

## Trash/Transfer Station Info



As of November 1, 2022, we all joined together to offer the District Mattress Recycling "HUB" located at the Town of Williamsburg Transfer Station.

Visit our website: [www.hrmc-ma.org](http://www.hrmc-ma.org)

Open to all member-town residents.

**In 2023 HRMC hosted a  
Confidential Paper Shredding event  
with Pro-Shred.**

This was possible through grant funding we received from MassDEP, Sustainable Materials Recovery Program, Small Scales Award. Once we have our Grant allocation, HRMC will set other special collections for the summer of 2024.  
*(More information to follow on our Web site for 2024)*



**Earth Machine**  
**80-gallon Home Compost Unit**  
Offered at a subsidized cost!  
*Pre-Orders will take place in March 2024.*

**2024 Save the Date:**

Annual Household Hazardous Waste Collection to be held  
**Saturday, October 19, 2024.**

More details to follow regarding location, time and Pre-registration.

*Questions please contact:*  
**413-685-5498 or [hrmc@hrmc-ma.org](mailto:hrmc@hrmc-ma.org)**

## Transfer Station Fee Schedule

Transfer station permits and stickers are available at the dump during their regular business hours.

Residency, a Transfer Station Permit (Dump Sticker), and "H" stickers are required to deposit trash at the Huntington Transfer Station.

"H" stickers may be purchased at the transfer station during regular hours.

## Recycling Resources

- [The Springfield Municipal Recycling Facility](#)
- [MaDEP's Beyond the Bin](#)
- [Textile Recycling](#)

The Board of Health has established a 50% recycling goal with the intent of increasing quantity and improving the quality of the materials being recycled at the transfer station. In 2016, the Town of Huntington had a recycling rate of 21.9%

Many residents are conscientious about recycling and believe that they are properly recycling. The Board of Health encourages you to be aware of recycling's "Most Unwanted". Bagging recycling in plastic bags is one of the most common problems at the Springfield Municipal Recycling Facility (MRF).

Residents are reminded to keep these items out of your recycling bin:

- No Plastic Bags in with recycling – they bind up sorting material at the MRF
- No Placement of Recycling in Plastic Bags
- No Cords or wrapping items – these shut down MRF rollers
- No Loose Shredded Paper – place shredded paper in paper bags
- Keep non-recyclable plastics out of the MRF container. Samples:
  - Pellet Bags – see attendant for special collection area
  - No Plastic Cups – place with household trash
  - No Plastic Containers that contained a hazardous material – i.e. windshield washer fluid, bleach, nail polish, motor oil, etc.
- No wet-strength paper – soda and beer sleeves and paper items from the frozen food section of the grocery store are reinforced with plastic to prevent them from collapsing when wet. These cannot be recycled into paper.
- No food waste in containers – Please rinse. Clean pizza boxes - okay. Pizza in the box is not!
- No scrap metal – it damages recycling equipment. Place in metal bin.
- No ceramics, drinking glasses, canning jars
- No fluorescent light bulbs or CRTs – see attendant for special collection area. Mercury bulbs that are broken have had the mercury released. Place broken bulb in with your household trash.

In addition to properly recycling, the Board of Health encourages residents to be mindful to REDUCE waste and to do all that you can to RE-USE products or re-purpose them.

When in doubt – give the attendants a shout! They are glad to answer your recycling questions.

Transfer Station News: Board of Health Establishes 50% Recycling Goal - Updated March 2021 48.4 KB

**Composting is Easy - Earth Machine Compost Bins Available to Huntington Residents for \$ 25.00**

Composting Flyer 63.86 KB

## Directions

Address

7 Mill St.  
Huntington, MA 01050  
United States

[View in Google Maps](#)

**42.2331805, -72.8741031**