

**TOWN OF STOUGHTON  
DISPOSAL OF HOUSEHOLD WASTES  
REVISED RULES AND REGULATIONS  
AS OF NOVEMBER 8, 2022**

**CURBSIDE COLLECTION:**

1. Rubbish Collection is provided weekly and recycling is twice monthly. Changes in schedule (holidays, etc.) will be advertised locally.
2. As of November 1, 2022, trash and recycling will no longer be picked up on Mondays except for the following circumstance.
3. If a holiday is observed on your collection day, it will be picked up on the next weekday, including Monday. Mon-Fri
4. Holidays are as follows: New Year's Day, MLK, Jr. Day, President's Day, Patriots' Day, Memorial Day, Juneteenth Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Columbus Day, Veteran's Day, Thanksgiving Day and Christmas Day.
5. All rubbish must be at **curbside by 7 am** on your collection day but not curbside earlier than 4 PM the previous day.
6. Rubbish which is not at curbside when the truck reaches that location **will not** be collected later.
7. Rugs/carpet must be cut into widths of no more than 4' and tied into rolls of no more than 12" in diameter for collection at curbside. Same with lumber/wood.
8. **Trash must be bagged.**
9. **Bags may be placed in barrels under a 32 gallon size only.**
10. Bags & boxes torn, broken, or water-soaked due to weather, will be the responsibility of the homeowner. Same with plastic containers that is broken or damaged.
11. Large household metal appliances must be called in to the Public Works Department to schedule an appointment to be picked up, or can be brought to 100 Page St from 8-4:30pm Saturdays ONLY.
12. TVs and computer monitors w/color tubes must be called in to the Public Works Department to schedule an appointment to be picked up. The Stoughton Recycling Center **NO LONGER accepts them @ 100 Page Street.**
13. Multiple dwelling units of more than 3 families will not be collected.

**RECYCLING CENTER:**

1. The Recycling Center is open to residents who pay for sanitation services & get their trash collected by the PWD. The **Stoughton Recycling Center is located @ 100 Page St. & is open on Saturdays 8 – 4:30pm**
2. All recyclables must originate from within the Town of Stoughton
3. Be prepared to show proof of residency upon arrival.
4. No commercial vehicles or haulers are allowed.
5. No vehicle larger than a ½ -ton pickup truck will be allowed.
6. Large metal household appliances accepted (stoves, dryers, dishwashers, microwaves, etc.). Refrigerators and freezers must have doors removed. Lawnmowers must have oil & gas removed.

**NON ACCEPTABLE MATERIALS:**

1. Mattresses/box springs will no longer be picked up. Residents can bring them to Public Works headquarters at 950 Central Street.
2. Textiles.
3. Yard waste - Leaves and grass clippings only are accepted at the Stoughton Recycling Center, **NOT at curbside.**
4. Car parts, tires.
5. Logs, stumps, brush, branches.
6. Pallets & skids.
7. Construction debris, repair or demolition materials, sheet rock, shingles, lumber, fences, etc.
8. Any flammable materials or chemicals: oils, paints, gas, etc.
9. Animal excrement.
10. Earth - Rocks, dirt, concrete, asphalt, sand, gravel, etc.
11. Hot coals or embers.
12. Hazardous waste, acids, ammunition, car batteries, pesticides.
13. 50 or 55-gallon drums.
14. Porcelain materials (toilets, sinks, tubs).
15. Medical waste: Disposal of needles, syringes, lancets and other sharp objects.
16. Motor oil may be disposed of by returning it to the place of purchase in the proper container.

**RECYCLABLES ARE TO BE SEPARATED AND PLACED IN CONTAINERS LOOSE AS FOLLOWS: NO PLASTIC BAGS ACCEPTED**

- **Commingle Containers consist of:** Glass bottles (any color), stiff plastic (1-5, 7), aluminum plates, foil and trays
- **Curbside Newsprint Containers consists of:** Newspaper, magazines, phone books, junk mail, soft cover books, cereal boxes, tissue boxes and paper towel/toilet paper rolls. Any cardboard must be broken down in small pieces.
- **Corrugated cardboard** (cut up & tied) is accepted at the Recycle Center only. (No pizza boxes)

**THE STOUGHTON DPW HAS FREE "RECYCLABLES" STICKERS FOR ANY CONTAINER UP TO 32 GALLONS. THEY MUST BE SEPARATED AND LABELED TO ENSURE PROPER PICK UP.**

DPW LOCATED @ 950 CENTRAL ST. 781-344-2112 or 781-341-1300 ext. 9312