QUICK NOTES:

- **Bulk Collection** is the 1st full week **(beginning on a Monday)** of the month on your regular trash day
- **Brush Collection** is the 3rd full week of the month on your regular trash day
- **Public Works Yard** is open to residents the 1st & 3rd Saturday of the month for waste drop-offs from 7:30 am to 1:30 pm
  (Exception: July is the 2nd & 3rd Saturday of the month)

TV, Computers & Electronics must be delivered to:
Burlington County Resource Recovery Complex
22000 Burlington-Columbus Road, Florence, NJ,
(609) 499-5300
Hours: Weekdays 7am to 5pm & Saturday 7am to 12pm
Household Hazardous Waste is also accepted at the Complex during the following hours:
Tuesday – Friday: 7am – 3pm
Saturday: 7am – 12pm

Burlington County OTC is responsible for recycling
(609) 267-6889

Trash Can & Recycle Cart Repairs:
Department of Public Works can replace lids and wheels. For lid or wheel replacement you must call (609) 267-3217, ext. 103

OTHER IMPORTANT CONTACT INFORMATION

Sewer Authority: Mount Holly MUA
(609) 267-0015
P.O. Box 486, 1 Park Dr.
Mt. Holly, 08060
info@mhmua.com

Water Authority: NJ American Water
(800) 272-1325
1025 Laurel Oak Rd.
Voorhees, 08043
www.amwater.com

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WELCOME TO THE LUMBERTON TOWNSHIP PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT



Contact Information:
Bob Grimes, Director of Public Works
Public Works Yard - 34 Municipal Drive
Public Works Mailing Address - 35 Municipal Drive
Phone: (609) 267– 3217, ext. 143
Email: rgrimes@lumbertontwp.com
OR visit the Township DPW webpage at:
www.lumbertontwp.com/departments-services/trash-recycle/
Desiree Buck, Recycling Coordinator/Clean Communities Coordinator
Phone: 609-267-3217, ext. 103
Email: deputyclerk@lumbertontwp.com

Cart Care and Usage



The Automated Collection System requires the use of a specially designed container. Regular garbage cans cannot be used with the automated system.

The Township issued each residence one of the automated collection containers. The automated collection system container size is ninety-five (95) gallons. This is the equivalent to more than three regular 30-gallon garbage cans. If this container is not large enough for your use and you require an additional container, you may purchase a second container from the Township for $80 by cash or check. Only one additional container will be sold to each resident. **No more than two garbage containers will be picked up in front of any residence.**

Public Works Facility Weekend Hours

The Public Works Facility is located across the street from the Municipal Building at 34 Municipal Drive. Residents are welcome to drop-off any of the items noted in this handout at the Public Works Facility for proper disposal on the **1st & 3rd Saturday of each month from 7:30AM to 1:30PM** **(Except for the month of July which is the 2nd and 3rd Saturdays 7:30 am to 1:30 pm).** The Saturday hours are intended to provide residents with more flexibility in disposing of their waste.

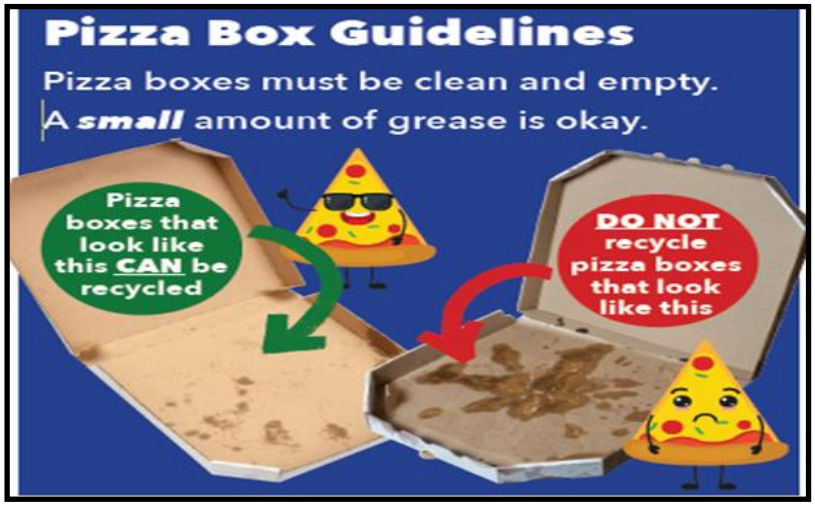
Missed Recycling Collection

Residents should call Burlington County OTC directly at (609) 267-6889 for any missed collection of blue recycling carts. Please set recycling at the curb by 6:00 am on collection day. Do not jam cardboard into your cart, doing so may result in it being half emptied



Pizza Boxes

RECYCLABLE as long as they are clean and empty; small amount of grease permitted….



