



# Nutley

DEPARTMENT OF  
PUBLIC WORKS

Mayor Dr. Joseph P. Scarpelli  
Director of Public Works



**2024-2025**  
Recycling Collection Guide

Dear Resident,

As I complete my 16th year as the Director of Public Works, I want to personally thank you for continuing to make our recycling program such a huge success. I am constantly working to see how we can reduce expenses without affecting services.

Over the years we made many cost-saving modifications to the recycling program to adapt to the changes in the industry. Outsourcing one-half of our recycling pick up to reduce manpower and increase production, investing in more efficient equipment, and introducing programs and entertaining educational presentations in our schools to increase awareness are some of the changes DPW has instituted in the past. As the recycling market continues to evolve, so will the DPW.

Our community events such as Shredding Day, Compost Day, and our Leaf Bag/Food Drive Day have proven not only popular with our residents, but have been emulated across the state. Take note of the dates located in our Community Event section. Thank you again for your cooperation!

**Mayor Dr. Joseph P. Scarpelli**



# Weekly Curbside Collection

Visit [www.nutleynj.org/recycling](http://www.nutleynj.org/recycling) to find out your collection day.  
**ZONE #1 - Tuesdays** • **ZONE #2 - Wednesdays** • **ZONE #3 - Thursdays**

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## Recycling Guidelines

- As per New Jersey State Law and Chapter 614 of the Code of the Township of Nutley, recycling is **MANDATORY** for all property owners, tenants, residents and businesses.
- It is the responsibility of the resident to recycle according to the listed guidelines.
- Recyclables are to be placed in the correct container at the curb **no earlier than 5:00pm the night before** or **no later than 6:00am the day of collection.**
- You can help avoid missed pickups by:
  - Not placing your recyclables next to trees, telephone poles, parked cars or other obstructions
  - Having the material at the curb for collection at the proper times and in the proper recycling containers.
- Recyclables may not be placed in the street or placed in plastic bags (except shredded paper).

## What Do I Do With?

ITEM	DISPOSAL LOCATION
<b>Household Batteries</b>	Throw <u>alkaline batteries</u> away in your regular household trash. <u>Rechargeable batteries</u> can be disposed of at Essex County's Household Hazardous Waste Day in May or October.
<b>Flourescent Bulbs</b>	Bring to Essex County's Household Hazardous Waste Day in May or October.
<b>Paint</b>	<u>Latex:</u> Residents are encouraged to remove the lid from the Latex Paint can and allow the paint to air dry in a well ventilated area (cat litter, saw-dust and shredded newspaper can be added to the contents of the can to speed the drying process). Once the paint has solidified within the container, it can be disposed of with your regular household trash. <u>Oil-Based:</u> Bring to Essex County's Household Hazardous Waste Day in May or October.
<b>Tires</b>	Residents may dispose of 2 tires at a time (without rims). Please call 973-284-4984 to schedule a pick up. Tires from commercial vehicles are not accepted.
<b>Used Motor Oil</b>	Bring used motor oil to any service station that works on cars or to the Municipal Garage.
<b>Vehicle Batteries</b>	Vehicle batteries can be dropped off in the designated bin at the Municipal Garage.

## Holiday Closings

Recycling will not be collected on the following holidays. Collection will resume on your next scheduled collection day.

<b>May 27</b>	Memorial Day	<b>Nov. 28-29</b>	Thanksgiving
<b>July 4</b>	Independence Day	<b>Dec. 25</b>	Christmas Day
<b>Sept. 2</b>	Labor Day	<b>Jan. 1</b>	New Year's Day
<b>Oct. 14</b>	Columbus Day	<b>Jan. 20</b>	Dr. MLK Jr. Day
<b>Nov. 5</b>	Election Day	<b>Feb. 17</b>	President's Day
<b>Nov. 11</b>	Veterans Day		

**Garbage will not be collected on the following holidays:**  
 New Year's Day • Memorial Day • Independence Day  
 Labor Day • Thanksgiving Day • Christmas Day

## Snow Plowing Days

There will be no recycling collection on snow plowing days. Collection will resume on your next scheduled collection day.

## Collection Suspensions & Changes

Any other collection suspensions or changes will be announced via the Township's email alert system, the Remyndr & Recycle Coach apps and posted on the Township's website.

