

TOWN OF SMITHTOWN

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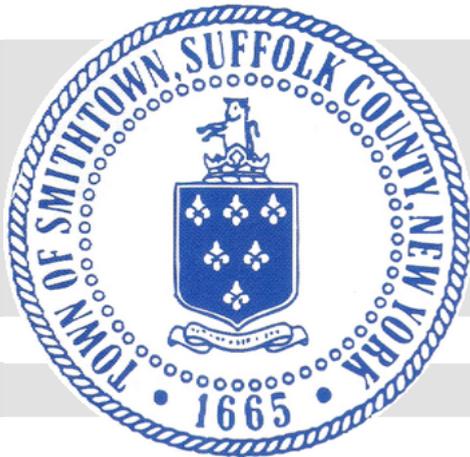
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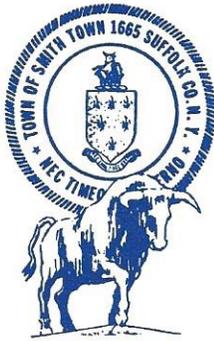
Town of Smithtown

2016 Refuse/Recycling Calendar

www.smithtownny.gov

Use color-coded map on back to determine your garbage district number, pick-up days, carter and carter's telephone number.

Please save this calendar to refer to during the year.



TOWN OF SMITHTOWN

PATRICK R. VECCHIO
TOWN SUPERVISOR

December 2015

A Note from Town Supervisor Pat Vecchio

Attached is our new Refuse / Recycling Calendar. Our new **Single Stream Recycling Program** begun last January is a great success. You no longer have to separate your recyclables into paper products for collection one week, and bottles and cans the next. All of your recyclables can be mixed together and put out every Wednesday. We've also added new items to the list of things that can be recycled. These changes, detailed in the attached calendar, make it easier than ever to recycle. That's good for us all! Recycling is good for the environment and saves money.

The calendar also provides information about such things as the proper disposal of old paint, computers, TV's, furniture, and expired prescription drugs. It describes the do's and don'ts of proper recycling. There's even a section on how you can obtain free bagged mulch! **Of particular note are our no-charge household hazardous waste collection events on April 23rd and October 1st.** Improperly disposed of household chemicals threaten our environment and peoples' health. Thousands of people have found past events a safe and easy way to clean out unwanted chemicals. Please make every effort to participate.

I urge you to look over the new calendar. You will find it both informative and helpful. If you have a question that it doesn't answer, or if you have a suggested improvement to our program please let us know.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Gratefully,

Patrick R. Vecchio,
Town Supervisor

HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE

In 2015, over 1,000 Smithtown households participated in two (2) Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) collection events at the Town's Municipal Services Facility in Kings Park. In excess of 150,000 pounds of household hazardous waste was collected for environmentally responsible disposal.

Consider the environment before purchasing these items; seek an environmentally friendly alternative in lieu of hazardous products. Whenever possible avoid products labeled Poison, Hazardous, Danger or Caution.

The 2016 Free HHW collection events are scheduled at the Smithtown Municipal Services Facility in Kings Park on Saturday, April 23rd and Saturday, October 1st, 2016 rain or shine during the hours of 7 am to 3 pm. Please visit www.smithtownny.gov or call 269-6600 or 360-7514 for additional information.

PLEASE RECYCLE SHIPPING CARTONS

Large corrugated cardboard cartons should be broken down and put out for collection with single stream recyclables. Miscellaneous packing materials such as plastic bags and hard packing foam should be removed and placed curbside for collection with your regular trash. Plastic loose fill and plastic "peanuts" can be recycled. Please call 1-800-828-2214 for the location of the nearest business which accepts such materials for reuse.

RECYCLING IS THE LAW, HELPS THE ENVIRONMENT AND SAVES MONEY

There are many reasons all Smithtown residents must recycle:

- Recycling is required by New York State law.
- Recycling is good for the environment.
- Recycling saves Smithtown taxpayers money.

