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Congratulations to the residents of Salisbury and Sharon. Together we have achieved the highest recycling rate of all the member towns within the CRRA! This is thanks to your dedication and the help of our TRAC Committee and the excellent staff at the Transfer Station.

Consideration was given to an increase in the \$60.00 sticker fee for next year, or an increase in taxes, but in the end we decided to maintain the current fee structure in the hope that increases in our recycling efforts will make up for any budget shortfalls due to increases in the price of fuel and other expenses.

These large increases make it very expensive to transport heavy garbage to Hartford.

#### Please remember:

- We are *PAID* a rebate of \$10.00 for every ton of waste that we recycle, including paper, cans and bottles, clothing and cardboard.
- We are *CHARGED* a fee of \$70.00 for every ton of waste that we do not recycle.

That is why we urge you to remove *ALL* recyclable items from your garbage – every little bit helps and it will truly lower our costs at the Transfer Station, thus allowing us to keep the sticker fee lower.

Please also note that this year we are offering the backyard composters for sale at cost (\$30.00) – if every household removed the vegetable food scraps from the garbage, we would save many thousands of dollars from our budget each year. If you would like to purchase one of these, please see the staff at the Transfer Station.

If we do not recycle more in the next year, we can expect that there will be a larger increase in both the sticker fees and taxes in 2009.

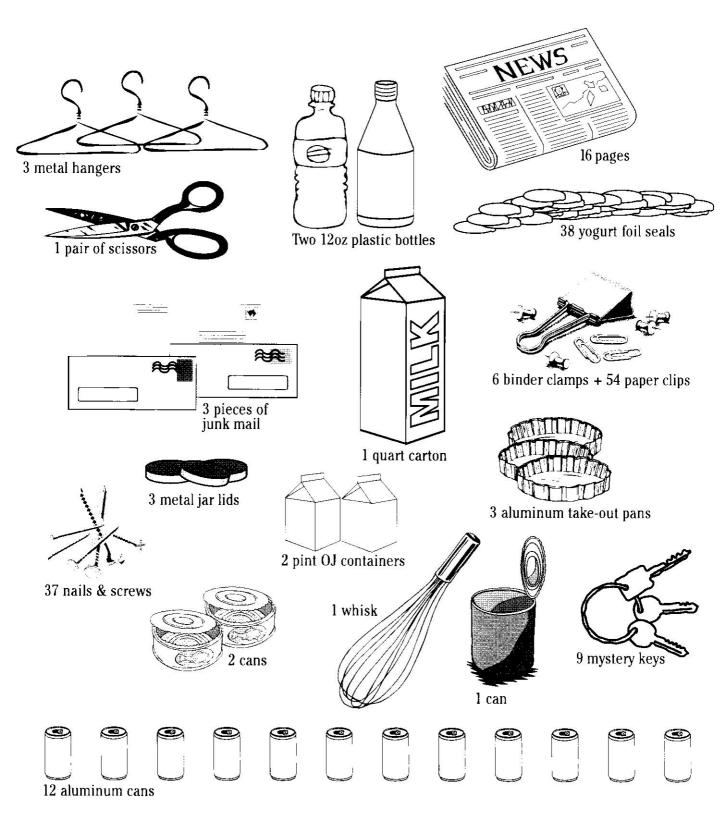
Thank you, and hopefully by working together we can increase our recycling rate from the current 34% to 40% by this time next year.

# What Goes Where

	Swap Shop	ITEMS IN GOOD	ONLY	Books	Electronics	Eye glasses	Household goods	Paint (FEE)	Printer cartridges	Cell phones	Rechargeable batteries	Toys (reusable)	Waste oil	NO BROKEN ITEMS	NO A/Cs	NO TVs	NO ANTI-FREEZE	NO GASOLINE	-			o (
0	Garbage	Foam & "peanuts"	Food waste	Plastic pots	#3 – #7 Plastics	Stuffed toys	Waxed cardboard	Oil containers (empty)	Anti-freeze (empty)	Pizza boxes	NO RECYCLABLES	NO METAL	NO WOOD		Leaves &		Leaves year round	NO BRUSH or GRASS	Christmas trees	(January–March)	NO DECORATIONS NO WREATHS NO BAGS	nated loads
	Construction/ Demo	FEES APPLY TO ALL	Bathroom fixtures	Box springs	Ceramics	Clean wood	(6 maximum lengin) Fiberaless moterials	Foam inculation	Mottraceae	Mirrorg	Description traced	riessure treated wood	Kugs		Shingles	Sofas	Stuffed chairs	Tile	Window glass	FEES APPLY TO ALL		Violators will be charged for disposal costs of contaminated loads
	Scrap Metal	Aluminum	Appliances (FEE)	Bed rails (metal)	Brake drums	Cast iron	Copper	Paint cans (empty)	Sheet metal	Tire rims	Window frames (metal)	NO FREON ITEMS	NO PROPANE TANKS			Clothing & Shoes		Clothing	Fabric	Shoes		ill be charged for disp
	Co-Mingle	Waxed juice & milk containers	"Gapta Tonned"	containers	#1 & #2 plastic	(100d & beverage with "neck" only)	Metal beverage cans	Aluminum foil (clean)	Bleach bottles	Detergent bottles	Glass beverage bottles	Milk bottles	Soda Bottles & Cans	Water bottles	Tin cans (food)	NO CHEMICAL,	ANTIFREEZE, or	CONTAINERS	NO PLASTIC PLANT	200		Violators w
The second liver and the secon	Mixed Paper	Beer & soda "fridge packs"	Booke	(hard covers removed)	Box board	Drown groons hogg	DIOWII BIOCCIY Dags	Ink mail	Magazines	Newconarc	Office noner	Shoo hayaa	NO PLASTIC BAGS			Cardboard		Brown feed bags	Corrugated cardboard	NO PIZZA BOXES	NO STYROFOAM	

## What's 3 ounces?

3 ounces a day =  $1\frac{1}{3}$  pounds a week recycling.



