Trash Rules and Regulations
Residential Zones

Please review Chapter 195: Solid Waste in the code of the Borough of Haddonfield, online at www.haddonfieldnj.org.

These rules are in place to keep the amount of time garbage is left on the curb and never in the road, to a minimum and improve the overall appearance of our neighborhoods. NOTHING CAN BE PLACED OR RAKED ONTO A PUBLIC ROADWAY. Containers MUST be placed at the curb and on park strip and are NEVER permitted in the public roadway.

No refuse shall be placed for collection on any sidewalk prior to 1:00PM of the day before collection. Business District trash cannot be put out before 5:00PM of the day before collection and cannot be left out over the weekend. Refuse must be out by 7:00AM for residential areas and by 6:30AM for businesses, including residences in the business district, on the scheduled trash day to assure collection.

Rules - For the health and safety of the trash collection personnel and the most efficient operation of the collection system, the following important rules are necessary:

- Trash must be in placed curbside in metal or plastic cans with lids of no more than 32-gallon capacity or heavy-duty plastic bags of 1.3 mill thickness. Trash will not be picked up in paper bags, cardboard boxes, containers larger than 32 gallons, bushel baskets, metal or plastic tubs.
- Trash, garbage, or other waste materials must be placed in suitable plastic or metal containers which are covered or otherwise contained in such a way that the waste material cannot escape from the container, attract vermin, emit odor, or cause spilling into stormwater sewer drains and/or the waters of the state in order to protect public health, safety, and welfare.
- Such persons shall be responsible for immediately removing from any street, sidewalk, or private property any material which leaves, falls, or escapes from the waste container for any reason prior to it being collected, and shall pay any costs for such removal.
- No single item (except bulk items as delineated below) may weigh more than 50 pounds at time of collection. Trash is limited to 6 pieces per week, per residence.
- Trash disposed curbside in cardboard boxes (ex. Styrofoam peanuts put out in cardboard boxes) will be tagged and not picked up. Trash and recycling must be separated for pickup.
- Stone, dirt, and masonry products will not be taken by the Borough. These must be taken to a private disposal facility by the resident.
- Food waste (garbage) must be combined with trash in permitted covered trashcans not to exceed 50 pounds. Food waste should be bagged and placed out for trash.
- Shredded paper is now considered recycling and will not be picked up as trash. Please do not place shredded paper in plastic bags.
- Bulk Items - Furniture, appliances, mattresses, etc. These items will be picked up with the weekly collection and must be no larger than what can fit in the back of a standard 8' pickup truck bed, nor heavier than two men can safely lift. Refrigerators must have doors removed for safety. These items will be picked up separately during the trash day. Carpet will not be picked up as bulk items unless it is cut into 4-foot lengths, rolled & pieces not to exceed 50 pounds.
- No construction debris will be picked up. Dumpsters cannot be placed in a public roadway without first obtaining permission from the Borough of Haddonfield Police Department. Dumpsters can be placed in driveways without a permit.
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- Bags of grass clippings or other vegetative waste will only be picked up on regular trash days and must be put out according to the same schedule as outlined above during warmer months. During colder months, vegetative waste will be picked up the third full week of each month. If unsure of scheduled pick up, please check online at www.haddonfieldnj.org or contact Public Works. Homeowners must notify landscapers that containers of clippings cannot be left out for days. They must be put out on regular trash pick-up days. PLASTIC BAGS ARE NO LONGER ACCEPTED FOR YARD DEBRIS.

- Placing material, like mulch, dirt, or leaves, in the street: putting anything in the street, or in the gutter, is a violation of New Jersey stormwater regulations. This material can clog storm sewers. Please remind landscapers this is not allowed.

- It shall be unlawful for any person or corporation to place or to cause to be placed such leaves, rubbish or trash exclusive of tree trimmings on said 1/3 portion of any such sidewalk (park strip) unless the same shall be securely tied together in bundles or placed in containers in such manner that the same will not become scattered over the sidewalk or street, provided, however, that any such container and its contents shall not exceed 60 pounds in weight.

- The borough provides one "Move-Out" pickup per residence to assist homeowners when selling their home. This special pickup relaxes the 6 piece per residence limit and allows for additional items to be placed for pickup on the scheduled trash day. Excessively large amounts of trash or household cleanouts will require a dumpster or disposed at a state approved sanitary landfill such as the Peninsauken Landfill, at the property owner's cost. To assure that all items are removed, it is necessary for the trash removal company to be notified in advance of the trash day. Please call Waste Management at 800-633-9096.

Haddonfield is a leader in recycling through the cooperation of our residents and businesses. Recycling is mandated by law and enforcement guidelines have been established. The items will be collected each week on the regular trash day according to the schedule.

Maps delineating the area receiving collection each day are available in Room 101 at the Borough Hall. Questions regarding trash collection for a particular location can be answered by calling 856-429-0183 (DPW).

Holidays: trash collection may be postponed and rescheduled for the next feasible day. Updated schedules can be found online at www.haddonfieldnj.org.

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C. Other objects such as trash receptacles, storage containers, recyclable containers, construction materials, demolition materials, tools, equipment, non-registered vehicles, landscape materials, toys, shrubs, branches, vegetation, etc., and other such objects are prohibited at any time from being placed in a street or public thoroughfare utilized by motor vehicles.

A section has been added to the Public Works page on the Borough website, www.haddonfieldnj.org, where you can report issues with your trash and recycling pick-up. For immediate issues, please report problems with either trash or recycling pick-up directly to Public Works at 429-0183 x0 (recurring and vegetative waste) or Casworth at 856-848-3505 for trash issues.

The Borough requests your cooperation and compliance with these rules and regulations as they will be enforced. Repeat offenders will receive a complaint signed in municipal court. Under the law, the judge can issue fines for these violations.