The Town encourages proper recycling by taking these steps:

1. Ensuring that the Town's residential garbage carters collect all recyclables which have been properly placed curbside for Wednesday collection,

**BE THE SOLUTION
TO
STORMWATER POLLUTION!**

When it rains, everything on the ground seeps into our drinking water or washes into street drains that lead to our streams, ponds, the Nissequogue River and Long Island Sound

<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Use Fertilizer Sparingly,• Never Dump Anything Down Storm Drains,• Vegetate Bare Spots In Your Lawn,• Compost Yard Waste, Direct Downspouts Away From Paved Surfaces,	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Always Pick Up After Pets, Inspect And Pump Your Septic Tank Regularly, Utilize A Rain Garden Or Rain Barrel,• Use A Car Wash Instead Of Washing It At Home, Have All Car Leaks Fixed.
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TOWN OF SMITHTOWN DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND WATERWAYS
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SAFE PRESCRIPTION DRUG DISPOSAL

The Suffolk County Police Dept. accepts prescription drugs for disposal 24 hours a day, 7 days a week at the 4th Precinct, 727 Veterans Memorial Hwy. in Hauppauge. The Smithtown Dept. of Public Safety also accepts prescription drugs for safe disposal at 65 Maple Ave. in Smithtown. The Dept. of Public Safety may be reached at 360-7553 for more information.

FREE LANDSCAPE MULCH

The Town of Smithtown's Municipal Services Facility (269-6600) produces bagged fine-screened mulch which is available free of charge to any interested individuals and landscapers. Mulch may be picked up at the Municipal Services Facility, 85 Old Northport Road, Kings Park, Tuesday through Saturday, 7:00 am to 11:45 am and 12:45 pm to 3:15 pm.

PROPANE TANKS / GAS CYLINDERS

Because of the danger of explosion, spent propane gas tanks should never be disposed of in normal trash or recycled. Spent barbecue tanks can be disposed of at some propane gas retailers for a nominal fee. Please call ahead to verify business hours, fee, and availability of this service.

2. Directing the Town's residential garbage carters to NOT collect refuse which contains or is intermingled with recyclables, and
3. Issuing warnings and/or summonses to households which consistently violate the recycling laws.

Before calling to schedule a bulk item pick-up, consider donating furniture, appliances, other bulk items, functional computers, and electronics (in good condition) to a not-for-profit organization in need. For a list of these organizations visit the Town's website at www.smithtownny.gov.

E-WASTE RECYCLING PROGRAM & BATTERY RECYCLING PROGRAM

NEW YORK STATE PROHIBITS THE DISPOSAL OF CONSUMER ELECTRONICS WITH YOUR HOUSEHOLD GARBAGE! The Town of Smithtown's Municipal Services Facility (269-6600) gladly accepts electronic waste (televisions, radios, computers and accessories, monitors, cell phones, etc.) for recycling at no charge to Town residents; please call for a complete list. Smithtown residents may also call Smithtown Recycling (269-4548) for curbside pickup of televisions, computers and monitors.

The Town of Smithtown's Municipal Services Facility (269-6600) also accepts automotive and many household batteries for recycling. Among batteries accepted are: all types of "button" batteries (Mercuric oxide, Silver oxide, and Zinc-air), Lithium batteries, and some rechargeable batteries (Nickel-cadmium and small sealed Lead-acid batteries).

Single-use Alkaline and Carbon-zinc batteries are essentially mercury-free. These batteries can be safely disposed in your household garbage. For more information, please see the New York State DEC's Household Battery Fact Sheet at <http://www.dec.ny.gov>.

The following stores may also offer free electronics or battery recycling: Best Buy, Home Depot, Lowes, Sears Hardware, Target, Verizon and many more. Please verify with your local store or visit <http://www.dec.ny.gov> for additional information.

DON'T TRASH FLUORESCENT LIGHT BULBS OR MERCURY THERMOSTATS!

Fluorescent and HID light bulbs, and certain thermostats, contain mercury and should not be disposed of in the trash. Smithtown residents can drop off such items free for recycling at the Municipal Services Facility, 85 Old Northport Road, Kings Park.

DISPOSE OF LATEX PAINT PROPERLY

Improperly discarded paint may stain roadways and contaminate groundwater. For this reason, liquid paint should never be placed curbside with your household trash. To solidify paint for collection, follow these steps:

For paint cans with a small amount of liquid residue, remove the lid and allow the paint to air dry in a safe location. For fuller paint cans, mix in sawdust or cat litter to solidify the paint. When dry, double-bag the can in clear plastic and place it curbside for collection.