Recycle instead.

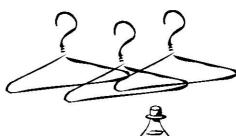
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# You can lose 74 lbs. a year!

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= 30z.

Tuesday it might be:



$$=30z.$$

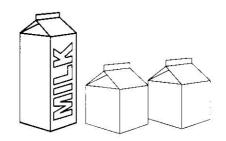
## Wednesday





$$=30z.$$

## Thursday it might be:



=30z.

## **Friday**

it might be:



$$=3oz.$$

## Saturday

it might be:



$$= 3 + 0z.$$

#### Sunday it might be:

1 week



$$=3oz.$$

 $= 1\frac{1}{3}$  pounds

# Salisbury/Sharon Transfer Station

## Salisbury-Sharon Transfer Station Guide 2008–2009

#### **HOURS OF OPERATION:**

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday: 8:00am-4:00pm Sunday: 9:00am-1:00pm (garbage & recycling only) Wednesday: CLOSED

Telephone: (860) 435-5178

## The Transfer Station is only for garbage and recyclables from Salisbury & Sharon.

A current sticker is required for entry

#### **Frequently Asked Questions**

If in doubt, please ask a staff member

- 1. Can all kinds of cardboard go in the CARDBOARD HOPPER? NO, wax coated cardboard cannot.
- 2. Can envelopes with address windows be recycled with JUNK MAIL? *YES*.
- 3. Where do PLASTIC CONTAINERS that are unmarked on the bottom, or those marked with #4, #5, #6, go? They must go in the garbage hopper.
- 4. Does the Transfer Station take GRASS & BRUSH? *NO, it does not.*
- 5. What if I put stuff in the wrong bin? DON'T! It will contaminate & ruin the entire load.

#### Not accepted at the Transfer Station:

Household hazardous waste, or other toxic materials: pesticides, weed killers, anti-freeze, pool chemicals, oven & drain cleaners, acids are collected in Torrington in the fall of 2008, and in Falls Village in the spring of 2009. Check with your Town Hall for complete details.

## Don't waste it!

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## TO: Residents using the Salisbury/Sharon Transfer Station Recycling requirements as of June 1, 2008

Recycling is more than the good deed of responsible citizens. Connecticut State law requires all residents to recycle. Recycling makes great economic sense in light of rising disposal costs. Our towns are charged a high, and ever increasing, per ton fee to dispose of garbage. However, we are not charged for most recyclables, so it is important to separate anything that *can* be recycled from the rest of the garbage.

#### Always recycle the following items—never throw into garbage hopper:

(Transfer Station staff will help you find the proper recycling area)

- Glass & metal food and beverage containers
- Waxed juice and milk cartons
- Plastic food & beverage containers (#1 and #2 with a "neck")
- Newspapers, corrugated cardboard, magazines, junk mail, books (hard covers removed)
- Computers and other personal electronics
- Empty paint cans
- Swap Shop: toys (re-usable), books, household goods, used motor oil, printer cartridges, eye glasses, cell phones, rechargeable batteries
- Clothing, fabrics, shoes (in any condition)
- Vehicle batteries (Lead-Acid)
- Leaves any time; Christmas trees January through March

#### Fee Required Items—never throw into garbage hopper:

- Pressure treated wood, mattresses, box springs, stuffed chairs, sofas, foam insulation, sheetrock, clean wood, bathroom fixtures, shingles, window glass, fiberglass materials, tile, ceramics
- TVs & monitors, appliances, propane tanks, paint, stain, tires

Whether or not you use a hauler, recycling is mandatory. Every household must have a current transfer station sticker.

All loads are subject to inspection.

Thank you for your continued cooperation and support. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact me at (860) 435-5178.

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#### Price list for the Salisbury-Sharon Transfer Station Effective July 1, 2008 (Per order of Selectmen)

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	Minimum fee	Mini pickup	Pickup truck	Low boy dump	Small trailer	Large trailer	Full dump			
Carpet & rug	\$5	\$20	\$25	\$35	\$25	\$40	\$50			
Mattress & box spring	\$15 each									
Paint, stain & thinner	\$1 per quart can \$2 per gallon can									
Tire (car & light truck)	\$5 each	Metal and demo boxes are <i>closed</i> on Sunday								
Tire (heavy truck & tractor)	\$5 per ply									
Wood, construction, demolition	\$5 - \$15	\$40	\$65	\$75	\$45	\$90	\$125			
Shingles (asphalt)	\$10 - \$30	\$85	\$145	\$165	\$100	\$230	\$325			
Sofa	\$10 each									
Sleeper sofa	\$20 each									
Overstuffed chair	\$10 each		Check with staff before							
Large appliance	\$10 each		dis	sposing	of item	S				
Appliance (Freon)	\$25 each									

No unauthorized dumping

Vehicle type	Cubic Yards*
Mini pickup truck	1.5
Pickup truck	3
Low boy dump	3.5
Small trailer (4x6x2)	1.75
Large trailer (6x10x2)	4.5
*Approximate fo	or level loads*

\$5 each

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Propane tank

(20 lbs)

TV & monitor