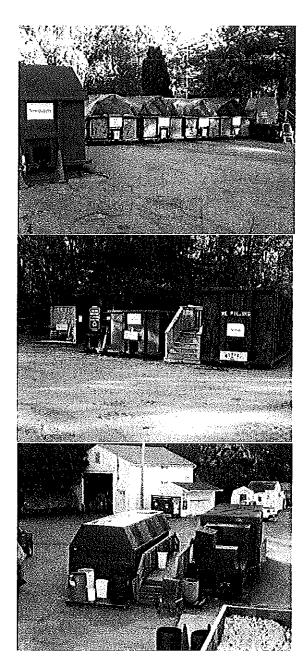
### **Guide to Recycling**

Material	What to Recycle	How to Prepare
Cardboard	Corrugated boxes	Flattened bring to bailer, No packaging material
Newspaper	Newspaper	Clean and dry, no plastic
Mixed Paper	Junk mail, Shredded paper, Cereal boxes	Clean and dry, Secure shredded paper, no plastic, No Christmas paper
Clear & Colored Glass	Bottles and jars, No drinking glasses, or ceramics or mirrors	Separate Clear from Colored glass, rinsed and no caps
Tin/ Aluminum Cans	Food cans emptied, aerosol cans, Aluminum pie plates and foil	Rinsed
Aluminum	Aluminum lawn furniture, windows frames, doors etc.	Remove all glass and plastic
Scrap Metal	Steel, Copper, Brass etc. Wire, mufflers, bikes, Lawn mowers	Drain all Fluids
Plastics #1	Drinking Bottle	No plastic bags, Please remove caps
Plastics #2	Transparent milk jugs, Colored bottles detergent	No caps and no white plastic, For the colored plastics caps ok
Plastics #3-#7	Containers	No plastic bags, No Styrofoam
Non Numbered Plastics	We put items in the bags so that they do not fly around facility	IF you want to recycle film (plastic bags) bring to the supermarkets
Rigid/ Bulky Plastics	Baby Pools Laundry basket Etc.	No metal, or fabric
Styrofoam	Packaging peanuts and blocks, Food and coffee containers	Keep clean Separate packaging from food - foam

All these items are separated, bailed and shipped to Auburn, Fitchburg, Franklin, Worcester and around the world to be processed for re-use. Thank you for Recycling



Sturbridge, MA 01566

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Breakneck Rd. Sturbridge, MA 01566

Tuesday, Thursday & Saturday 7 AM to 2:45 PM

Household Hazardous Waste Every Third · Saturday 10 AM – 2 PM (Closed for the Winter months Dec./Jan./Feb.)

> Open to all Sturbridge Residents with a sticker permit.

New or replacement stickers available at the Board of Health office M - F 9am - 12noon or at the Recycling Center Tuesdays and Thursdays or by self-addressed envelope to: BoH, 301 Main St., Sturbridge, MA 01566

For more information visit our website.

### **Contact Board of Health**

Web: www.town.sturbridge.ma.us visit Board of Health then click Frequently asked Questions

Email: boardofhealth@town.sturbridge.ma.us Phone: 508-347-2504

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### The Green Trash Bag

Pay-As-You-Throw (PAYT) program started October 1, 2011

Trash: Must be in the Town Green PAYT bags.

Bags are available at local stores.

MickNuck's, Fred's, Shaws and

Stop & Shop.

Cost: Bags are sold in rolls of five Large- (30 gallon) bags \$1 per bag, will cost \$5. per roll

Small – (13 gallon) bags \$.50 per bag, will cost \$2.50 per roll No mark up. No sales tax.

#### Why do we have this program?

The Board of Health decided after careful consideration, public hearings, and a vote, to start putting aside money for the landfill capping. This is a fair program that is paid for by the residents that use the landfill.

Each household's trash disposal cost is based on how much is thrown away. Households that recycle more and produce less trash, pay less.

