

February 10, 2009

Transfer Station News & Notes

MCMUA 2009 Household Hazardous Waste Disposal Days – Help us spread the word and keep the waste stream safe for you and the environment. Below are the dates for the 2009 MCMUA household hazardous waste disposal events, that also feature electronics/computer recycling at each of the five events. The cost for electronics recycling starts at \$3.00 per component. All event days are from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m., rain or shine and these events are for residential hazardous waste only. In addition, don't forget about our permanent household hazardous waste facility located at the Mount Olive transfer station which is open year-round by appointment. The permanent facility is permitted to accept hazardous materials from certain small businesses in addition to residents. Please visit the MCMUA's website at www.MCMUA.com for more information on all MCMUA programs.



- **Saturday, May 9, 2009**
 Pequannock Township Municipal Building, 530 Newark-Pompton Turnpike, Pompton Plains, NJ
- **Saturday, June 13, 2009 – Saturday August 1, 2009 – Saturday, September 12, 2009**
 Firefighters & Police Training Academy, 500 West Hanover Avenue, Parsippany, N.J.
- **Sunday, November 1, 2009**
 Jefferson Township D.P.W., 1033 Weldon Road, Lake Hopatcong, NJ

MCMUA 2009 Transfer Station and Office Holiday Schedule - Below is the 2009 holiday listing indicating when the MCMUA transfer stations and/or MCMUA administrative offices will be open or closed for each holiday.

| Holiday | Transfer Stations | MCMUA Offices |
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| Thursday, February 12 - Lincoln's Birthday | Open | Closed |
| Monday, February 16 – Presidents' Day..... | Open | Closed |
| Friday, April 10 - Good Friday | Open | Closed |
| Monday, May 25 - Memorial Day | Closed | Closed |
| Friday, July 3 – Day Before Independence Day | Open | Closed |
| Saturday, July 4 - Independence Day..... | Closed | Closed |
| Monday, September 7 - Labor Day..... | Closed | Closed |
| Monday, October 12 - Columbus Day..... | Open | Closed |
| Tuesday, November 3 - Election Day | Open | Closed |
| Wednesday, November 11 - Veteran's Day..... | Open | Closed |
| Thursday, November 26 - Thanksgiving Day | Closed | Closed |
| Friday, November 27 - Day After Thanksgiving Day | Open | Closed |
| Friday, December 25 - Christmas | Closed | Closed |
| Friday, January 1, 2010 - New Year's Day | Closed | Closed |

Reminder, Recycling is Mandatory for Specific Materials –

Morris County has designated specific materials to be source separated and recycled. This recycling mandate applies to all Morris County waste generators including residents, businesses, schools, institutions, construction sites, etc. While a general listing of these mandated recyclable materials is provided to the right, a more specific list of definitions of these materials and any exceptions that may apply is available on the MCMUA’s website at: <http://mcmua.com/recycling>.

Morris County’s source separation recycling mandate is nothing new as these materials for the most part have been mandated to be recycled since 1993 and disposing of designated recyclable materials in the trash that are generated in Morris County is illegal. The Morris County Office of Health Management will be inspecting loads and potentially issuing fines for disposing of designated recyclables at the transfer stations. If these designated recyclables come into the transfer stations in open containers a hauler may immediately be issued a notice of violation. It is therefore important to check all open-topped containers prior to pickup and delivery to make sure they do not contain designated recyclables. In addition, it is good business practice to notify your customers that disposing of mandated recyclables in the garbage can result in the issuance of notices of violation and subsequent penalties.



Materials Mandated to be Source Separated and Recycled

- Aluminum Cans
- Glass Bottles and Jars
- Plastic Bottles (coded 1 and 2)
- Steel (Tin) Cans
- Newspaper
- Corrugated Cardboard
- Mixed Paper
- Leaves
- Grass Clippings
- Brush
- Natural Wood Waste
- Oil Contaminated Soil
- Used Motor Oil
- Lead-Acid Batteries
- Hazardous Dry Cell Batteries
- Metal Appliances
- Whole Tires