Oil-based paints and stains should only be disposed of at Hazardous Waste Collection Events at the Municipal Services Facility (April 23rd and October 1st 2016).

MUNICIPAL SERVICES FACILITY

The Town's Municipal Services Facility at 85 Old Northport Road, Kings Park (just east of Old Commack Road) is open Tuesday through Saturday, from 7:00 am to 11:45 am and from 12:45 pm to 3:15 pm, to accept the following materials from Smithtown residents:

Yard Waste	Batteries
Construction & Demolition Debris	Motor Oil
Scrap Metal	Antifreeze
Fluorescent Light Bulbs	Paper & Cardboard
Computers & E-waste	Recyclable Plastics

Residents may also pick up mulch (up to 10 bags per visit). Please call the Municipal Services Facility at 269-6600 for further information regarding fees and services.

Town of Smithtown 2016 Refuse and Recyclables Collection Schedule

JANUARY							FEBRUARY							MARCH						
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
					NO PICKUP	2		1	2	3	4	5	6			1	2	3	4	5
3	4	5	6	7	8	9	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
10	11	12	13	14	15	16	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
17	18	19	20	21	22	23	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
24 / 31	25	26	27	28	29	30	28	29						27	28	29	30	31		
APRIL							MAY							JUNE						
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
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3	4	5	6	7	8	9	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
10	11	12	13	14	15	16	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
17	18	19	20	21	22	HHW	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	19	20	21	22	23	24	25
24	25	26	27	28	29	30	29	NO PICKUP	31					26	27	28	29	30		
JULY							AUGUST							SEPTEMBER						
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
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3	NO PICKUP	5	6	7	8	9	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	4	NO PICKUP	6	7	8	9	10
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24 / 31	25	26	27	28	29	30	28	29	30	31				25	26	27	28	29	30	
OCTOBER							NOVEMBER							DECEMBER						
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
						HHW			1	2	3	4	5					1	2	3
2	3	4	5	6	7	8	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
9	10	11	12	13	14	15	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
16	17	18	19	20	21	22	20	21	22	23	NO PICKUP	25	26	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
23 / 30	24 / 31	25	26	27	28	29	27	28	29	30				25	NO PICKUP	27	28	29	30	31

- Monday & Thursday Refuse Collection**
Place at curbside the night before.
- Tuesday & Friday Refuse Collection**
Place at curbside the night before.
- Single Stream Recyclables Collection**
All Recyclables placed together in one recycling container.
Plastics #1-7, paper, cardboard, cans, aluminum foil, glass bottles, plastic furniture, junk mail, magazines, phone books.
NO SYRINGES (dispose with regular trash in container).
NO HAZARDOUS WASTE.
- HHW **Free Household Hazardous Waste Collection Event**
April 23rd and October 1st, 2016. Rain or Shine!
7am - 3pm at MSF, 85 Old Northport Rd., Kings Park
- NO PICKUP **Collection is Cancelled on These Designated Holidays**
There is No Make-Up Day!

No Sorting Needed!



SINGLE STREAM
RECYCLING

Replacement recycling containers are available for a nominal fee by calling (631) 269-6600.

Free recycling decals are available at the Municipal Services Facility for use with a container of your choice.

Districts 1,3: **Brothers 567-2332**
Districts 2, 5, 6, 10, 11, 12: **Garofalo 231-0999**

Districts 4, 7: **Quick-Way 928-4242**
Districts 8, 9: **Total Collection 269-6915**

**If you experience collection problems, please contact your carter as listed above.
If problems persist, contact the Smithtown Solid Waste Coordinator at (631) 360-7514.**

SMITHTOWN SINGLE STREAM RECYCLING: DO INCLUDE:

Paper and Cardboard



flatten cardboard | staples, tape, envelope windows ok

&

Plastics (#1-7), Glass, Metal Cans, and Aluminum Foil



plastic containers must have recycling symbol 

DO NOT INCLUDE:



food & beverage residue



plastic bags



foam



napkins, tissues or paper towels



wax paper or lined cardboard



plastic utensils

YARD WASTE

The Smithtown Highway Department (**360-7500**) collects leaf bags and brush from residents in the unincorporated areas of the Town. The Highway Department picks up **residential** yard waste only. Please call the Highway Department if you need information regarding their collection schedule or visit the Town's web site at www.smithtownny.gov.

