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### Pennsylvania Passes Electronic Device Recycling Act

The Covered Device Recycling Act (CDRA) of 2010, establishes recycling requirements for manufacturers of covered electronic devices beginning January 1, 2012. Covered devices include desktop computers, monitors, laptops, computer peripherals and televisions. The CDRA requires manufacturers of these devices to register each of their brands they sell in Pennsylvania with the Department of Environmental Protection (DEP). The CDRA also requires the manufacturer to take responsibility for recycling an amount equal to the amount they sell (by weight).

This Act not only impacts manufacturers, but it will also impact retailers, such as, Wal-Mart and Best Buy, and most importantly it will impact you and your household. After January 1, 2012, retailers will be prohibited from selling products from manufacturers that are not registered. Recycling centers must send recovered devices to a company that is certified through the DEP.

The next major milestone is January 1, 2013. Starting on this date all covered devices must be recycled and will no longer be accepted for disposal at any Pennsylvania landfill. The Solid Waste Authority established an electronics recycling program in 2004 and has collected nearly 1 Million pounds of electronics since program conception. In order to comply with the CDRA, the Authority has recently partnered with certified e-Steward, eLoop, LLC. Residents and businesses, with fewer than 50 employees, can continue to use our convenient drop-off program free of charge. Electronics can be dropped off at our Recycling Center, located on Pine Mountain Road, Wayne Township, during our normal business hours.

#### **Christmas Time Means Recycling**

What will you do with your Christmas tree, holiday cards and wrapping paper after the Holiday Season? The Authority would like to encourage Clinton County residents to reuse and/or recycle.

Bring your real trees to the landfill for free and we will turn them into mulch. Holiday cards and wrapping paper (no foil paper) can be recycled at local recycling drop off sites or at curbside with the junk mail/office paper. If you like to do crafts with your children there are many art projects that

can be done with the holiday cards as well. Go to www.marthastewart.com. She has many fun activities that involve recycling holiday cards for all seasons. If you have questions about how to recycle your Christmas tree, holiday cards or wrapping paper please call us.



#### **Education! Education! Education!**

The Authority would like to remind everyone that we are available to give tours to any group that wants to learn more about the landfill and recycling. We are more than just a dump! Learn about how we recycle soil and rocks, how we change brush and yard waste into mulch, how garbage is

placed in the landfill and how we collect and use landfill gas. Learn how we try our best to be environmentally friendly, while using innovative technologies.



Winter

Since 2004, more than 3000 students and adults have taken a tour of the Wayne Township Landfill. Everyone always leaves surprised that we are NOT JUST A DUMP! If you or your group are interested in a tour of the Wayne Township Landfill please contact Thresa Walker at 769-6977.



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Dear Residents of Clinton County:

I hope the fall has found you well and I'd like a few minutes of your time to give you an update on what's happening at the Wayne Township Landfill. To start with, we have all had our fair share of rain this year and it has created a tremendous amount of headaches for the operations at the WTL. We have pushed to new levels of effort to try and maintain safety, compliance and productivity through the extremely wet year we have had. Fortunately for us, we have some very devoted employees that have hung in there and continued to come back every day with new focus to find ways to deal with the unending precipitation events.

One of the projects we are working on is our landfill project. This activity was permitted in the fall of 2010. We intend to excavate 10 acres out of the closed unlined landfill on the northside of 220 and move that trash to the active, lined landfill on the southside of 220. We will then build a modern day, lined 8-acre disposal field. Once constructed the disposal field will be used to place new trash, as well "old" trash as we continue to re-develop 60-acres of closed landfill. In total, we will have a 75-acre facility with a life span of 23 years. This shall give us plenty of time to establish the next phase of waste disposal for the region and allow us to continue down the road of providing very flat rates on fees for many years to come. If we do our job right, your monthly trash bill should not increase much beyond inflation numbers.

We are also developing plans for constructing a new administration building. We have outgrown our existing building and have no room for future growth. As this project continues we will keep you updated.

We hope to assist First Quality Products with some long term growth potential by constructing a new entrance to the landfill. This will allow First Quality Products the flexibility they need in order to continue planning for the future.

Please feel free to contact us with any questions or concerns. Merry Christmas from all of us here at the Wayne Township Landfill.