Burlington County OTC collects all recycling in Lumberton Township

(Refer to the BurlCo OTC Recycling Schedule for pick-up dates)

****NO BAGGED ITEMS WILL BE ACCEPTED****

Acceptable PAPER items include:

CLEAN AND EMPTY PIZZA BOXES
WITH SMALL AMOUNT OF GREASE

Newspaper	Grey-color Cardboard
Magazines	Corrugated Cardboard
Phone Books	Paper Back Books
Office & School Paper	Computer Paper

Acceptable COMMINGLED items include:

Glass Bottles	Glass Food Containers
Steel Cans	Cartons
Aluminum Cans	#1, #2, #5 Plastic Bottles/Containers

Unacceptable items include:

****STYROFOAM****	****PLASTIC BAGS****
Hardback Books	Pesticide Containers
Soiled Paper/Cardboard	Light Bulbs
Foil or Plastic-Coated Paper/Cardboard	Clay or Plastic Flowerpots
Aluminum Foil/Trays	Drinking Glasses
Mirrors	Motor Oil Containers
Empty Aerosol Cans	Metal
Kitty Litter	Diapers
Shredded Paper	Ceramic Mugs-Plates-Bowls
Wood or Branches	Tile

MAY Dispose in Garbage Container

Your container is for the disposal of regular household garbage. **It is recommended to seal food waste in plastic bags.** This helps to prevent odors and insect problems, especially during the summer. Items that do not fit in the container are considered **BULK TRASH** which is addressed later in this pamphlet.



MAY NOT Dispose in Garbage Container

Please do not use your garbage container for disposing of the following:

- Rechargeable Batteries
- Brush
- Concrete or Pavers
- Dead Animals
- Flammable Liquids
- Fluorescent Light Bulbs
- Grass
- Hazardous Materials
- Hot Ashes
- Leaves
- Metal
- Motor Oil
- Paints
- Pool Chemicals
- Recyclables
- Solvents
- Tires
- Wood

Moving the Container

Before moving your container, make sure the lid is closed. From the rear of the container, grasp the lid hinge handlebar and place your foot in the notch provided at the bottom of the container. Tilt the container toward you and push or pull the container to roll it. Care should be exercised when moving the container on slopes and inclines.

Placing the Container for Collection

Your container must be at the curb by **6:30 AM** on the morning of your weekly solid waste collection day. The container may be placed at the curb no earlier than 6:00 PM the night before. Please remove your container from the curb by 8:00 PM on your collection day.

Set your container at the curb or on the edge of the street with the wheels facing away from street toward house side. The automated truck will return your container to the same place. Please do not place your container in front of or directly adjacent to mailboxes, poles, and signs. Please also do not place your container behind parked cars or park in front of your neighbors' container. This helps the driver pick up the container efficiently and saves time and money.



Recycling....

Why Recycle?

There are four main reasons why recycling is beneficial to Lumberton Township:

1. State Law mandates that certain items be recycled.
2. Recycling conserves natural resources and energy by reusing previously processed materials.
3. Recycling reduces the amount of waste that must be disposed of in landfills.
4. Recycling saves the Township and its resident's money. For every ton of solid waste that is recycled, the **Township saves over $99.40 in tipping fees at the landfill.**

Burlington County OTC provides curbside collection of paper & commingled recyclables throughout the County on an alternating weekly basis. **Lumberton's recycling collection day is Monday** *(Refer to the BurlCo OTC Recycling Schedule for pick-up dates).*

Recycle Coach App

Download the **FREE** Recycling Coach App at www.recyclecoach.com or from Google Play or Apple Store **for Lumberton Township trash and recycling collection dates and schedule.**

Items NOT Collected

Dead Animals, Decks, Fences, Sheds, Stumps, Logs, Roof Shingles, Sod, Concrete, Pavers, Asphalt, Construction or Demolition Debris, Brick, Stone, and Oversized Tires by nature of their weight and size will not be picked up by the Township. Residents are required to make arrangements for disposal with a private hauler.