## Recycling Center / Landfill Permit Stickers

All Sturbridge residents are eligible for this permit. Renewal stickers can be obtained the first two Saturdays in April, after which they will be direct mailed to the address provided last year. New Applicants may obtain applications on-line and mail in information to the Board of Health office, 301 Main St., Sturbridge, MA 01566 or visit the Board of Health office 9:30 - 12:30.

# Items accepted at the center, with a permit sticker, at NO additional costs are:

Take it or Leave it Shed items	Clothes and Shoes
Basic recyclables- paper, plastic, glass, cans	Scrap metal
Yard waste	Styrofoam – packaging, peanuts, coffee cups, insulation, to go containers
Motor Oil	Batteries- Car & household

# The following fees are due at the time of disposal

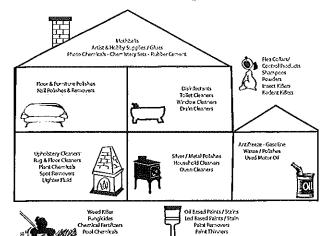
Appliances /Air conditioners/ refrigerator/ microwaves	\$10
Burnable – All small bags \$3 all large black bags \$5 up to 50 lbs same fees as C &D, material taken to Wheelabrator waste to energy facility in Millbury, MA	Depending On Amount
Construction and Demolition (C&D) taken to Auburn then to a processing facility Bag size \$3 & 5 up to 50 lbs, Trunk load \$15, Small SUV \$25, Pickup \$35, Large pickup \$45. Add \$10 for side boards  ton \$50, ton \$75 1 ton \$100 (Pilot has a scale for use for \$10)	Depending on Amount
TV/Electronics – anything with a plug or chip, additional fee over 36"	\$10
Furniture- chair \$5 to \$10 Sofa \$10	\$5 - \$10
Mattress/box springs- twin \$10, Large \$ 15	\$10 - \$15
Propane Tanks up to 100 lbs	\$2
Tires- \$2 off rim, \$3 w/rim under 17 " over 17" \$6 off rim, \$16 w/rim no tires over 22"accepted	\$2 - \$16
Wood – wood furniture and wood scraps, no attachments of metal, plastic or fiber. Same fees as C&D, material taken to FCR in Auburn, MA	Depending on Amount

price includes disposal	Sharp Container- container available for medical human and pet needles, price includes disposal \$10
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Large items will not be accepted without proper separation, all prices subject to change.

### **Household Hazardous Waste**

March - November 3rd Sat. of the month 10 Gallon Max per visit



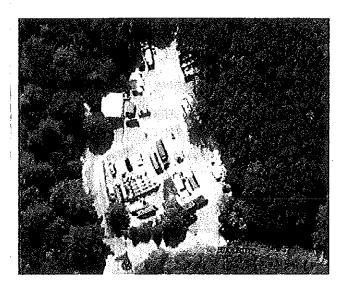
### **Latex Paint**

Latex paint is not hazardous, do not put in the Hazardous waste it costs us \$\$\$. Please share it, use it up, or dry it up. Instructions for proper latex paint disposal: empty liquid latex paint into double bagged container mix one part paint to two parts clay kitty litter, stir allow to dry. Bagged paint/kitty litter combo when it becomes a solid, dispose into household trash. Properly emptied paint cans are accepted; the dry, empty cans with lids removed may be given to the Recycling Center attendant at the entrance gate.

# **Wood Recycling**



Wood furniture, Scrap wood recycling. This container does not accept logs or creosote treated wood Small fee applies.



# Directions to Recycling Center & Landfill

From Town Hall: Take Haynes Street (RT 15)
to the Mobil Station.
Turn left onto Mashapaug Rd.
Turn right onto Breakneck Rd.
Travel about 1.5 miles to end and the
Recycling Center at end.

These projects are funded in part by a grant from Massachusetts
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Protection; which included technical assistance time, initial
PAYT bags, the wood container and this mailer.

