

# COLLECTION CENTER NEWS

THE TOWN OF RUTLAND HAS RECENTLY ADDED A NEW CONTAINER FOR THE **COLLECTION OF ELECTRONICS**. ATTACHED PLEASE SEE THE FOLLOWING LIST OF ITEMS THAT **CAN BE ACCEPTED FOR RECYCLING**.

**Computer Equipment:** Computer Towers, Tablets, Laptops, Modems and Routers, Docking Station, Desktop Copiers, Fax Machines, Desktop Printers, Scanners, Keyboards, Web Cams, Speakers, Hard Drives, Circuit Boards.

**Entertainment:** VCR's/DVD Players, Blu Ray Players, DVR/TIVO, Cell Phones and Chargers, Cameras, MP3 players, Headphones, Turntables, eReaders, Sound Machine, Game Systems, Radio, Stereo, Surround Sound Systems, Speakers, Subwoofers, Satellite Dishes

**Exercise Equipment:** Elliptical, Stationary Bike, Treadmill, Weight Bench

**Household Electronics:** Vacuum, Roomba, Carpet Cleaner, Smart Speakers (Alexa, Home, Nest, Portal), Scale, Security Systems/Doorbells, String Lights/Christmas Lights

**Small Kitchen Appliances:** Air Fryer, Blender, Coffee maker, Crock Pot, Juicer, Mixer, Toaster, Griddle, etc.

**Lawn Tools:** Leaf Blower, Trimmer, Edger, Power Washer, Mower/Snow Blower.

**Power Tools:** Drill Saw, Compressor, Sander, etc.

**Power Cords and Strips**

\*\* Make sure all gas and oil and other fluids are drained and rubber tires removed.

\*\* Batteries and items that batteries cannot be removed need to be placed in a separate barrel to prevent fires.

**ALSO ATTACHED IS A LIST OF ITEMS THAT ARE PROHIBITED FROM COLLECTION. THESE ITEMS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED:**

**Hazardous Materials** – as defined by the following factors:

- **Ignitability** - Ignitable materials can create fires under certain conditions, and are spontaneously combustible. Examples include magnesium turnings.
- **Corrosive** - **Corrosive** materials are acids or bases that are capable of corroding metal containers. Battery acid and liquid drain cleaner are examples.
- **Reactivity** – Reactive Materials can cause explosions, toxic fumes, gases, or vapors when heated, compressed, or mixed with water. Examples include explosives, gasoline fumes.
- **Toxicity** – toxic materials are harmful or fatal when ingested or absorbed (e.g. insecticides, mercury, etc.).
- **Mercury-Containing Equipment:** Thermostats or thermometers; Mercury Switches; Light Bulbs/tubes co-mingled with other non-light bulb/tube items.

**Other Materials** - when in doubt, ask facility attendant.

- **Radioactivity** – Materials marked by radioactive decals or with unacceptable radioactive levels.
- **Biomedical** – Materials described, marked, or otherwise classified as Biological, Medical or Infectious Material.

- **Dusts & Powders** – no dusts or powders are accepted without approval.
- **Any Closed Gas Cylinder** – valve must be completely open/removed, or a hole punched in the side of the cylinder to prove it is completely empty.
- **Live Ammunition**
- **PCB Containing Materials**
- **Leaking / Actively Combusting Batteries**
- **Grave Markers or Beer Kegs** or any sort, without proof of ownership

WE HAVE MADE A FEE SCHEDULE CHANGE TO THE FEES CHARGED FOR TV'S TO COVER THE TOWN'S COST. PLEASE SEE THE ATTACHED REVISED FEE SCHEDULE.

Tires:

Auto tires.....\$3.00 ea.  
 Light truck tires.... \$5.00 ea.  
 Tractor tires.....\$10.00 ea.

Batteries.....\$2.00 ea.

Refrigerated Appliances .....\$25.00 ea. (includes refrigerators, air conditioners, and dehumidifiers)

Non-refrigerated Appliances...\$15.00 ea. (includes washers, dryers, stoves, microwaves, dish washers)

Televisions (Flat Screen and Tube TVs (per unit)

Televisions 29" and under.....\$20.00  
 Televisions 30" - 49".....\$40.00  
 Televisions 50" and over.....\$60.00  
 Wooden Console (any size).....\$60.00  
 Projection (any size).....\$60.00

All Fluorescent bulbs ....\$1.00

Light fixtures including fluorescent light ballasts .... \$15.00

**Thank you for being stewards of our land!**

**Town of Rutland Board**