**SIGN UP FOR EMERGENCY ALERTS @ NUTLEYNJ.ORG**

## 2 SEPARATE RECYCLING TRUCKS • 2 SEPARATE RECYCLING CONTAINERS

- All recycling should be placed curbside **BEFORE 6:00am** on your collection day.
- Commingled recycling material (cans/plastic/glass) will be picked up by F. Basso, Jr. Rubbish Removal Inc.
- Pickup times may vary throughout the day for each material collected.



### Commingled Recycling

#### METALS, GLASS AND PLASTICS

- Aluminum and tin cans
- Glass bottles and jars
- Plastic containers with #1 thru #7 on the bottom (such as food, beverage, yogurt, detergent and shampoo bottles)

#### CARTONS

- Cream, Milk and Soy Milk
- Juice and Individual Juice
- Soup and Broth
- Wine

#### **X** COMMINGLED RECYCLING - NOT ACCEPTED

- Recycling containers weighing more than 35 pounds or placed in any plastic bags or mixed with any garbage
- Drinking or window glass
- Plastic shopping bags
- Flower pots
- Light bulbs
- Styrofoam
- Other types of plastics



### Paper and Cardboard

#### MIXED PAPER

- Books
- Junk mail
- Letters and envelopes
- Magazines and catalogs
- Newspapers
- Office and colored paper
- Paper bags Paperboard (such as cereal, pizza and tissue boxes)
- Phone books

#### CARDBOARD

- All corrugated cardboard boxes (cut into 18 inch pieces)

#### SHREDDED PAPER

- Place into clear plastic garbage bags

#### **X** PAPER AND CARDBOARD - NOT ACCEPTED

- Recycling containers weighing more than 35 pounds or placed in any plastic bags or mixed with any garbage
- Paper plates, cups or towels
- Wax coated cardboard
- Soiled or food contaminated papers or cartons
- Cardboard not broken down, larger than 18 inches or with styrofoam inserts



**RECYCLING IS NOT TO BE PLACED IN ANY PLASTIC BAGS (except Shredded Paper in Clear Bags)**  
**Our Recycling Vendors WILL NOT accept your recycling as it will cause damage to their equipment**



#### Recycling Bins are available free-of-charge

(limit one round, one rectangular & one vegetative waste bin per household) at the DPW Garage (1 Cortland Street) weekdays from 8:30am to 3:00pm. Proper Identification is required!



### Electronics Recycling

#### ELECTRONICS DROP OFF DAYS

See Events Calendar for Location • 9:00am - 1:00pm

*Township of Nutley Residents Only*

- Saturday, April 27, 2024
- Saturday, July 6, 2024
- Saturday, December 7, 2024
- Saturday, February 8, 2025

See additional Essex County Collection Dates below



#### ELECTRONICS RECYCLING - ACCEPTED

- Computers & Laptops
- FAX Machines
- Microwaves
- Monitors
- Printers
- Scanners
- Stereos and Speakers
- Televisions
- VCR & DVD Players

#### OTHER ELECTRONICS RECYCLING OPTIONS

##### ESSEX COUNTY UTILITIES AUTHORITY

Computer & Electronics Recycling Day  
Saturday, May 18, 2024  
October 2024 (TBA)

9:00am - 3:00pm • Essex County DPW  
99 West Bradford Avenue, Cedar Grove

More Info: 973-792-9060 or [www.ecuanj.com](http://www.ecuanj.com)

##### E-REVIVAL, LLC

33 Branch Street, Paterson  
732-429-4392  
Monday - Friday • 8:00am - 5:00pm

*Residents may drop off their electronics year-round for recycling free of charge.*

### Garbage, Bulk Items, Vegetative Waste & Leaf Collection

The following are coordinated by the Department of Public Affairs and Health



#### **Garbage Collection**

Curbside collection twice per week.



#### **Bulk Items & White Goods**

All items MUST be placed curbside Tuesday evenings for **WEDNESDAY** pick up. Advanced notice is no longer required.



#### **Vegetative Waste, Tree Branches, Grass Clippings & Leaves**

Township-wide collection April thru December on **WEDNESDAYS** (excluding holidays). Debris must be placed in Brown Bio-Degradable Paper Bags or Container curbside on Tuesday evenings for pickup.

