

THE BOROUGH OF DEMAREST

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2024 Garbage and Recycling Information

Don't throw money away! Recycled materials are used to obtain grants.

All cardboard, bottles and cans that are not recycled are costing us tax dollars.

GARBAGE PICKUP:

MONDAY: Regular household garbage

THURSDAY: Regular household garbage plus junk (furniture, household items, etc.)

NO PICKUP 5/27, 9/2, 11/28

Garbage collected on the next scheduled day (extra pick up 11/29).

To schedule a pickup of *large appliances*, *household equipment*, *screens*, *refrigerators*, *air conditioners* and *ice makers* (Freon must be removed beforehand by a certified service person), call IWS at 1-866-DIAL-IWS. If you buy a new appliance, ask whether the merchant will dispose of the old one.

OTHER INFORMATION:

BRANCHES & LIMBS must be neatly piled curbside, not in the street. *All branches must face the same direction*.

LEAVES will be picked up by the DPW between the day after Columbus Day and the first week of December. During the rest of the year, leaves must be bagged and placed by the curb.

GRASS will be collected between Monday, April 1, and October 30. It must be placed curbside in *uncovered reusable 30-gallon containers*.

RECYCLING PICKUP:

1st & 3rd WEDNESDAYS: comingled recyclable plastic, glass, waxed paper and metal containers.

2nd & **4th WEDNESDAYS:** new sprint , magazines, catalogs, junk mail, office and computer paper, paper bags, telephone books, cardboard and cereal type boxes tied in bundles no more than 12" . Corrugated boxes are recyclable and will not be picked up by the garbage haulers.

PAPER & CARDBOARD ONLY THE FIFTH WEDNESDAY OF THE MONTH 1/31, 5/29, 7/31, 10/30

- containers must be *clean and empty*.
- All glass, plastic, waxed paper and metal containers are accepted for recycling.
- All recycling numbers are accepted (1-7).
- Dried paint in cans with lids off are recyclable.

Bring electronics and white goods to the dumpster at the DPW (22 Wakelee Drive) .

Visit bcua.org for hazardous waste drop off.

THESE ARE NOT RECYCLABLE

- boxes with residue (especially pizza boxes)
- used paper plates, paper cups or paper towels
- Styrofoam, plastic bags, plastic shopping bags
- plastic knives, forks, spoons or dishes
- ceramic, pottery, crystal, cups, plates or glasses, flowerpots, garden hoses

- windows, plate glass, mirror glass or light bulbs
- meat trays
- automotive-use containers (e.g., antifreeze jugs or motor oil bottles)
- household batteries
- building and construction material

Department of Public Works: (201) 768-5439 Interstate Waste Services (IWS): 1-866-DIAL-IWS

Borough Website for most recent information: **DemarestNJ.gov**