

December 8, 2011

Transfer Station News & Notes

Tipping Fees to Increase for 2012 - Please be advised that in January 2012 the tipping fees charged for the disposal of most solid waste types at the MCMUA transfer stations will increase by \$1.92/ton. The current tipping fee of \$94.00/ton for the disposal of most waste types will be increased to \$95.92/ton. Additionally, the tipping fee for special waste types (type 10C non-regulated medical waste and type 27 non-hazardous industrial waste) will be increased by \$2.55/ton from the current tipping fee of \$124.92/ton to \$127.47/ton. See the tipping fee chart below for details.

Waste Type		Current Tipping Fee	New Tipping Fee (Effective Jan. 1, 2012)
Type 10	Municipal Solid Waste	\$ 94.00	\$ 95.92
Type 10C	Non-Regulated Medical Waste	\$124.92	\$127.47
Type 13	Bulky Waste	\$ 94.00	\$ 95.92
Type 13C	Construction and Demolition Waste	\$ 94.00	\$ 95.92
Type 23	Vegetative Waste	\$ 94.00	\$ 95.92
Type 25	Animal Processing Waste	\$ 94.00	\$ 95.92
Type 27	Non-Hazardous Dry Industrial Waste	\$124.92	\$127.47

The transfer station tipping fee increase is the result of the MCMUA passing on previously bid annual increase in contractual costs to provide transfer, transport and disposal of the solid waste accepted.

Recycling is Mandatory for Specific Materials

Morris County has designated specific materials to be source separated and recycled. This mandate applies to all Morris County waste generators including residents, businesses, schools, institutions, construction sites, etc. A listing of these mandated recyclable materials is provided in the sidebar on the right, but please note that this listing is a generalized listing. Specific definitions of these

materials and any exceptions that may apply are available on the MCMUA website at http://mcmua.com/.

Please realize that Morris County's source separation recycling mandate is nothing new, as these materials have been mandated to be recycled since 1993. Disposing of designated recyclable materials in the trash is not acceptable and is illegal in Morris County. The MCMUA has been advised that the Morris County Office of Health Management will be inspecting loads and issuing fines for disposing of designated recyclables at the transfer stations.

Materials Mandated to be Source Separated and Recycled

- Aluminum Cans
- Glass Bottles and Jars
- Plastic Bottles (coded 1 and 2)
- Steel (Tin) Cans
- Newspaper
- Corrugated Cardboard
- Mixed Paper
- Leaves
- **Grass Clippings**
- Brush
- Natural Wood Waste
- Oil-Contaminated Soil
- **Used Motor Oil**
- Lead-Acid Batteries
- Hazardous Dry Cell Batteries
- Metal Appliances
- Whole Tires
- TV, Computers and Monitors

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Holiday Schedule - Below is holiday list when the MCMUA transfer stations, curbside recycling program and/or MCMUA administrative offices will be open or closed for the upcoming year.

	Transfer	MCMUA	Curbside
Holiday	Stations	Offices	Recycling
Saturday, December 24, 2011 – Christmas Eve	Open	Closed	Closed
Sunday, December 25, 2011 - Christmas Day	Closed	Closed	Closed
Monday, December 26, 2011 - Christmas Day (Observed)	Closed	Closed	Closed
Saturday, December 31, 2011 - New Year's Eve	Open	Closed	Closed
Sunday, January 1, 2012 – New Year's Day	Closed	Closed	Closed
Monday, January 2, 2012 - New Year's Day (Observed)	Closed	Closed	Closed
Monday, January 16, 2012 - Martin Luther King Day	Open	Closed	Open
Monday, February 13, 2012 - Lincoln's Birthday	Open	Closed	Open
Monday, February 20, 2012 - Presidents' Day	Open	Closed	Open
Friday, April 6, 2012 – Good Friday	Open	Closed	Closed
Monday, May 28, 2012 – Memorial Day	Closed	Closed	Closed
Wednesday, July, 4, 2012 – Independence Day	Closed	Closed	Closed
Monday, September 3, 2012 – Labor Day	Closed	Closed	Closed
Monday, October 8, 2012 - Columbus Day		Closed	Open
Tuesday, November 6, 2012 - Election Day		Closed	Open
Monday, November 12, 2012 – Veterans Day	Open	Closed	Open
Thursday, November 22, 2012 – Thanksgiving Day		Closed	Closed
Friday, November 23, 2012 – Day After Thanksgiving	Open	Closed	Closed
Monday, December 24, 2012 - Christmas Eve	Open	Open	Open
Tuesday, December 25, 2012 – Christmas Day	Closed	Closed	Closed
Monday, December 31, 2012 - New Year's Eve		Open	Open
Tuesday, January 1, 2013 – New Year's Day	Closed	Closed	Closed

Bold font indicates the transfer stations, curbside recycling program and offices will all be closed.

Fill In the Correct Waste Origin (Town) on the Origin and Destination (O&D) Form - The MCMUA requests that when you complete your O&D form, you take care in completing the section regarding the waste origin, which is the town where the garbage was generated. Many towns share similar names such as Morristown, Morris Township and Morris Plains; Boonton and Boonton Township; Chatham Borough and Chatham Township; and Rockaway Borough and Rockaway Township. The MCMUA requests that you accurately designate your load as being from the correct municipality. In addition, if your load is from multiple origins you should specify all the towns in the load by an estimated percentage as provided on the O&D form. Finally, please realize that many towns share zip codes, so you cannot use the zip code of the generator to determine the waste origin. You must consider and know where the actual town boundaries are. As an example, many Morris Township, addresses use the 07960 Morristown zip code so, please know where the municipal boundaries are and the location of your customers and fill out the O&D form correctly.

