<b>PLEASE RECYCLE:</b> Deposit and Non-deposit Aluminum Cans Bottles and Glass, Colored and Clear Plastics #1-7; Newspaper, Sunday Supplements, Magazines, Mixed Paper, Office Paper, Phone Books, Mail The Town Library and most schools have paper retrievers in their parking lots.	<b>THESE ITEMS ARE TRASH:</b> Pizza Boxes, Pie Plates, Aluminum Trays, Aluminum Foil, Plastic Bags, Paper Backed Foil, Items Contaminated with Food Debris, Styrofoam, Milk Cartons, Ice Cream Boxes or Juice Boxes.  <b>Broken down boxes placed in a cardboard box will NOT be picked up.</b>
<b>FURNITURE (BULKY ITEMS)</b>	Sofas, Loveseats, Large Living Room Chairs, Carpet, Mattresses (furniture).	<b>Call Republic Services 1-800-442-9006 to schedule a FREE pickup</b>
<b>WHITE GOODS APPLIANCES</b> TELEVISIONS, COMPUTER - MONITORS, WATER HEATERS, TIRES, OTHER METAL ITEMS	Call Republic Services for pricing and pick-up instructions 1-800-442-9006	National Grid Refrigerator or Freezer Recycle Program 1-877-889-4761
<b>LEAVES</b> See <a href="http://www.tewksbury-ma.gov">www.tewksbury-ma.gov</a> for Schedule and your pick up day For Missed Leaves Republic Services 1-800-442-9006	<b>2016 OCT: 17th - NOV: 25th</b> <b>2017 MAY 1st - JUNE 2nd</b> Leaves shall be placed in paper bags or separate trash barrels. Leave curbside See <a href="http://www.tewksbury-ma.gov">www.tewksbury-ma.gov</a> for Schedule and Your Pick Up DAY	Avoid grass clippings, pine needles/cones & sticks <b>Do NOT use PLASTIC bags – will NOT be picked up.</b> <b>GRASS CLIPPINGS WILL NOT BE PICKED UP</b>
<b>PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT</b>	During Spring and Fall leaf clean-up remove leaves, pine needles and debris from tops of catch basins located in front of your property to prevent flooding	
<b>BRANCHES &amp; SHRUBS</b> Collected for one week in different sections of Town – Leave curbside. Republic Services 1-800-442-9006	<b>2016 OCT: 11th - OCT 15th</b> <b>2017 APRIL 24th - APRIL 28th</b> Branches & Small Shrubs shall be placed in separate trash barrels or tied into bundles.	Branches shall be <b>NO MORE THAN</b> 3 feet in length and 4 inches in diameter. Avoid mixing grass clippings, pine needles and pine cones <b>Do not use plastic bags - will NOT be picked up.</b> <b>GRASS CLIPPINGS WILL NOT BE PICKED UP</b>
<b>CHRISTMAS TREES</b> Collected for one week in different sections of Town – Leave curbside. Republic Services 1-800-442-9006 See <a href="http://www.tewksbury-ma.gov">www.tewksbury-ma.gov</a> for Schedule and your pick up day	Christmas Trees will be picked up during the week of <b>January 9, 2017</b> , separate from the trash. <b>NO TINSEL, TRIMMINGS OR PLASTIC TREE BAGS.</b> Do <b>NOT</b> put out prior to pickup/snow plowing operations may bury it and it will <b>NOT</b> get picked up.	
<b>MEDICAL WASTE</b>	Consult Webpage: <a href="http://www.xmeddisposal.com/index.asp">http://www.xmeddisposal.com/index.asp</a>	
<b>HOUSEHOLD SHARPS</b>	Center Fire Station, 21 Town Hall Ave. 9 am – 4 pm	
<b>UNWANTED MEDICATION</b>	Kiosk in Police Station Lobby, 918 Main Street. Available 24/7. Place medication in plastic sealed bags that will fit in Kiosk slot only. Do <b>NOT</b> include liquids or sharps.	
<b>MERCURY</b>	Thermometers & Thermostats	Board of Health, Town Hall, Lower Level, 1009 Main Street, Mon-Tue 8AM-4PM
<b>CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS</b>	Donate: <a href="http://lowellhabitat.org/?page_id=513">http://lowellhabitat.org/?page_id=513</a> , or contact a private hauler - a fee will be charged.	
<b>PAINT LATEX BASED ONLY</b>	<b>DRIED</b> Latex based paint (kitty litter helps speed drying or "Waste Paint Hardener") and then dried paint can be placed in plastic bags before discarding in the Trash	

**NOTE: The Town does not endorse these companies; we only supply a list of known companies that accept these items to help the Tewksbury Residents with proper disposal. - A FEE MAY APPLY -**

**ASPHALT SHINGLES** - Rooftop Recycling Inc., 369 Codman Hill Rd., Boxborough 978-263-1899

**CARDBOARD MOVING BOXES** – Benezra Boxes, call 781-646-8734 for free pickup. Will accept a minimum of 30 moving boxes in good condition

**HOUSEHOLD BATTERIES** - Drop off Tewksbury Public Library 300 Chandler Street – Recycling Collection Center Rechargeable batteries, alkaline batteries, nickel cadmium, nickel metal hydride, lithium ion, nickel zinc, small sealed lead batteries, cellphones. Please do **NOT** drop off light bulbs at this location; see below for proper disposal of light bulbs.

**ELECTRONICS** - Best Buy and Staples have great electronics recycling program established, see their web site for more information and a list of more items they take. Republic Services also picks up - call 800-442-9006 to schedule a pickup - Fee Charged

**FLUORESCENT LIGHTS** - Aubuchon Hardware, 1777 Main St. 978-657-9333 and O'Connor Hardware, 446 Boston Rd., Billerica  
**HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE** - Closest facility in area: Minuteman Hazardous Waste Products Facility, 60 Hartwell Ave., Lexington. For more information: <http://ci.lexington.ma.us/dpw/hhhwfacility.cfm> - Fee Charged

**MOTOR OIL - NEEDS TO BE IN CLEAR CONTAINERS - CANNOT BE MIXED WITH ANYTHING** M&S Service Inc, 1875 Rear Main St.

**PROPANE TANKS** - O'Connor Hardware, 446 Boston Road, Billerica, MA. Fee Charged, Tel: 978-663-3520

**TIRES** - Schlott Tire Co., 663 Main St., Tewksbury 978-858-0181 - Fee Charged

Republic Services 1-800-442-9006 - Fee Charged, or CMMCP Used Tire Program <http://www.cmmcp.org/tires.htm>

**TIRES, AUTO BATTERIES & METALS, ETC.** - Penny's Auto & Junk Yard, 11 Kittredge Ave., Tewksbury 978-851-2381, you must deliver  
*The Recycling Committee is always looking for new members – Consider volunteering - The Committee meets once a month and host or co-hosts 3-6 events during the year and promotes continued recycling in Tewksbury. Apply at the Town' Manager's Office, Town Hall, 1009 Main Street.*

**ZERO WASTE DAY SEPT. 24, 2016, 9 AM – 1 PM • Wynn Middle School: [ZWDTEWKSBURY.ORG](http://ZWDTEWKSBURY.ORG)**