



May 12, 2015

Transfer Station News & Notes

Tipping Fees to Decrease as of June 1, 2015 - Please be advised that starting on June 1, 2015, the tipping fees charged for the disposal of solid waste types at the MCMUA transfer stations will decrease by \$1.56/ton. The current tipping fee of \$95.56/ton for the disposal of all waste types will be decreased to \$94.00/ton. Due to on-going litigation related to the award of the MCMUA's transfer station operations and disposal contract, the MCMUA maintained the 2015 tipping fee at the 2014 rate for the first half of 2015. With the conclusion and settlement of this litigation, the MCMUA is in a position to lower the tipping fees to \$94.00/ton for the second half of 2015. Additionally, the MCMUA anticipates keeping the \$94.00/ton tipping fee in place through the end of 2016. See the tipping fee chart below for details.

Waste Type		Current Tipping Fee	New Tipping Fee (Effective June 1, 2015)
Type 10	Municipal Solid Waste	\$ 95.56	\$ 94.00
Type 13	Bulky Waste	\$ 95.56	\$ 94.00
Type 13C	Construction and Demolition Waste	\$ 95.56	\$ 94.00
Type 23	Vegetative Waste	\$ 95.56	\$ 94.00
Type 25	Animal Processing Waste	\$ 95.56	\$ 94.00
Type 27	Non-Hazardous Dry Industrial Waste	\$ 95.56	\$ 94.00

2015 (remaining) Holiday Schedule - Below is holiday list when the MCMUA transfer stations, curbside recycling program and/or MCMUA administrative offices will be open or closed for the second half of 2015.

Holiday	Transfer Stations	Offices	Recycling
Monday, May 25, 2015 – Memorial Day	Closed	Closed	Closed
Friday, July 3, 2015 – Independence Day	Open	Closed	Open
Saturday, July 4, 2015 – Independence Day	Closed	Closed	Closed
Monday, September 7, 2015 – Labor Day	Closed	Closed	Closed
Monday, October 12, 2015 – Columbus Day.....	Open	Closed	Open
Tuesday, November 3, 2015 – Election Day	Open	Closed	Open
Wednesday, November 11, 2015 – Veterans Day	Open	Closed	Open
Thursday, November 26, 2015 – Thanksgiving Day	Closed	Closed	Closed
Friday, November 27, 2015 – Day After Thanksgiving.....	Open	Closed	Open
Thursday, December 24, 2015 – Christmas Eve.....	Open	Open	Open
Friday, December 25, 2015 – Christmas Day	Closed	Closed	Closed
Thursday, December 31, 2015 – New Year's Eve	Open	Open	Open
Friday, January 1, 2016 – New Year's Day	Closed	Closed	Closed

Bold font indicates the transfer stations, curbside recycling program and offices will all be closed.

Recycling is Mandatory for Specific Materials



Morris County has designated specific materials to be source separated and recycled. This mandate applies to all Morris County waste generators including residents, businesses, schools, institutions, construction sites, etc. A listing of these mandated recyclable materials is provided in the sidebar on the right, but please note that this listing is a generalized listing. Specific definitions of these materials and any exceptions that may apply are available on the MCMUA website at <http://mcmua.com/>.

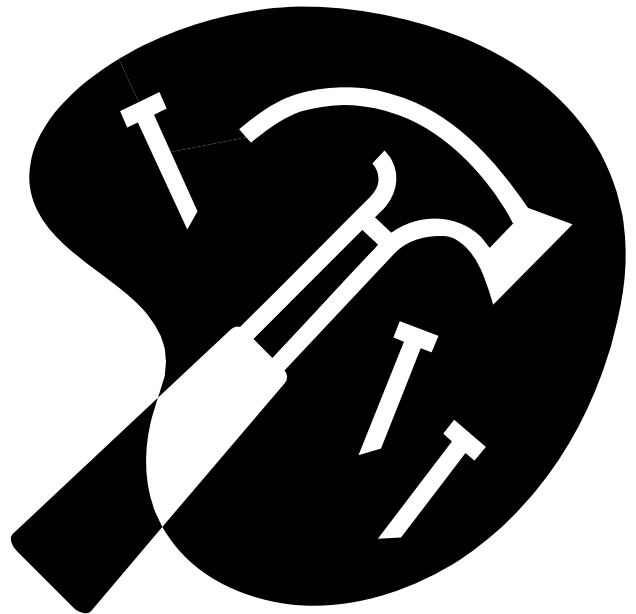
Please realize that Morris County's source separation recycling mandate is nothing new, as these materials have been mandated to be recycled since 1993. Disposing of designated recyclable materials in the trash is not acceptable and is illegal in Morris County. The MCMUA has been advised that the Morris County Office of Health Management will be inspecting loads and issuing fines for disposing of designated recyclables at the transfer stations.

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
- TV, Computers and Monitors

Recycling at Construction and Demolition

Projects in Morris County - Regulations included in the Morris County Solid Waste Management Plan, individual municipal recycling ordinances, and the NJ Statewide Mandatory Source Separation & Recycling Act, N.J.S.A. 13:1E-99.11 et seq. require the source separation and recycling of specified materials. Everywhere in Morris County, including at all construction, renovation, and demolition projects, designated materials are mandated to be source separated (kept separated from garbage at the job site) and then recycled. See above for a complete list of Morris County's mandated recyclable materials. It is illegal for a hauling company or a material recovery facility (MRF) to separate designated recyclables from non-recyclables on a customer's behalf and likewise, it is also illegal to place these items in the garbage for disposal. Substantial fines can be imposed on waste generators who do not source separate and recycle these mandated materials. See N.J.A.C. 7:26A-1.1 (2009) Subchapter 10, Standards for Generators of Source Separated Recyclable Materials. For questions about recycling at construction, renovation, or demolition projects, call the Morris County Municipal Utilities Authority at 973/631-5185, or visit www.MCMUA.com for additional information.



