



# DON'T TRASH OUR TOWN!

## Dispose of your unwanted items properly and legally....



### PLAINFIELD TRANSFER STATION (PMUA) 95 Rock Ave. Plainfield, NJ 07060

We partner with Plainfield Municipal Utilities Authority so that North Plainfield residents can bring unwanted items to the Transfer Station. **The cost is CHEAP!.. About 5 cents per pound! (\$110 per ton!)**

**For more info, visit:** <http://pmua.info/perc>

Or call 908 226-2518.

You can print out the PMUA form with instructions here:

<https://forms.northplainfield.org/bh/PMUA%20Transfer%20Station%20Disposal%20Form.pdf>

ACCEPTED BULK WASTE ITEMS: Furniture (indoor & outdoor), Mattresses, Appliances, Toys and Household Items. Vegetative waste, motor oil, tires and more is accepted. Call ahead to confirm your items will be accepted. NP residents can NOT bring e-waste.

**\*\*Must show proof of North Plainfield Residency**



### CALL YOUR GARBAGE COLLECTION SERVICE

Call your garbage company and ask them about picking up bulk items, or go out when your collector is at your property and ask if they will take your extra bulk items!



### NJ CLEAN ENERGY APPLIANCE RECYCLING PROGRAM

You can responsibly recycle your working refrigerator and/or freezer for FREE and receive a \$50 incentive.

\* Refrigerators and freezers must be between 10 and 30 cubic feet in size. 1 Room air conditioner or dehumidifier can also be picked up during the **same appointment** as the refrigerator or freezer.

All appliances must be owned by the customer and operational at the time of pick up.

You must provide clear and safe access to your appliance for the removal team.

**Personnel will not risk injury, move personal effects, or otherwise modify your home (e.g., remove door or railings) to remove the unit.**

Refrigerator water lines must be disconnected.

Room air conditioners must be removed from windows, and dehumidifiers should be drained of water.

An adult, 18 years of age or older, must be present to sign the release form.

If you live in a multifamily building or complex there must be available parking for the truck to complete the pickup. The crew will also need access to an elevator if the unit is above the second floor. There must be a safe and clear path out of the building or the unit will not be collected.

**For more info, visit:** <http://njcleanenergy.com/recycling>



### SOMERSET COUNTY RECYCLING E-WASTE DROPOFF

Weekday E- Waste drop-offs: Monday through Friday from 7:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the North County Public Works Facility, 411 Chimney Rock Road - north of Route 22 - Building B, Bridgewater, NJ 08807 and the South County Public Works Garage, 410 Roycefield Road, Hillsborough, NJ 08844.

One Saturday each month Somerset County has a free E-Waste drop-off so you can safely dispose of electronics at the South County Public Works Garage, located at 410 Roycefield Rd. in Hillsborough from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m.

**Find out more and see the schedule here:** <https://www.co.somerset.nj.us/government/public-works/recycling/electronics-waste>

or call the Somerset County Solid Waste Management at 908-231-7109.

**\*\*Proof of Somerset County residency is required (current driver's license, valid lease, tax bill or any other bill with a Somerset County address). Pre-registration is not required. No businesses allowed. No commercial vehicles are permitted at the Electronic Waste events.**



### **SOMERSET COUNTY 1<sup>st</sup> SATURDAY DROP-OFF**

One Saturday each month you can drop off tires and other items listed below at the Somerset County Recycling Center, located at 40 Polhemus Lane in Bridgewater from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m.

**Find out more and see the schedule here:** <https://www.co.somerset.nj.us/government/public-works/recycling/first-saturday-of-the-month>

or call the Somerset County Recycling Center at (732) 469-3363.

**\*\*Proof of Somerset County residency is required; (current driver's license, valid lease, tax bill or any other bill with a Somerset County address). Pre-registration is not required. No businesses allowed. No commercial vehicles are permitted** at the First Saturday of the Month drop-off events.

As part of the program, residents can drop off up to eight passenger tires – with or without rims – scrap metal, used motor oil, oil filters, microwave ovens, antifreeze and usual curbside materials (newspapers; magazines; junk mail and other paper; corrugated cardboard; glass bottles; aluminum, steel and bi-metal cans), including chipboard items and plastic bottles and containers, marked #1 through #7. Chipboard includes gift, shoe, shirt and all retail boxes, as well as cereal, cookie, pasta, cake and cracker boxes, without the plastic liners. Also poster board, greeting cards, backing from writing pads, and empty, dried-out steel paint cans are accepted.



### **SOMERSET COUNTY HAZARDOUS WASTE DAYS DROP-OFF**

5 Saturdays each year Somerset County has free hazardous Waste drop-off days at various locations from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

**Find out more and see the schedule here:** <https://www.co.somerset.nj.us/government/public-works/recycling/hazardous-waste-days>

Proof of Somerset County residency is required; (current driver's license, valid lease, tax bill or any other bill with a Somerset County address). Pre-registration is not required. No businesses allowed.

Household hazardous waste includes banned or outdated pesticides, antifreeze, transmission fluid, brake fluids, wet-cell car batteries, motor oil (2-gallon maximum), used oil filters, fluorescent tubes and compact fluorescent lights, ammonia-based cleaners, gasoline, kerosene, mercury switches, mercury, helium balloon tanks, fire extinguishers, used cooking oil, oil-based and latex-based paints, pool chemicals, barbecue propane tanks and rechargeable and button-cell batteries.

No tires, electronic waste (computers and televisions), infectious waste, gas cylinders, smoke alarms, unknown or unidentified material, 55 gallon drums, dioxins, PCBs, carbon monoxide detectors, explosives, air conditioners, dehumidifiers or any items that contain a refrigerant, Pentachlorophenol and 2, 4, 5-TP (Silvex), are accepted. **No commercial vehicles are allowed.**



### **NORTH PLAINFIELD - APRIL BULK WASTE COLLECTION - SEPTEMBER BULK METAL**

**During the month of April**, North Plainfield DPW will pick up a maximum of 5 bulk items such as, dressers, sofas, and chairs, at \$10.00 per item. Reservations/Payments are taken after March 15<sup>th</sup>.

**Find out more:** [https://docs.northplainfield.org/dpw/LEAVES\\_AND\\_BULK\\_PICKUP.pdf](https://docs.northplainfield.org/dpw/LEAVES_AND_BULK_PICKUP.pdf)

**During the month of September**, North Plainfield will pick up bulk metal. Pipe must be cut to 4' lengths.

Items containing **Freon** will not be collected. Reservations are taken after August 15<sup>th</sup>.

**Find out more:** 908 769-2914



### **DONATE YOUR ITEMS and HELP PEOPLE**

Check your local churches. Many collect items to sell to help with overhead and to help people in need.

**Goodwill** stores accept donations of clothing, shoes, jewelry, accessories, handbags, luggage, household goods and other items. The proceeds for sales of donated goods help individuals with disabilities.

For more info: <https://www.goodwillnynj.org/donate-goods>

**MomsHelpingMoms.org** accepts baby items in new condition to help moms in need.

For more info: <https://www.momshelpingmomsfoundation.org/donate/>

**Raritan Valley Habitat For Humanity ReStore**

Accepts donated furniture, appliances, cabinets, housewares, recycled building materials and more.

For more info: <https://rvhabitatrestore.org/donate-to-the-restore/>