NOTE: Pursuant to Chapter 162-2(C5) any brush resulting from lot clearing and/or tree removal for any purpose that is generated by a contractor hired by the owner or done by the owner themselves shall be the responsibility of the property owner to dispose of.

Household Hazardous Waste will not be collected by the Township. Residents are required to take these items to the Public Works Yard. Household hazardous waste items generally include the following:

Acids • Antifreeze • Batteries • Cleaners • Electric Ballasts • Finish Removers • Fluorescent Lights • Gasoline • Herbicides • Kerosene • Oil • Paint • Pesticides • Stains • Solvents • Thinners

The Township will not collect Electronic Waste. Residents must deliver the items to the **Burlington County Resource Recovery Complex, located at 22000 Burlington-Columbus Road, Florence, NJ, open weekdays 7am to 5pm & Saturday 7am to 12pm. (609) 499-5300**
Electronic Waste includes TVs, Computers, Printers, or any other similar electronic item.

Container Collection

Please note the automated truck operator picks-up the container only. They will not pick up any item placed alongside the container, nor will they pick up overloaded containers where the garbage may fall on the ground during the automated arm operation.

Container Maintenance



It is recommended to never put food waste directly into the container! Bagging and tightly sealing garbage and food waste will reduce odors and insects. Keep the container lid closed to deter insects and animals. Please do not overload the container so the lid cannot be closed. It is also suggested to periodically wash your container out with regular soap and water to cut down on odors and insects. Sprinkling ammonia in the cart will also serve to reduce odors and pests. Try to store your cart in a cool place away from direct sunlight and other sources of heat.

If your trash/recycling containers need lid and/orwheel repairs, please call (609) 267–3217, ext. 103

Scheduled Collection Day

Regular garbage collection will be on a once-per-week basis for all residents. Please contact the Township at (609) 267-3217, ext. 143 or download the FREE Recycle Coach App, or visit the website if you are unsure of your collection day.

www.lumbertontwp.com/departments-services/trash-recycle/

Holidays

When a holiday occurs during the week when Township employees have off, all subsequent collection days are pushed back one day. For example, if the holiday falls on a Monday, regularly scheduled collection for Monday will be done on Tuesday, Tuesday's regularly scheduled collection will be done on Wednesday and so forth. Please refer to the DPW Calendar on the website if you have any questions.

Recycling Satellite Collection

Lumberton provides a satellite collection center for recyclables located at the Public Works Yard, 34 Municipal Drive. Residents may bring their excess recyclables to this location Monday through Friday 7:00am to 11:00am. **THIS AREA IS FOR RECYCLABLES (PLASTIC/ GLASS/ PAPER) ONLY! ITEMS SUCH AS WOOD/METAL OR HAZARDOUS WASTE ITEMS ARE NOT TO BE DROPPED OFF DURING THIS TIMEFRAME.** Anyone caught dumping things other than recyclables will be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law. When using this facility, **please ensure that the recyclables you are dropping off are placed in the correct areas**. In addition, **please flatten all cardboard boxes you are dropping off.** This will ensure that the containers will be filled to their capacity and will also keep the area neat.

Brush Collection



Brush is collected curbside on the **3rd full week of each month** and chipped by the Township. Brush is considered to be shrub and tree branches between 2 inches and 10 inches in diameter. Any branches smaller than 2 inches in diameter must be tied in bundles for Brush collection. **Any stumps or branches larger than 10 inches in diameter will not be collected.** Brush shall be stacked near the edge of the roadway with the cut ends all facing in one direction.