Please call **973-284-4976** or visit [www.nutleynj.org/garbage](http://www.nutleynj.org/garbage) for additional information & collection guidelines.



## STORMWATER POLLUTION: WHAT DO YOU THINK?

- You may think littering is no big deal (it is).
- You may think that whatever runs into the storm drains gets treated before it reaches local rivers and streams (it doesn't).
- You may think motor oil and other hazardous materials don't harm the water (they do).

Pollution seeps into the ground and is carried by stormwater (rain and snow) directly to our drinking water, streams, lakes and oceans. Contaminated stormwater is the #1 cause of water pollution in New Jersey. Simple things, like proper clean-up after oneself and careful use of chemicals in the home, office and yard, are helpful ways for businesses and residents to protect the water.

The Township of Nutley has ordinances aimed at reducing pollution from litter, fertilizer, oil, pesticides, detergents, animal waste, grass clippings and other debris. For details, see <http://www.nutleynj.org/stormwater-management>. Thank you for keeping them in mind and doing your share.



Keep grass, leaves and trash out of storm drains



Don't feed wildlife



Clean up after your pet



Limit use of fertilizers & pesticides



Properly handle hazardous products



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ENVIRONMENTAL  
PROTECTION

[www.nj.gov/dep/dwg](http://www.nj.gov/dep/dwg)

[www.cleanwaternj.org](http://www.cleanwaternj.org)



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Scan the QR Code to  
Learn More about Nutley's  
Stormwater Management



**2024-2025 Recycling Information Enclosed!**

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# 2024 NUTLEY DPW COMMUNITY OUTREACH & RECYCLING EVENTS

## APRIL

**Saturday, April 13 - Residential Shredding Day**  
10:00am - 2:00pm (or until truck is full) | Municipal Parking Lot 9  
Note: Please enter thru Parking Lot 7

Safely destroy your sensitive documents while protecting identity theft and recycling paper!

**Please Note!** Residents will be required to stay in their car and open their trunk or trunk bed to allow staff access to their documents. There is a limit of 5 boxes or bags per household.

**Saturday, April 20 - Compost Day**  
9:00am - 1:00pm | Municipal Parking Lot 9

Learn about the many benefits of composting at home and how you can make an environmental difference in the community! Demonstration by a local Rutgers Master Gardener. Compost will be available (bring your own bags and shovels).

**Please Note!** Due to the popularity of this program, a limit of 5 leaf bags OR 2 garbage cans full of compost, per household!

**Sunday, April 21 - Spring Farmers Market**  
10:00am - 2:00pm | Municipal Parking Lot 7

Join us at our "1 day only" Spring Farmers Market, which will feature a variety of local foods, handmade products, community organizations, and live music!

Visit [www.nutleynj.org/farmersmarket](http://www.nutleynj.org/farmersmarket) for additional information.

**Saturday, April 27 - Electronics Recycling Drop Off Day**  
9:00am - 1:00pm | Municipal Parking Lot 7

Consumer electronics will be collected for recycling.

## MAY

**Saturday, May 4 - Meet the Mayor**  
12:00pm - 2:00pm | Municipal Garage

Have a question about the Township of Nutley or DPW? Come have a one-on-one conversation with Mayor Dr. Joseph P. Scarpelli.

Visit <https://www.nutleynj.org/mayor-dr-joseph-p-scarpelli> to learn more about Mayor Scarpelli.

**Saturday, May 11 - Big Truck Day**  
12:00pm - 2:00pm | Municipal Parking Lot 9

Celebrate *National Public Works Week* (May 21-27) by experiencing the high-tech equipment and vehicles used to provide vital township DPW services. Learn how they operate to serve you better. Kids can climb aboard and honk the horn!

