

Grass and Yard Waste Recycling

NO GRASS CLIPPINGS WILL BE COLLECTED WITH THE TRASH

The Township has established yard waste sites at designated areas for Township of Spring residents ONLY to deposit grass clippings and yard waste. The dropoff locations are along Yerger Blvd. near State Hill Road and Goose Lane near Sage Drive. **GRASS OR YARD WASTE MUST BE REMOVED FROM PLASTIC BAGS** prior to depositing at designated areas. **NO PAINTED, STAINED, OR TREATED LUMBER. NO COMMERCIAL LANDSCAPERS**

Leaf Collection and Recycling

Curbside leaf collection by Township crews will begin in October and continue through the first Friday of December. Leaves should NOT be placed in bags or containers for curbside collection or recycling. Leaves will be collected from each area of the Township on a weekly basis. Inclement weather, equipment breakdowns, or other emergencies may alter the collection schedule.

Christmas Tree Drop-off - Through January 29, 2012

Christmas Trees can ONLY be dropped off at the two Yard Waste sites. Goose Lane near Sage Drive & Yerger Blvd. near State Hill Road. **NO CURBSIDE PICKUP.**

Bulk Clean Up For Limbs/Branches - Absolutely No Grass

Limbs and branches will be collected door to door on Monday, March 26, 2012 and Monday, September 24, 2012. Limbs and branches **must** be tied and properly bundled – maximum size 48" x 18" x 18". **No roots from trees/shrubbery.** Trimmings shall be tied, placed in an open container or paper lawn and leaf bag. **ABSOLUTELY NO TRIMMINGS IN PLASTIC BAGS AND NO GRASS WILL BE COLLECTED.**

TOWNSHIP INFORMATION

Business Office - (610) 678-5393

Police/Township Building - (610) 678-3431

Fire Department - (610) 898-1452

Codes Department - (610) 898-9142

www.springtwpberks.org

Tax Collector - Lillian Cramsey - (610) 678-1287

Park & Recreation Department - (610) 678-5399

Sewage Treatment Plant - (610) 678-4448

We are
RECYCLING MORE!
PLEASE READ the enclosed
information carefully!

BERKS COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA
2850 WINDMILL ROAD,
READING, PA 19608
www.springtwpberks.org

TOWNSHIP OF SPRING



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Trash Collection Days for Trash and Recycling will remain the same. **Please refer to the calendar on other side for Holiday Collection. Saturday and Sunday holidays DO NOT change the pick up schedule.**

NOTE: Trash should be placed at the curb the evening before the scheduled trash collection day but not more than 24 hours in advance of scheduled pick up.

A total of **FOUR CONTAINERS** (bags or cans) may be placed for the weekly collection. Each container shall **not** exceed **32-gallon** capacity nor weigh more than **40 lbs.** All loose items must be bundled not to exceed **18 inches by 18 inches by 36 inches Excess trash, as determined by trash hauler, will not be collected.**

In addition, **ONE BULK ITEM** may be placed at the curb for collection each trash collection day. **There will be NO SPRING AND FALL CLEAN UP.** Each trash collection day you will be allowed one bulk item, i.e. mattress, furniture, television etc or one additional trash container. The following items **will not** be picked up as a bulk item: **NO APPLIANCES - washers, dryers, refrigerators, microwaves, stoves, dishwashers, dehumidifiers, air-conditioners, hot water heaters, propane tanks, batteries, automobile motors, transmissions, nor tires, etc. Paint cans must have lids removed and may not contain paint in liquid form.** Lawn mowers may **NOT** have fluids in them. **If you are unsure if an item will be collected please call the Township Office, FIRST.**

Recycling Collection

We now do SINGLE STREAM RECYCLING!!

You can now recycle a lot more! And all of your recyclables can be placed together in the same bin!