Tree Twigs, Hedge Trimmings, Bamboo and similar materials smaller than 2 inches in diameter shall be cut to a length not to exceed four (4) feet and securely tied in bundles not more than two (2) feet thick and will be collected on the scheduled brush trash collection day. Material that cannot be bundled shall be placed in suitable receptacles and will also be collected on the scheduled brush collection day during the **3rd full week of each month.**

Leaves, Pine Needles, Weeds, and similar materials shall be placed in paper or plastic bags and shall not be placed loose or in piles which will be collected on the **3rd full week of each month.** During the months of November and December residents are permitted to place loose leaves curbside for collection by the Township in accordance with the Leaf Collection Schedule published each fall. **LEAVES OR BRUSH SHALL NOT BE BURNED.**

NOTE: During Spring Clean-Up, residents may place leaves curbside in bags for collection on their regular trash collection day.

Bulk Items Collection

Bulk collection is the **1st full week of each month**. (*The first full week is the week that starts with Monday of the new month*). All material needs to be at the curb by **6:00AM** on your regular collection day during the 1st full week of each month. The bulk collection schedule can be found at:

www.lumbertontwp.com/departments-services/trash-recycle/

Materials that cannot be deposited in the automated container due to their size and are not addressed elsewhere in this handout shall be securely and properly tied into bundles or packaged to prevent spilling while being handled by the Township employees. The bundles or packages shall be of a size and weight to permit ease of handling by one person and shall not exceed fifty (50) pounds in weight.

Bulk items include but are not limited to:

Plastic Fencing	**Propane Tanks**	**$12.00**
Linoleum	**Appliances w/ Freon**	**$10.00**
Glass	**Tires**	**$5.00**
Landscape Timbers	Small Equipment	
Mattresses	Carpeting	
Pipe	Toilets, Tubs, Sinks	
Plastic Toys	Windows	
Plastic Furniture	Wood & Metal	

$: Stickers need to be purchased for these items via the Township Clerk's Office prior to being placed curbside. Please call 609-267-3217, ext. 103, for more information.

Wood and Metal items are collected on bulk days, or you can bring items on the 1st and/or 3rd Saturday of the month. Items are recycled by the Township at a lower cost than depositing them in the County landfill. Wood and metal items are to be separated from each other and tied into bundles or packaged to prevent spilling while being handled by the Township employees. Wood and metal items that have other materials attached to them such as fabric, plastic, rubber, etc. cannot be recycled and should be put out with your bulk trash. The following list provides typical items that can be recycled:

Wood Item List	**Metal Item List**
Lumber	Gas Grills
Doors	Bicycles
Furniture	Tools & Equipment
Particle Board	Lawn Mowers
Cabinets	Bed Frames
Ladders	Pots & Pans
Plywood	

PRESSURE TREATED WOOD must be taken by the resident to the BurlCo Resource Recovery Complex at 22000 Burlington-Columbus Road in Florence, NJ, (609) 499-5300



Special Bulk Item Preparation:

The Township will collect the following properly stickered items on your regularly scheduled **Bulk Collection** Day during the **1st full week of each month (beginning on a Monday):**



Grass clippings for disposal shall be placed in plastic bags and shall not be placed loose or in piles, however the Township **encourages** all residents to utilize mulching mowers to cut their grass and leave it in place! If residents want to have their grass collected, they are required to purchase *Grass Collection Stickers* available at the Municipal Building for **$2 a sticker**. Each bag of collected grass shall weigh no more than 30 pounds. **One sticker must be placed on each bag of grass.**

Tanks for propane or other compressed gases will be collected. Residents must purchase *Tank Collection Stickers* from the Municipal Building. The current price is **$12 a sticker**. **One sticker must be placed on each tank.**

Tires are less than 48 inches tall, and 12 inches wide will be collected. Residents must purchase *Tire Collection Stickers* from the Municipal Building. The current price is **$5 a sticker**. **One sticker must be placed on each tire.**

White Goods are defined as all major appliances which have coolant, including but not limited to air conditioners, dehumidifiers, refrigerators, and freezers. Residents must purchase *White Goods Collection Stickers* available at the Municipal Building for **$10 a sticker**. **The doors of refrigerators and freezers must be removed prior to placing item curbside for collection and one sticker must be placed on each item.**



If you have any questions regarding Trash Collection, please call (609) 267–3217, ext. 143 or email: rgrimes@lumbertontwp.com