



Hamilton SustainabiliTEAM

Green Challenge 2022

Disposal Alternatives for Items **NOT** Collected ***CURBSIDE!***

Curbside recycling allows for many types of household waste DISPOSAL, such as plastics, paper, cardboard, glass, and aluminum cans. But, what about the odd items that are not accepted?

Disposal Alternatives exist which will lessen the impact on our landfills.

RECYCLE *minus* LANDFILL = \$\$\$\$\$ SAVED

Battery Collection

- Township of Hamilton Public Works Facility – 5500 Atlantic Ave, Mays Landing
 - 1st Saturday of each month from 9a-12p
 - Rechargeable Batteries – Lithium Ion (Li-Ion), Nickel Cadmium (Ni-Cd), Nickel Metal Hydride (Ni-MH), Nickel Zinc (Ni-Zn), Small Sealed Lead Acid (SSLA/Pb)
 - Single-Use (such as alkaline) – AA, AAA, 9V, C, D and Button Cells, Lithium Primary

Clothing

- Local Thrift Stores
- Salvation Army Thrift Store Donation Centers
- Goodwill Donation Centers
- Drop boxes in most shopping center parking lots

Electronic Waste Collection

- Township of Hamilton Public Works Facility – 5500 Atlantic Ave, Mays Landing
 - 1st Saturday of the month from 9a-12p
- [Atlantic County 4H Fairgrounds](#) – 3210 NJ-50, Mays Landing
 - 3rd Saturday of the month from 9a-12p

Food Waste

- Composting
 - Visit [Recycle Nation](#) for tips
- Bring your leftovers home when eating out (make sure to bring your own reusable containers)

Linens

- Local Animal Shelters
- Rescues & Sanctuaries

Ink Cartridges

- Staples
- Best Buy
- Office Depot
- OfficeMax

Paint, Motor Oil, & Other Hazardous Wastes

- Drop off at [ACUA Hazardous Waste Drop-Off Days](#)

Tires & Oil

- Township of Hamilton Public Works Facility – 5500 Atlantic Ave, Mays Landing
 - Monday - Friday from 7a- 2:30p
 - Place oil and tires alongside the small storage shed next to the garage
 - Township of Hamilton residents only
- Oil must be brought in containers that do not need to be returned
- Tires must be without rims and only **four per month per household**

Plastic Film & Clean/Dry #2 or #4 Polyethylene (PE)

- What is considered “Plastic Film”: pallet wrap, stretch film, grocery bags , bread bags, case overwrap, dry cleaning bags, newspaper sleeves, Ziploc bags, produce bags, product wrap, shipping air pillows, bubble wrap, plastic shipping envelopes, electronic wrap, etc.
- Where it can be dropped off for recycling:
 - Township of Hamilton Municipal & Public Works Buildings
 - Acme Markets – 4454 Black Horse Pike, Mays Landing
 - Atlantic County Courthouse – 5901 Main St, Mays Landing
 - Atlantic County Library, Mays Landing Branch – 40 Farragut Ave, Mays Landing
 - Presbyterian Church – 6001 Main St, Mays Landing
- [Learn more here](#)

Yard Waste

- ACUA accepts leaves, brush, grass, and clean wood for their [Mulch Recycling Program](#)
- All items must be placed in kraft bags or properly marked containers – plastic bags are not permitted
 - Bags or containers for pick-up should not exceed 49 lbs
- Learn more about curbside pick-up and drop-off options [here](#)

Safe Medication Disposal

- Township of Hamilton Municipal Building Hall – 6101 Thirteenth St, Mays Landing, 24/7/365
- Acme Markets – 4454 Black Horse Pike, Mays Landing
- Call 800-882-9539 for more information about collection sites

REPURPOSING and UP-CYCLING

Repurposing

- Using something for a purpose other than its original intended use
- Add creativity to stylish items by modifying the original purpose

Up-Cycling

- To conserve resources and decreases harmful emissions
- Reusing something multiple times in a variety of ways contributes to this and reduces the amount tossed into landfills
- This is the practice of repairing and restoring



Isn't It Worth It to Know
You're Diverting Waste from the Landfill?