Jay Alexander

General Manager

#### **Curbside Recycling**

Have you considered the convenience of curbside recycling? The Solid Waste Authority will stop by your home every two (2) weeks and pick up your recyclables for a nominal annual fee of \$30 (\$2.50 per month). The materials we collect include: aluminum & tin cans, clear/brown/green glass bottles & jars, newspaper, magazines, junk mail, and No. 1 & No. 2 plastic bottles.

(The Authority is under contract with the City of Lock Haven to provide this service to city residents. If you live in the City, please continue to put your recyclables out on your curbside on the regularly scheduled dates.) If you need a collection box, call City Hall at 893-5900.

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treet Address:			
O Box:	City:	State:	Zip:
Please Place an "X" in the Col	llection Zone you are located:		
Zone 4 - FlemingtonZone 5 - Mill Hall(Thursday)(Monday)		Zone 6 - Avis (Thursday) Zone 7 - Woolrich (*	
Zone 8 – Dunnstown (Wednesday)	Zone 9 - Castanea (Monday)	Zone 9 - McElhattan (Monday)	Zone 10 - Beech Creek (Monday)
Zone 11 - Renovo & Surro (Friday)	bunding Areas		I

## **Municipal Recycling Drop-Off Sites**



The Clinton County Solid Waste Authority has 22 municipal recycling drop-off sites, located throughout the county. The materials typically recycled at these locations include: brown, green and clear glass bottles and jars; bi-metal and aluminum cans, newspaper, plastic bottles and jugs, and corrugated cardboard. Select locations may also accept office paper, junk mail, and magazines. A listing of the recycling drop-off sites and accepted materials is provided on the last page of this newsletter and can be also found on our website.

Our drop-off sites are provided to make recycling convenient to the residents of Clinton County. Unfortunately, a small percentage of county residents use our recycling sites as garbage drop-off sites. During 2010, our "recycling" sites generated 134 tons or 276,000 pounds of garbage. The majority of this garbage is a result of blatant abuse of the program. Our recycling containers are labeled identifying what materials are acceptable.

The following is a list of items which should NEVER be placed in the recycling containers: ceramic, auto glass, dishes, plastic chairs, pool covers, diapers, toys, deli containers, buckets, plant pots, vinyl or aluminum house siding, pots and pans, car parts, bed rails, vehicle tires, cat litter or household garbage! Just because it is plastic, metal or glass doesn't mean we can recycle it!

The Authority would like to thank the many people who do the right thing. Please feel free to give a call if you observe any illegal activity at any of our recycling sites. The Authority has purchased a portable surveillance system that is currently being used to monitor problem recycling sites in the County. So please smile as you are dropping off your recyclables you may be on camera. The bottom line is if the material is not listed don't leave it!

If you have questions regarding the municipal recycling drop-off sites or the materials accepted at each site, please feel free contact us.



#### **Commercial/Industrial Recycling in Clinton County**

Do you have a commercial or industrial establishment located in Clinton County? If so, then you maybe eligible to participate in our Commercial Recycling Program. The Authority has a flexible and cost effective recycling program to meet the needs of your establishment. These types of establishments located within the City of Lock Haven are required by state law and city ordinance to recycle, at a minimum, high-grade office paper, corrugated cardboard, aluminum, clear/colored glass and steel/bi-metal cans. The Authority can help design a recycling program to satisfy these requirements. We currently offer three commercial recycling options:

- 68 gallon wheeled carts, serviced weekly.
- 68 gallon wheeled carts, serviced bi-weekly.
- Blue Box, serviced bi-weekly.

Our commercial recycling carts are made to accommodate your recycling needs. If you need assistance in determining what your recycling needs are and how we can help you please give us a call.

#### Facts about our Commercial Carts:

- The carts are easily moved when full.
- Each cart is labeled for each of your recycling items.
- Weekly pickup is \$120.00 per year or \$10.00/month.
- Bi-weekly pickup is \$60.00 per year or \$5.00/month.
- Bi-weekly pickup is \$30.00 per year or \$2.50/month.