## MAY

**Sunday, May 19 - Spring Farmers Market**  
10:00am - 2:00pm | Municipal Parking Lot 7

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## JUNE

**Sunday, June 16, 23 and 30 - Nutley Farmers Market**  
9:00am - 2:00pm | Municipal Parking Lot 7

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## JULY

**Sunday, July 7, 14, 21 and 28 - Nutley Farmers Market**  
9:00am - 2:00pm | Municipal Parking Lot 7

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**Saturday, July 6 - Electronics Recycling Drop Off Day**  
9:00am - 1:00pm | Municipal Parking Lot 7

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## AUGUST

**Sunday, August 4, 11, 18, 25 - Nutley Farmers Market**  
9:00am - 2:00pm | Municipal Parking Lot 7

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## SEPTEMBER

**Sunday, September 1, 8, 15, 22 and 29 - Nutley Farmers Market**  
9:00am - 2:00pm | Municipal Parking Lot 7

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### EVENT LOCATIONS

Municipal Garage - 1 Cortland Street  
Municipal Parking Lot 7 - 507 Franklin Avenue  
Municipal Parking Lot 9 - 537 Franklin Avenue

For more information on Department of Public Works programs and events please call (973) 284-4959 or visit [www.nutleynj.org](http://www.nutleynj.org).

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## SEPTEMBER

**Saturday-Sunday, September 28-29 - Town-Wide Garage Sale**  
8:00am - 5:00pm | Town-Wide  
Registration fee of \$10 to benefit Township Go Green initiative.

Pre-Registration Required! Please call the (973) 284-4958 or visit [www.nutleynj.org/garagesale](http://www.nutleynj.org/garagesale) for registration information

## OCTOBER

**Sunday, October 6, 13, 20 and 27 - Nutley Farmers Market**  
9:00am - 2:00pm | Municipal Parking Lot 7

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**Saturday, October 5 - Leaf Bag Distribution Day and Food Drive**  
8:00am - 1:00pm | Municipal Garage

Residents may pick-up their free 10 bio-degradable bags. Donations of non-perishable items will also be collected for Nutley Food Pantry.

**Sunday, October 13 - Hanger Recycling Day**  
9:00am - 2:00pm | Municipal Parking Lot 7

Clean out your closets and bring down all metal, plastic and wooden hangers for recycling

**Sunday, October 13 - Rigid Plastic Recycling Day**  
9:00am - 2:00pm | Municipal Parking Lot 7

Bring your bulky rigid plastics such as garbage cans, resin lawn furniture, laundry baskets and children's outdoor play units for recycling.

## NOVEMBER

**Friday-Saturday, November 29-30 - RAKES Program**

The RAKES program provides an alternative to seniors and those who are disabled and unable to rake their leaves. Residents seeking help must be over 60 and/or be disabled, own and live in the home requiring raking assistance, and be unable to afford help.

Community volunteer teams will rake homes during this time period.

Please call (973) 284-4958 or email [cgaccione@nutleynj.org](mailto:cgaccione@nutleynj.org) to either apply or volunteer for this program.

## DECEMBER

**Saturday, December 7 - Electronics Recycling Drop Off Day**  
9:00am - 1:00pm | Municipal Parking Lot 7

Consumer electronics will be collected for recycling.

## FEBRUARY 2025

**Saturday, February 8 - Electronics Recycling Drop Off Day**  
9:00am - 1:00pm | Municipal Parking Lot 7

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### Township of Nutley Department of Public Works

#### Mayor Dr. Joseph P. Scarpelli

*Director of Public Works*

Phone: 973-284-4959

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#### DEPARTMENTAL PHONE NUMBERS, OFFICE HOURS AND LOCATIONS

##### Engineering Department / Parking Division

Town Hall, 2nd Floor

Monday thru Friday | 8:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Phone: 973-284-4958 | Fax: 973-284-4905

On-Site Engineer: Thursdays | 8:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Banners · Landscaper Licenses · Parking Permits  
Sidewalks and Curbs · Street Light Repair · Street Paving

##### Water, Sewer and Road Department

1 Cortland Street

Monday thru Friday | 7:30 AM - 4:00 PM

Phone: 973-284-4984 | Fax: 973-667-0494

For water and sewer emergencies after hours, holidays and weekends please call the Nutley Police Department at 973-284-4950.

Fire Hydrants · Flood Problems · Littering  
Parking Meter & Pay Station Issues · Pot Hole Repairs  
Recycling · Sewer Backups · Snow and Ice · Street Sweeping  
Traffic Signs · Water Leaks · Water Quality & Pressure



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