- Newspapers and Junk mail (**DO NOT PLACE IN PLASTIC BAGS**)
- Cardboard and paperboard boxes (including cereal boxes without liners).
- Computer printouts, Office paper and envelopes, shredded paper.
- Books (including paperbacks, telephone books, magazines and catalogs).
- Brown paper bags (kraft).
- Glass – Clear, Green or Brown
- Aluminum cans, aluminum foil and aluminum pie pans.
- Narrow-neck plastic containers (other than for motor oil) carry plastic resin identification code 1 through 7
- Wide-mouth containers such as peanut butter, margarine/butter tubs, yogurt, cottage cheese, sour cream, mayonnaise, and whipped topping. Rigid plastics which include plastic milk/soda crates, plastic buckets with metal handles, plastic laundry baskets, plastic lawn furniture, plastic totes, plastic drums, plastic coolers, plastic flower pots, plastic 5-gallon water bottles, plastic pallets, and empty plastic garbage/recycling bins.
- Aseptic/gable-top milk and juice cartons
- Steel and Bimetallic Cans
- Non-metallic wrapping paper
- Empty Aerosol Cans (No Paint Aerosol).

Not Accepted:

- **NO PLASTIC BAGS AND NO PLASTIC LIDS.**
- No Wax coated paper or cardboard, no hardback books.
- Any material with substantial food debris (small trace amounts of food residue is ok).
- No Garbage bags, stretch film, grocery bags, packaging, etc.
- No Batteries, Styrofoam, Light bulbs of any kind.
- No Mirrors, window or auto glass, porcelain, ceramics, glass cookware/bake ware, microwave oven trays, drinking glasses, perfume/cologne bottles.
- No Coat hangers (plastic or wire).
- No Household items like toasters, cookware, bake ware, electronics, appliances, etc.
- No Hazardous or toxic substances.
- No Items containing or having debris and residue containing hazardous or toxic substances such as paint cans with wet paint, motor oil containers, gasoline cans, glue, petroleum products, etc.
- No Wire.

2012 Recycling

JANUARY							FEBRUARY							MARCH						
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APRIL							MAY							JUNE						
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2012 Trash

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Purple Monday
Beverly Heights, Hain Road, Lincoln Park, Montrose Manor, TomLisa Heights Stingray Drive

Brown Tuesday
Springmont, Wilshire

Gray Wednesday
Country Roads (no municipal trash collection)

Black Wednesday
West Lawn (Formerly Boro Residents)

Yellow Wednesday
West Wyomissing

Orange Monday
Cornwall Terrace, Werner Estates, Western Meadows, Spohn Road

Blue Tuesday
Midvale Manor, Reedy Road, Reedy Run, Spring Ridge, Wilshire Meadows

Pink Thursday
North Whitfield, Whitfield, Whitfield Wyomissing

Green Thursday
Colony Park, Drexelwood, Prendergast Road, Tulpehocken Road, Van Reed Road, State Hill Road Reserve at Springton

Lt. Green Friday
Gelsinger Road, Grings Hill Estates, Grings Hill Road, Miller Road, Shiloh Hills, Tallowyck, Wheatfield Road, Wheaton Heights, Wheatfield Run

Red Friday
Albert Drive, Arrowhead Trail, Calco Avenue, Lenape Valley, Oakview Estates, Oakview Estates II, Oak Terrace Old Fritztown Road, Stonegate

RECYCLING

Monday
Tuesday
Wednesday
Thursday
Friday

Purple & Orange
Brown & Blue
Black & Yellow
Pink & Green
Lt. Green & Red



TRASH

Thursday
Friday
Monday
Wednesday
Tuesday

HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

* New Year's Day *
Memorial Day
Independence Day

Labor Day
Thanksgiving Day
Christmas Day

Collection on a Saturday during the holiday week is ALWAYS earlier than normal, please place trash out the night before.

In those weeks with a Holiday, collection of trash and recyclables will take place ONE DAY LATER THAN USUAL beginning on the holiday through the remainder of the week. All Collection schedules will return to normal beginning Monday of the next week.

* NOTE: Saturday and Sunday holidays DO NOT change the pick up schedule. *
These are the only holidays observed by trash/recycling hauler

HOURS OF COLLECTION

Trash and recycling will be collected between 6:00 AM and 7:00 PM.