Passengers And Helpers Must Remain In Vehicle - For the safety of everyone, MCMUA transfer station rules (#9, see next page) require all helpers and passengers to remain in their vehicles while on-site at the transfer stations. If passengers need to get out of the vehicles while using the transfer stations, the MCMUA requests that they be dropped off outside the transfer stations prior to weighing in and then picked up on the way out.

Transfer Station Safety and Operational Rules - *Please review the Transfer Station Safety and Operational Rules below with your employees who have access to the transfer stations. We also request that a company representative sign these rules and **return** the signed copy to us by mail (214A Center Grove Road, Randolph, NJ 07869), email (asingewald@mcmua.com), or fax (973-285-8397) indicating you have received and read these rules.*

J.P. Mascaro & Sons (Mascaro) has been awarded a contract to operate the MCMUA transfer stations and is required to adhere to all Federal, State and Local regulations and to provide a safe, healthy and sanitary workplace. Each of us has the responsibility to make the safety of our co-workers, our customers and the general public a primary concern; this objective is fundamental to the company and our employees' well being, as well as the efficient operation of our business.

It is imperative that all persons entering the site know, understand and abide by these safety rules.

This listing is not intended to be all-inclusive.

1. Hardhat, high visibility clothes/reflective safety vests, safety shoes and eye protection are to be worn when outside the vehicle.
2. All vehicles must comply with the posted traffic signs, with special attention to the posted speed limit of 5 MPH.
3. All vehicles must come to a full stop before proceeding onto the scales.
4. A minimum distance of ten (10) feet must be maintained between all personnel, trucks, rolling stock and heavy equipment within the facility except on tipping floor see rule #18.
5. All commercial solid waste vehicles entering the facility shall be equipped with external audible back up alarms; a minimum 85 dBa alarm must sound whenever the machine is in reverse.
6. Loads must be tarped prior to entering the facility. Tarps are to be removed in designated remove tarp areas only. Under no circumstances are tarps to be removed before entering the facility.
7. Drivers preparing to enter tipping areas must await directions from the Traffic Coordinator and/or Heavy Equipment Operator. Driver is to maintain eye contact with operating personnel.
8. Blind side backing is not to be attempted without guidance.
9. Passengers and Helpers must remain in the cab of the vehicle. Drivers must stay within six feet of their vehicle when outside of their vehicle. When out of vehicle please keep clear of tipping area bay door(s) as loader will be backing out.
10. Riding on the outside of the vehicle or standing on the vehicle rear step is forbidden when vehicle is moving on site.
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21. Cleaning out from behind the blade of a vehicle (truck cleanouts) must be done in designated clean out areas separate from the work zone.
22. While dumping the load, stay clear of the back of the vehicle. Never stand under the open tailgate or raised hopper.
23. Tailgates, bodies, and hoists should be lowered before exiting the building to ensure compliance with DEP permit. Equipment should not be moved around with the tailgates, doors, hoist, or bodies open or in the extended position. All open top trucks must be completely empty before exiting the tipping floor.
24. The backs of packer trucks and roll-off containers must be opened and closed on the tipping floor.
25. The operator/driver of a vehicle needing to be pulled shall hook and unhook the towing equipment. Pull hooks should be mounted on the front and rear of all refuse vehicles.
26. "Jake Brakes" may not be used on site at any time.
27. Heavy Equipment Operators have the right-of-way on the tipping floor. All vehicles are to yield to operating machinery and pedestrians.
28. A fifteen-foot safe zone must be maintained between heavy equipment and trucks working on the tipping floor. (15-foot safety zone cannot be enforced without closing 2 bay door from tipping and the MCMUA will not allow this).
29. Conforming safety chains must be used to hold open roll-off container doors while unloading. Use of bungee cords, wire, ropes, etc. will not be permitted.
30. All passengers must remain inside the vehicle. No children. No pets.
31. Do not pass moving vehicles.
32. To increase visibility, it is required that headlights and 4 way flashers be operating during disposal.
33. Report all injuries/accidents to the Traffic Coordinator or at the scalehouse.
34. Smoking is prohibited while outside your vehicle.
35. Horseplay, scavenging or picking through the loads is strictly forbidden.
36. Firearms, and/or weapons of any type are not allowed on the property for any reason.
37. The use of intoxicating beverages or any other restricted substance on the facility is strictly prohibited.
38. Photography is prohibited unless there is written permission from the J.P. Mascaro & Sons Facility Manager.
39. All visitors must check in at the scalehouse and/or main office.
40. Drivers are not to use cell phones or two-way radios while driving on the transfer stations' property, especially during a backing maneuver.
41. In the event a post collection employee needs to enter the tipping area on foot, all movement of equipment and vehicles must stop before and during this process. Movement cannot resume until the person(s) on foot has communicated to the vehicle operator(s) that the ground is clear.
42. Radio, tape or CD player earphones are not to be worn.
43. Upon entering the facility all collection vehicles must yield to any transfer trailer traffic going to the inbound scale.

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Signature

Print Name

Company Name and MCMUA Transfer Station Account #

Thank you for your cooperation.