

Recycling Depot

300 Walton Avenue
South Orange, NJ 07079
(973) 378-7741, x221

Open to the Public

Tuesday & Thursday, 8am - 4pm
Saturday, 8am - noon

Closed

Sunday, Monday,
Wednesday, Friday

2014

Single-Stream Toter Recycling

South Orange, New Jersey
Department of Public Works

Single-Stream Recycling

Metals • Glass • Paper • Plastics

No More Sorting! Single-stream recycling allows all recyclable items to be placed in the same container without sorting. Place your filled container at the curb every other Wednesday, as shown on the calendar at right.

By 7 a.m. on collection day, place toter in driveway near curb. Make sure it is visible to work crews.

Materials Accepted

Metals

- Food and beverage containers made from aluminum, bi-metal, ferrous metal and steel
- Aluminum foil
- Soda and beverage cans
- Pots and pans

Glass

- Food and beverage containers

Mixed Paper and Corrugated Cardboard

- All paper
- Newspapers and inserts
- Magazines and catalogs
- Corrugated cardboard (excess or oversized cardboard may be flattened, tied and placed alongside the Toter)

Plastics

- Cups and plates
- Drink bottles
- Narrow-neck containers with resin ID numbers 1-7
- Wide-mouth containers such as peanut butter, yogurt, sour cream mayonnaise, margarine tubs
- Shrink wrap
- Prescription bottles (empty)

Styrofoam Food Containers (Well rinsed)

Materials NOT Accepted

Recycling will not be collected if prohibited items are included

- Mirrors, windows, auto or plate glass
- Light bulbs
- Ceramics, dishware or Pyrex
- Electronics or electrical equipment
- Wire of any kind
- Labels, stickers or adhesive-backed paper
- Batteries
- Paints, pesticides, chemicals
- Organic material
- Food waste
- Styrofoam packing material (peanuts or other)
- Needles, syringes, medical waste
- Iron, steel or scrap metal
- VHS, cassettes or other tapes
- Appliances
- Motor oil, fluids or antifreeze (including empty containers)
- Hazardous waste

Toters ARE Required for Single-Stream Recycling

Single-stream recycling requires the use of Toter brand recycling containers, available from the Village at wholesale prices: 96 gallons, \$70; 64 gallons, \$65; or 48 gallons, \$60.

You may continue using your current green or blue Toter as long as it is in good condition.

Toters are available at Public Works, 300 Walton Avenue, Monday through Friday, 7:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Payment must be made by check. Upon payment, free delivery to your home will take place on the next available delivery date.

Order Your Toter

■ Call (973) 378-7741, x221 for ordering information.

■ Or download an order form from www.southorange.org and mail the completed form with check to DPW, 300 Walton Avenue, South Orange, NJ 07079.

Recycling is the Law

Toter use is mandatory for curbside recycling in South Orange. Once a Toter is purchased, collection is provided at no additional charge. An alternative to curbside recycling is drop-off at the Public Works Yard, located at 300 Walton Avenue, opposite Thornden Street. Financial assistance for Toter purchase is available to qualified senior citizens and handicapped individuals.

2014 Toter Pickups

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You Can Still Drop Off Recycling Yourself

Although single-stream recycling has come to the Village, the South Orange Recycling Center at 300 Walton Avenue continues to accept drop-offs. All items dropped off must be sorted as follows:

- Newspaper
- Commingled food and beverage containers made of glass, aluminum, metal or plastic
- High-grade paper
- Corrugated cardboard



When There's Inclement Weather

Material will be collected the following day unless you are otherwise notified via Village website, e-mail or other means.

Missed Collections, Complaints

Notify the contractor, Giordano Recycling, at (800) 216-2250, x13, or e-mail dispatch@gogreengiordano.com.

More Information

(973) 378-7741, x226
www.southorange.org/single-stream

2014 Holiday Depot Closures

- Jan. 1 New Year's Day observed
- Jan. 20 ML King's Birthday
- Feb. 17 Presidents' Day
- April 18 Good Friday
- May 26 Memorial Day
- July 4 Independence Day
- Sept. 1 Labor Day
- Nov. 11 Veterans Day observed
- Nov. 27-28 Thanksgiving Holiday
- Dec. 24-25 Christmas Holiday

Miscellaneous Disposal

■ **Snow Alert** - In the event of substantial snow, recycling collection will be postponed until the next working day. Cancellations are aired on Seton Hall Radio Station WSOU-89.5 FM.

■ **Construction Materials** - At no time will the Township pick up any type of construction material, either from residences or businesses, nor can such materials be brought to the DPW Recycling Depot.

■ **Corrugated Cardboard** - Residents and business owners can drop them off at the Public Works Yard. No Styrofoam packing material is allowed.

■ **Styrofoam** cannot be left at the DPW Depot.

■ Appliances, Metals, Large Household Items

Public Works will pick up all such items when arranged by appointment. Call (973) 378-7741, x221.

Allow six to eight weeks for an available appointment from time of call.

Glass must be removed before pickup. Refrigerator doors must be removed.

Metal appliances and all-metal items may be brought by residents directly to the Public Works Depot during regular hours.

Large items such as sofas, mattresses, carpeting and furniture may be brought to the depot only on container days, April through September. Specific dates will be posted in the March 2014 Gaslight.

Pickup appointments are \$75 per stop.

Appliances & All-Metal Items

Jan. 28	July 29
Feb. 25	Aug. 26
Mar. 25	Sept. 23
April 22	Oct. 28
May 20	Nov. 25
June 24	Dec. 16

Large Household Items

Jan. 30	July 31
Feb. 27	Aug. 28
Mar. 27	Sept. 25
April 24	Oct. 30
May 22	Nov. 27
June 26	Dec. 18

*Pickup appointment required.
\$75 per stop.*

Electronics Disposal

Eight Saturdays in 2014 will be set aside for FREE electronic drop-off in South Orange and Maplewood. Residents from both towns will be able to drop off at the Public Works Yard in South Orange on four Saturdays, and at the Maplewood Recycling Center on four additional Saturdays. The dates will be announced in future Gaslights. Proof of residency will be required at either site. Commercial and large-quantity electronics users cannot use the facilities.

Accepted for Drop-Off:

Computers, monitors, printers, fax machines, scanners, telecom equipment, speakers, televisions, keyboards, VCRs, stereos, DVD players, toasters, old cell phones, and mainframes.

DPW now accepts RIGID PLASTIC items

The South Orange Recycling Depot now accepts rigid plastic items for recycling. Examples include:

- plastic garden furniture
- plastic toys
- plastic bins and buckets
- plastic crockery
- plastic food containers
- plastic gardening equipment



Rigid plastic recycling is done by drop-off only at the Recycling Depot. The items cannot be placed in Toters.

Rigid plastics usually do not have a recycling number as found on plastic bottles, but they are generally made of #2 HDPE resin.

If you have unwanted plastic toys in good condition that your children have outgrown, try donating them first to day-care centers, houses of worship, Good Will, the Salvation Army or another social service agency.