



The Town of Barnstable

Department of Public Works Solid Waste Division

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Rules and Regulations

Residential Transfer Station Permit:

The Residential Transfer Station Permit is available for purchase by any residential property owner or year-round tenants of a residential property located in the Town of Barnstable. Permits may be issued for passenger vehicles, vans, or pick-up trucks. The Residential Transfer Station Permit entitles the resident to dispose of eight 30-gallon bags of household trash per week and their recyclables.

The Residential Transfer Station Permit may be purchased 4 ways: at the Transfer Station & Recycling Center office, through the mail, the drop box attached to the front of the office or online at the Transfer Station page on the Town of Barnstable website. **Proof of residency and a valid vehicle registration are required for all permits. All paperwork must connect the vehicle obtaining the permit to a residential property in the Town of Barnstable.**

Residential property owners and tenants of a residential property may purchase a total of two (2) Residential Transfer Station Permits per household. Permits are non-transferable. The second vehicle **must** be registered at the same address as the first vehicle.

All household trash must be bagged to be disposed of at the Transfer Station. Disposal of another resident's trash or recyclables is an unauthorized use of the Permit.

Low Income Permits are available to those residents who qualify. Applications are available at the Office of the Transfer Station & Recycling Center or on the Transfer Station & Recycling Center website.

Residential Transfer Station Permits will go on sale May 1, 2026, for the period of July 1, 2026, to June 30, 2027.

Disposal of Bagged Household Trash & Recyclables Without a Permit:

Residential property owners and year-round tenants of residential property may dispose of their bagged household trash and recyclables without a permit but will be charged a fee for disposal each time they do so.

Recycling:

All basic recyclables disposed of at the Recycling Center will need to be separated into designated containers. Cardboard: (must be empty and flat), Plastics, Newspaper, Mixed Paper, Metal Cans and Glass. All glass, plastic and metal cans must be rinsed and clean. Users will be responsible for separating their recyclable items and disposing of them into the respective containers.

License Plate Change

A plate number change will be issued at no charge in those instances where the original plate has been replaced if the vehicle ownership has not changed.

Construction & Demolition (C&D) Material:

Residents and contractors may dispose of building materials from the construction/demolition of structures located in the Town of Barnstable for a fee in vehicles restricted to the size no larger than 5 cubic yards of capacity. Carpeting and rugs can be no larger than 4' x 4' or lengths of wood no longer than 4'.

Mixed C&D is a load that contains 20% or more of metal, cardboard, or other non-C&D material.

All vehicles will be weighed at the scale, unless the Gate Attendant determines the minimum charge is in order due to the small volume of debris.

Sleeper sofas must have the mattress removed and there will be an additional charge for the disposal of the mattress.

Transfer Station Scale is Inoperative:

If the scale becomes inoperative for any reason, all vehicles requiring weighing will be charged according to the Fee Schedule.

Bulky Items:

Bulky items may be disposed of for a fee. These items include furniture, mattresses, box springs, couches and other items determined by the Gate Attendant. Large furniture, rugs and couches may be weighed to determine the disposal fee.

Enforcement:

It is the responsibility of all users of the Transfer Station & Recycling Center to stop at the Gate House and see a Gate Attendant before disposing of any chargeable items.

The driver of any vehicle requiring weighing who exits the Transfer Station & Recycling Center after disposing of items and/or material without having paid the applicable fee shall be subject to criminal prosecution.

Continuous and flagrant disregard for the Rules and Regulations contained herein and/or posted at the facility shall be deemed sufficient cause for the Supervisor of the Solid Waste Division to bar the entrance of any vehicle, or to revoke a Residential Transfer Station permit.

Whoever, himself, herself or by his or her agent, or as the agent of any other person or any firm or corporation, violates the above regulations, shall be punished by a fine of not more than three hundred dollars (\$300.00).

Effective Dates

The Transfer Station & Recycling Center permit prices will remain in effect through June 30, 2027. Transfer Station & Recycling Center fees and charges in this schedule are intended to be in effect July 1, 2026, through June 30, 2027.

Transfer Station & Recycling Center
508-420-2258
Open 7 Days a Week
7:30 am to 3:30 pm
Closed on Holidays

Inclement weather, unforeseen circumstances or emergency situations may result in the Transfer Station & Recycling Center closing without notice. All efforts will be made to provide advanced notice but may not be possible.

**BANNED MATERIALS
FOR DISPOSAL AT
THE TRANSFER STATION & RECYCLING CENTER**

Pursuant to the Department of Environmental Protection requirements of 310 CMR 19.000, the following materials are banned from disposal with Construction and Demolition (C&D) and Municipal Household Trash:

Asphalt Pavement*

Brick*

Concrete*

Batteries **

Glass Containers

Metal

Appliances

Fluorescent light bulbs

Recyclable Paper

Recyclable Plastics

White Goods

TV's & Monitors

Tires

Leaves & Grass

Cardboard

Textiles

These materials will not be accepted at the Construction and Demolition area or with Municipal Household Trash.

*Asphalt Pavement, Concrete and Bricks are not accepted at the Transfer Station & Recycling Center.

**Batteries- Alkaline batteries are acceptable as trash. Rechargeable, Lithium and Lead-Acid must be recycled at the appropriate area.

Any materials containing Asbestos are strictly prohibited from this disposal facility.

Please see the Fee Schedule for fees and charges for disposal of all acceptable materials.

Thank you,

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