



Nutley

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

Commissioner Dr. Joseph P. Scarpelli
Director of Public Works

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2026-2027
Recycling Collection Guide

Dear Resident,

As I complete my 18th 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!



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Weekly Curbside Collection

To find out your collection day please visit www.nutleynj.org/recycling or download the **Recycle Coach app**
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
Household Batteries	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.
Flourescent Bulbs	Bring to Essex County's Household Hazardous Waste Day in May or October.
Paint	<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.
Tires	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.
Used Motor Oil	Bring used motor oil to any service station that works on cars or to the Municipal Garage.
Vehicle Batteries	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.

April 3, 2026	Good Friday	Nov. 26-27	Thanksgiving
May 25	Memorial Day	Dec. 25	Christmas Day
July 3	Independence Day	Jan. 1, 2027	New Year's Day
Sept. 7	Labor Day	Jan. 18	Dr. MLK Jr. Day
Oct. 12	Columbus Day	Feb. 15	President's Day
Nov. 3	Election Day	Mar. 26	Good Friday
Nov. 11	Veterans 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 Recycle Coach app 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

✗ 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

✗ 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 and one rectangular bin per household)
 at the DPW Garage or Town Hall, 2nd Floor weekdays from 8:30am to 3:00pm.
Please call ahead (973) 284-4984 for availability.



Electronics Recycling

ELECTRONICS DROP OFF DAYS

See Events Calendar for Location • 9:00am - 1:00pm
Township of Nutley Residents Only

- Saturday, April 25, 2026
- Saturday, July 11, 2026
- Saturday, December 5, 2026
- Saturday, February 6, 2027

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 16, 2026
 October 2026 (TBA)

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

More Info: 973-792-9060 or www.ecuanj.com

E-REVIVAL, LLC

34 East 25th Street, Paterson
 732-429-4392
 Monday - Friday • 8:00am - 5:00pm

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



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.nutlevnj.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



NJ DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

www.nj.gov/dep/dwa

www.cleanwater.nj.org

Garbage, Bulk Trash & Vegetation Collection

is handled by the Department of Public Affairs
 Please call (973) 284-4976 for assistance

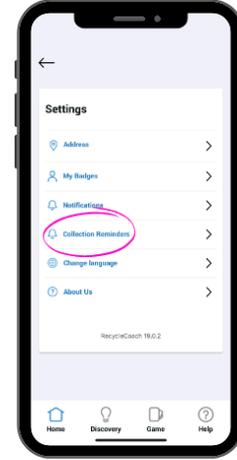
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You can also use the app to look up which waste items go where, test your recycling knowledge, report missed collections, and more.



2026-2027 Recycling Information Enclosed!

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2026 NUTLEY DPW COMMUNITY OUTREACH & RECYCLING EVENTS

APRIL

Saturday, April 11 - Residential Shredding Day
10:00am - 2:00pm (or until truck is full) | Municipal Garage

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 18 - Compost Day
9:00am - 1:00pm | Municipal Garage

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 19 - Spring Farmers Market
10:00am - 1:00pm | Along Booth Drive

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 for additional information.

Saturday, April 25 - Electronics Recycling Drop Off Day
9:00am - 1:00pm | Municipal Garage

Consumer electronics will be collected for recycling.

MAY

Saturday, May 9 - Big Truck Day
12:00pm - 2:00pm | Municipal Garage

Celebrate *National Public Works Week* (May 17-23) 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!

Sunday, May 17 - Spring Farmers Market
10:00am - 2:00pm | Along Booth Drive

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JUNE

Sunday, June 14, 21 and 28 - Nutley Farmers Market
9:00am - 2:00pm | Along Booth Drive

Now entering its 17th season, the outdoor Nutley Farmers Market features delicious local foods and goods, live music, special events, and a weekly walking group.

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JULY

Sunday, July 5, 12, 19 and 26 - Nutley Farmers Market
9:00am - 2:00pm | Along Booth Drive

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Saturday, July 11 - Electronics Recycling Drop Off Day
9:00am - 1:00pm | Municipal Garage

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AUGUST

Sunday, August 2, 9, 16, 23 and 30 - Nutley Farmers Market
9:00am - 2:00pm | Along Booth Drive

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SEPTEMBER

Sunday, September 6, 13, 20 and 27 - Nutley Farmers Market
9:00am - 2:00pm | Along Booth Drive

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Saturday-Sunday, September 26-27 - 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 for registration information



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OCTOBER

Sunday, October 4, 11, 18 and 25 - Nutley Farmers Market
9:00am - 2:00pm | Along Booth Drive

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Saturday, October 3 - 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 11 - Hanger and Rigid Plastics Recycling Day
9:00am - 2:00pm | Along Booth Drive

Clean out your closets and bring your metal, plastic, and wooden hangers for recycling, along with bulky rigid plastics such as garbage cans, resin lawn furniture, laundry baskets, and children's outdoor play units.

NOVEMBER

Friday-Saturday, November 27-28 - 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 to either apply or volunteer for this program.

DECEMBER

Saturday, December 5 - Electronics Recycling Drop Off Day
9:00am - 1:00pm | Municipal Garage

Consumer electronics will be collected for recycling.

FEBRUARY 2027

Saturday, February 6 - Electronics Recycling Drop Off Day
9:00am - 1:00pm | Municipal Garage

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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.

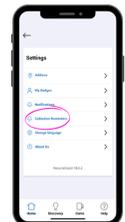
Fire Hydrants · Flood Problems · Littering
Parking Meter & Pay Station Issues · Pot Hole Repairs
Recycling · Sewer Backups · Snow and Ice · Street Sweeping
Traffic Signs · Water Leaks · Water Quality & Pressure

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