<b>Clinton County Municipal Drop-Off Recycling Sites</b>				
CCSWA Recycling Center, McElhattan	CG, BG, GG, A/S/	Г, NP, MG, CB, OP, JM, P1 & P2, MG	O, BA, Electronics, Antifreeze	
Bald Eagle Township Building	CG, BG, GG, A/S/	Г, NP, P1 & P2, CB		
Beech Creek Borough Building	CG, BG, GG, A/S/	Г, NP, P1 &P2, CB		
Castanea Township Building	CG, BG, GG, A/S/	Г, NP, P1 & P2, ССВ		
Chapman Township Building	CG, BG, GG, A/S/	Г, NP, P1 & P2, CB, OP, JM, MG		
City of Lock Haven	CG, BG, GG, A/S/	Г, NP, MG, CB, OP, JM, P1 &P2		
Crawford Township Building	CG, BG, GG, A/S/	Г, NP, P1 & P2, CB, OP, JM, MG		
Colebrook Township Building	CG, BG, GG, A/S/	Г, NP, P1 & P2		
Greene Township Building	CG, BG, GG, A/S/	Г, NP, P1 & P2, CB		
Lamar Township Building	CG, BG, GG, A/S/	Г, NP, P1 & P2		
Leidy Township Building - Crossfork & Tamarack	CG, BG, GG, A/S/	Г, NP, P1 & P2		
Loganton Borough Building	CG, BG, GG, A/S/	Г, NP, P1 & P2, CB, OP, JM, MG		
Logan Township Building	CG, BG, GG, A/S/	Г, NP, P1 & P2, CB		
Mill Hall Borough Building	CG, BG, GG, A/S/	Г, NP, P1 & P2, CB, OP, JM, MG		
Pine Creek Township - Chatham Run	CG, BG,GG, A/S/T	, NP, P1 & P2, CB, OP, MG, JM		
Pine Creek Township - Harrisland	CG, BG, GG, A/S/	Г, NP, P1 & P2, CB, OP, MG, JM		
Porter Township Community Building	CG, BG, GG, A/S/	Γ, NP		
Porter Township - Conservation District/Extension	CG, BG, GG, A/S/	Г, NP, P1 & P2, CB, OP, MG, JM		
Renovo Borough - Erie Ave & 15th Street	CG, BG, GG, A/S/	Г, NP, P1 & P2, CB, OP, MG, JM		
Swissdale United Methodist Church	CG, BG, GG, A/S/	Г, NP, P1 & P2, CB		
Wal-Mart - Hogan Boulevard	CG, BG, GG, A/S/	Г, NP, P1 & P2, CB		
CG - Clear Glass BottlesA/S/T - Alum, SteelBG - Brown Glass BottlesNP - NewspaperGG - Green Glass BottlesP1 & P2 - #1 and #2		MG - Magazines CB - Corrugated Cardboard MO - Motor Oil	OP - Office Paper JM - Junk Mail BA - Vehicle Batteries	

#### **Other News!!!**

**2011 Household Hazardous Waste Event**: This free event was held on August 12th & 13th. Over 13,000 lbs of household hazardous waste was collected from Clinton County residents.

International SWANA Truck & Equipment ROAD-EO Event: On September 3rd, we sent two employees, Chase Weise and Jarred Dincher to Dublin, Georgia to participate in the International Off Road Truck/ADT and Side Loader events. Chase Weise placed 2nd and Jarred Dincher placed 4th in their respective events. Congratulations to both of them.

**11th Annual John B. Hoy, Jr. Memorial Charity Golf Tournament**: This year the event was held on October 6th. 120 golfers participated and over \$12,000 was raised for Horses of Hope and the Clinton County Community Dental Clinic. The golf tournament has donated over \$72,000 to Clinton County charitable organizations.

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# 2012 Curbside Recycling Collection Schedule

