

Pick-up Schedule

Monday- Assonet-Elm Street Bridge to Berkley and Fall River (Including Assonet Bay Shores)

Tuesday- Assonet – Mill Street side of Elm Street Bridge to Berkley and Lakeville and Howland Rd. to Rocky Hill Rd.

Wednesday- Assonet – Howland Rd. from Jacob Mountain Rd. to Lakeville line, Slab Bridge Rd.,

East Freetown – Chace Roads/County Roads to Lakeville (including Heaven Heights)

Thursday- East Freetown – Bullock and Braley Roads to Dartmouth and New Bedford

Friday- East Freetown – County and Mason Rd. to New Bedford and Acushnet and Middleboro Rd. to Rochester (Including Hemlock Point)

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Commonly Found Prohibited Items in Recycling:

1. Plastic Bags
2. Dirty Paper Towels
3. Food Waste
4. Styrofoam Packaging, Cups, or Plates
5. Straws
6. Dryer Lint
7. Aluminum Foil

Tips for Recycling

Use paper bags for shredded paper or newspaper in your recycling bin. Do not use plastic bags.

Donate useful items once you are finished with them, such as books, supplies, or clothing instead of throwing them away.

Purchase products in bulk with less packaging.

Please put out weekly trash and bi-weekly recycling no later than 7:00 am on your pick-up day.



For more information please see the Town's website at www.Freetownma.gov

TOWN OF FREETOWN

PAY-AS-YOU-THROW TRASH DISPOSAL AND CURBSIDE RECYCLING PROGRAMS



*Please take special notice of problem items listed on back of brochure.

PAY AS YOU THROW TRASH PROGRAM

WEEKLY TRASH DISPOSAL

The Town of Freetown adopted a Pay-As-You-Throw Trash Disposal program in 2010. **Official Town Bags** need to be purchased for weekly pick-up.

All curbside trash must be placed in a green, Freetown Pay-As-You-Throw, **Official Town Bag**. Bags can be purchased through local merchants.

Cost Per Bag: 15 Gal = \$1.25
33 Gal = \$2.50
(Sold in 5 Bag Sleeves)

Non-compliant trash bags will **not** be picked up and a violation sticker will be left behind.



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RECYCLING PROGRAM

BI-WEEKLY CURBSIDE RECYCLING

Freetown also provides bi-weekly curbside recycling for its residents. The town uses single stream recycling (all recyclable material mixed together) for its ease.

Please adhere to the following steps to ensure pick-up of your recycling:

1. Please affix a **Freetown Recycles** sticker* to any barrel. A **Recycling Barrel** can be any barrel as long as it has this sticker on it.
2. All recyclable material must be placed in a **Recycling Barrel****
3. All recyclable material **must** be clean. No food waste or trash can be mixed in with recyclables.

****Do not place recycling in a plastic bag or trash bag.**

WHAT **CAN** BE RECYCLED CURBSIDE:

Newspaper	Paper
Magazines	Flattened Cardboard
Catalogs	Brown Paper Bags
Telephone Books	Plastics #1 thru #7
Soft Cover Books	Glass Bottles/Jars
Junk Mail/Envelopes	Aluminum Pie Plates
Paperboard	Metal Cans (tin, steel, aluminum)
Cereal/Shoe boxes	

WHAT **CANNOT** BE RECYCLED CURBSIDE:

Plastic Bags	Motor Oil
Styrofoam	5 Gallon Pails
Dishes	Paint Cans
Pyrex	Aerosol Cans
Windows	Cell Phones
Auto Glass	Appliances
Unmarked Plastics	Pots or Pans
Coat Hangers	Furniture
Light Bulbs	Batteries
Foam Packaging	Building Products
Antifreeze Containers	Ceramics

WHERE CAN BAGS BE PURCHASED?

Assonet Area:

Sedell's Pharmacy, 65 So. Main St.
New England Farms, 68 So. Main St.
Shaw's Supermarket, 4171 N. Main St.,
Fall River
Trucchi's Supermarket, 543 County St,
Taunton

East Freetown Area:

Quick Pic, 1 Chace Rd.
New England Farms, 4 Chace Rd.
Prime Express, 1 Mason Rd.
Foster's Hardware, 175 County Rd.
Stop and Shop, 1001 Kings Hwy.
Trucchi's Supermarket, 2941 Acushnet
Ave, New Bedford

****Freetown Recycles stickers are available at the Town Hall in Assonet and Fosters Hardware in East Freetown***