## **RECYCLING**

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## 2018 Recycling Schedule

Recycling is good for the environment and Byram Township is proud of the active role it takes to make Byram Township a great place to live. By recycling, we save our natural resources and help reduce the amount of solid waste that goes into landfills. Please recycle to keep Byram green and clean!

## Frequently Asked Questions:

1. When is recycling picked up?

Every other Friday (click here for schedule)

2. What can I recycle?

Click here for list of what can and cannot be recycled

3. Am I limited to the number of containers I put out?

No, there is no limit to the number of containers picked up.

4. Do I need to separate plastics, newspapers or cardboard?

No, you put all the materials in the same containers.

5. I missed the curbside recycling day. Can I bring my recyclables somewhere to be recycled?

Yes, certain recyclables (ex. leaves, brush) can be brought to the **Township Recycling Center**, located at 10 Mansfield Drive. The Recycling Center is open daily during daylight hours. Please note that the **Leaf and Brush recycling area of the Recycling Center typically closes from mid December through the end of March** due to winter weather. However, there is the possibility that this area may close earlier than mid December and/or may not open till late April as this is dependent upon weather. Please call the Township to confirm the dates this area will close and open. For additional information on Byram Township's Recycling program, please <u>click here.</u>

Residents may also opt to bring their recyclables to the **Sussex County Municipal Utilities Authorities (SCMUA)**. SCMUA is located at 34 South Route 94, Lafayette, NJ

and is open for disposal Monday through Saturday from 7am to 2pm. Residents may call the office at 973-579-6998 Monday through Friday from 8:30am to 4:30pm. Note that fees are collected for this service, unless it is done on a special recycling / disposal day. For additional information on SCMUA, click here.

SCMUA designates special FREE disposal days throughout the year for items such as <u>Electronics</u> and <u>Household Hazardous Wastes</u>. Click on each topic to obtain detailed information, including the posted dates.

6. Can I use plastic bags to hold my recyclables?

No, recyclables will NOT be picked up if it is in plastic bags, unless you are recycling shredded paper. Shredded paper should be collected in clear plastic bags only.

7. Why does the list of items to recycle keep changing?

Byram keeps current on state requirements and as such, modifications may be needed. Please check the website to keep informed.

8. Does Byram Township sell recyclables that are collected?

Yes, Byram Township has contracted with ReCommunity Recycling for the sale of our recyclables. For every ton of materials that is not taken to the Sussex County Municipal Utilities Authority, Byram Township will save nearly \$100 in tipping fees and also receives \$18 per ton of items recycled!