Collection Zone	Day	Month/Day					
Lock Haven - Zone 1		January	February	March	April	Мау	June
	Friday	6,20	3,17	2,16,30	13,27	11,25	8,22
	Friday	July	August	September	October	November	December
		6,20	3,17,31	14,28	12,26	9,23	7,21
	Tuesday	January	February	March	April	Мау	June
Lock Haven - Zone 2		3,17,31	14,28	13,27	10,24	8,22	5,19
		July	August	September	October	November	December
		3,17,31	14,28	11,25	9,23	6,20	4,18
		January	February	March	April	Мау	June
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Lock Haven - Zone 3	Wednesday	July	August	September	October	November	December
		5,18	1,15,29	12,26	10,24	7,21	5,19
		January	February	March	April	Мау	June
Eleminator Zone (	Thursday	5,19	2,16	1,15,29	12,26	10,24	7,21
Flemington - Zone 4	Thursday	July	August	September	October	November	December
		5,19	2,16,30	13,27	11,25	8,23	6,20
	Monday	January	February	March	April	May	June
		2,16,30	13,27	12,26	9,23	7,21	4,18
Mill Hall - Zone 5		July	August	September	October	November	December
		2,16,30	13,27	10,24	8,22	5,19	3,17,31
	Thursday	January	February	March	April	Мау	June
		12,26	9,23	8,22	5,19	3,17,31	14,28
Avis - Zone 6		July	August	September	October	November	December
		12,26	9,23	6,20	4,18	1,15,29	13,27
	Tuesday	January	February	March	April	Мау	June
Weelrich Zone Z		10,24	7,21	6,20	3,17	1,15,29	12,26
Woolrich Zone 7		July	August	September	October	November	December
		10,24	7,21	4,18	2,16,30	13,27	11,26
Dunnstown - Zone 8	Wednesday	January	February	March	April	Мау	June
		11,25	8,22	7,21	4,18	2,16,30	13,27
		July	August	September	October	November	December
		11,25	8,22	5,19	3,17,31	14,28	12,26
Castanea - Zone 9 McElhattan	Monday	January	February	March	April	Мау	June
		9,23	6,20	5,19	2,16,30	14,29	11,25
		July	August	September	October	November	December
		9,23	6,20	4,17	1,15,29	12,26	10,24
	Monday	January	February	March	April	Мау	June
Beech Creek - Zone 10		2,16,30	13,27	12,26	9,23	7,21	4,18
		July	August	September	October	November	December
		2,16,30	13,27	10,24	8,22	5,19	3,17,31
	Friday	January	February	March	April	Мау	June
Popovo Zana 11		13,27	10,24	9,23	6,20	4,18	1,15,29
Renovo - Zone 11		July	August	September	October	November	December
		13,27	10,24	7,21	5,19	2,16,30	14,28

# **Clinton County Recycling Directions**

The following materials are collected and recycled in Clinton County: clear, green, and brown glass bottles & jars; newspaper; mixed paper; corrugated cardboard; aluminum, steel, and tin cans; and plastic bottles. The materials are collected by our curbside collection or drop-off collection programs. The table below identifies the materials and how to prepare them for recycling.

Please follow these directions and the directions posted at each drop-off site. If an item you have is not on this list dispose of it properly. If you are not sure please call us at 570-769-6977.

MATERIAL	WHAT CAN BE RECYCLED	HOW TO PREPARE FOR RECYCLING	WHAT CAN'T BE RECYCLED
Glass Bottles & Jars	Clear, brown, and green glass bottles & jars.	Rinse containers, remove lids, leave labels on.	Window glass, light bulbs, crystal, Pyrex, ceramics, ovenware, & drinking glasses.
Newspaper	Clean Newspaper (including inserts).	Separate from mixed paper.	Phone books.
Mixed Paper	Office paper, junk mail, magazines, catalogs, glossy paper.	Separate from newspaper.	Phone books, coated paper, tissue paper, hard-backed books.
Corrugated Cardboard	Clean <u>corrugated</u> cardboard.	Breakdown boxes.	Cereal boxes, six-pack carriers, waxed cardboard.
Cans	Aluminum, steel, & tin food and beverage cans.	Rinse containers, leave labels on.	Pie plates, aluminum foil, pesticide or herbicide spray cans.
Plastic Bottles & Jugs	Plastic bottles, coded #1 or #2, typically soda, milk, water, & laundry soap bottles.	Rinse containers, remove lids, leave labels on.	Toys, plastic bottles coded #3 thru #7, motor oil bottles, other plastic containers.

# **COLLECTION INSTRUCTIONS**

- Please rinse all containers and remove lids.
- Place newspaper and magazines/junk mail into separate plastic bags.
- Place at curbside by 7:00am on day of scheduled pick up.
- If your collection day falls on a holiday your pickup will be the **next business day**.

# **CLINTON COUNTY SOLID WASTE AUTHORITY RECYCLING CENTER**

Hours of operation:

MONDAY thru FRIDAY: 7:00am – 4:00pm SATURDAY: 7:00am – 12:00pm (NOON)

The following materials can also be recycled at the Authority's Recycling Center: Corrugated Cardboard **Used Motor Oil** Lead-Acid Batteries Electronics

**Small Propane Tanks** 

Antifreeze

If you would like more information about recycling or waste disposal, or if you have questions please call us at 570-769-6977 or email us at ccswa@waynetwplandfill.com. You may also visit our website at www.waynetwplandfill.com.