The Town is not permitted to collect or accept grass clippings. Grass clippings may be mulched or left on your lawn where nutrients are released back into the soil and the need for watering is reduced. Grass clippings can also be used for home composting. Please call the Smithtown Department of Environment and Waterways (360-7514) if you would like further information about home composting.

CONSTRUCTION & DEMOLITION DEBRIS

Construction and demolition debris includes such materials as siding and roofing shingles, aluminum and vinyl siding, fiberglass insulation, decking, bricks, concrete, stone, railroad ties, treated and untreated lumber, wallboard, paneling, home furnaces, kitchen cabinets, and bathroom fixtures. Such materials cannot be disposed of with your regular trash, and are **NOT collected** by either the Town or your garbage carter. You may bring them to the Town's Municipal Services Facility at 85 Old Northport Road, Kings Park (269-6600) for a small fee or arrange for your contractor to dispose of them.

FURNITURE, APPLIANCES, AND OTHER BULK ITEMS

Furniture, appliances, and other bulk items are NOT collected with your regular trash. To schedule a special pickup of such items, residents in Districts 1 through 10 should call either their garbage carter at the telephone number listed in this calendar (carter directory on back) or Smithtown Recycling (269-4548).

TO DISPOSE OF FURNITURE AND OTHER BULK ITEMS				TO DISPOSE OF LARGE HOUSEHOLD APPLIANCES	
<u>CALL YOUR GARBAGE CARTER</u>				<u>CALL SMITHTOWN RECYCLING 269-4548</u>	
INCLUDES:				INCLUDES:	
lamps	small electrical appliances	mattresses	couches	* televisions	refrigerators
plate glass	doors and windows	box springs	chairs	* computers and monitors	ovens
large mirrors	metal folding beds	cribs	tables	air conditioners	stoves
water heaters	swing sets	sofa beds	hutches	washing machines	microwave ovens
rugs & carpets	fencing	wood patio furniture	dressers	clothes dryers	dishwashers
(cut and rolled in four-foot lengths)	(cut and tied in bundles no larger than 2'x2'x4')	shelves	desks	metal exercise equipment	lawn mowers
		metal bed frames		metal file cabinets	snow blowers

Residents of the Incorporated Villages of Nissequogue and Head-of-the-Harbor (Districts 11 and 12) must call V. Garofalo Carting at 231-0999 to schedule special pickups for ALL of the items listed above.

*** NEW YORK STATE PROHIBITS THE DISPOSAL OF CONSUMER ELECTRONICS WITH YOUR HOUSEHOLD GARBAGE. CALL SMITHTOWN RECYCLING AT 269-4548 FOR THE COLLECTION AND RECYCLING OF TELEVISIONS, COMPUTERS, AND MONITORS. ALL OTHER ELECTRONICS MAY BE DELIVERED TO THE MUNICIPAL SERVICES FACILITY LOCATED AT 85 OLD NORTHPORT ROAD IN KINGS PARK. CALL 269-4548. ADDITIONALLY, MANY ELECTRONICS MANUFACTURERS AND RETAILERS TAKE BACK ELECTRONICS FOR RECYCLING AT NO CHARGE. FOR MORE INFORMATION SEE www.dec.ny.gov/chemical/82084.html.**

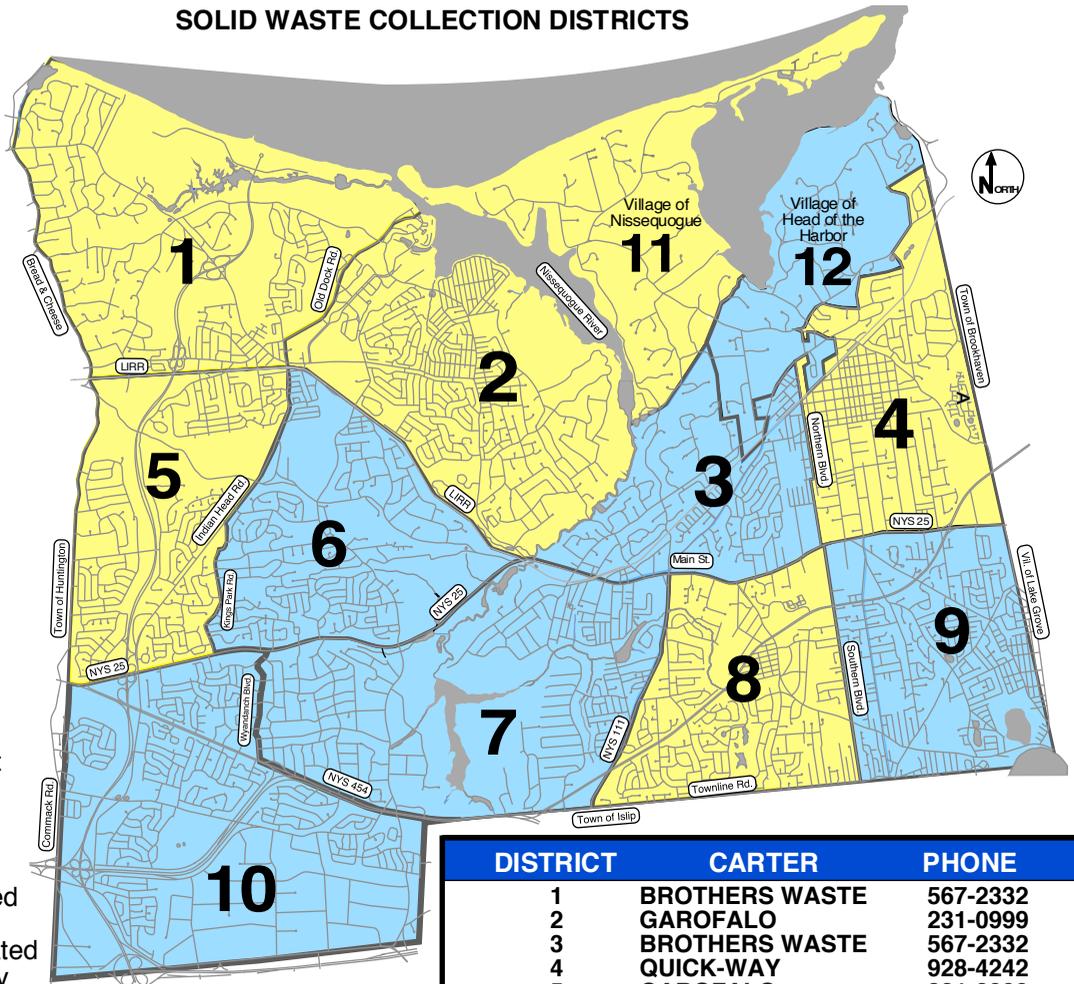
TRASH CANS AND RECYCLING CONTAINERS

There is no limit to the number of containers which may be placed curbside for collection. However, each container must not exceed 32 gallons in capacity and 50 pounds in weight when loaded.

TOWN OF SMITHTOWN

SOLID WASTE COLLECTION DISTRICTS

- Monday & Thursday Garbage Pickup
- Tuesday & Friday Garbage Pickup



1. A large scale version of this map is available for inspection at the Town of Smithtown Department of Environment and Waterways, 124 West Main Street, Smithtown. Please call 360-7514 for assistance.
2. Residents of Districts 11 & 12 should call V.Garofalo Carting at 231-0999 for collection of furniture, appliances, and other bulk items.
3. Leaf bags and brush are collected by the Highway Department (360-7500) from the unincorporated areas of the Town. The Highway Department picks up residential yard waste only. (NO GRASS)
4. Further information may be found on the Town's web site: www.smithtownny.gov

DISTRICT	CARTER	PHONE
1	BROTHERS WASTE	567-2332
2	GAROFALO	231-0999
3	BROTHERS WASTE	567-2332
4	QUICK-WAY	928-4242
5	GAROFALO	231-0999
6	GAROFALO	231-0999
7	QUICK-WAY	928-4242
8	TOTAL	269-6915
9	TOTAL	269-6915
10	GAROFALO	231-0999
11	GAROFALO	231-0999
12	GAROFALO	231-0999