

Township of Scotch Plains
**PUBLIC PROPERTY
 MESSENGER**

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Dear Resident:

This 2016 edition of the Public Property Messenger contains important dates and information regarding the annual services the Township's Department of Public Property provides including: spring gumball and branch pickup, the residential bulky waste program and fall leaf pickup.

Dates and locations for the County sponsored paper shredding and hazardous waste drop-offs, along with the new scrap metal recycling program, are also listed. For additional County sponsored recycling events please visit the County recycling website at www.ucnj.org/community/recycling.

If you have not done so, now is the time to sign up for alerts on the Scotch Plains website. Timely updates are constantly being added so that you can stay informed of upcoming events and advisories. Visit www.scotchplainsnj.gov to sign up for email alerts. In addition information regarding many of these programs are also broadcast on the Scotch Plains TV – Station 34 (Comcast) or Station 22 (Fios).

Please remember state law mandates the placement of vegetative waste or bulk cleanup materials in the curb no earlier than the seven days before pickup listed. Please help us in this endeavor.

If you have any questions, always feel free to call us. Department of Public Property personnel can be reached at (908) 322-6700, ext. 243 and 244.

Township of Scotch Plains
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Household Special Waste Collection Days

9 AM - 2 PM



When:

April 23

Where:

Union County Vo-Tech
1776 Raritan Road
Scotch Plains

When:

August 6

Where:

Union County Vo-Tech
1776 Raritan Road
Scotch Plains

June 11

Union County College
1033 Springfield Avenue
Cranford



October 15

Alcatel-Lucent Technologies
600 Mountain Avenue
New Providence



Materials Accepted for Safe and Proper Disposal:

- Aerosol Cans • Antifreeze • Batteries • Caustics • Corrosives & Cleaners • Fire Extinguishers • Fluorescent Bulbs (*unbroken*)
- Mercury Switches • Recycle Tires – Limit 8 Automobile Tires Per Household (*No Rims*) • Motor Oil & Oil Filters • Oil Based Paints & Varnishes
- Pesticides & Herbicides • Pool Chemicals • Solvents & Thinners • Thermostats • Gasoline

Paper Shredding

9 AM - 1 PM

When:

May 14

Where:

Alcatel-Lucent Technologies
600 Mountain Ave
New Providence

When:

July 21

Where:

Rahway Park
Rahway



June 4

Union County College
1033 Springfield Avenue
Cranford

October 1

Union County Vo-Tech
1033 Springfield Avenue
Cranford

June 26

Union County Vo-Tech
1776 Raritan Road
Scotch Plains

October 22

Alcatel-Lucent Technologies
600 Mountain Ave
New Providence

Scrap Metal Recycling Program

9 AM - 12 PM

When:

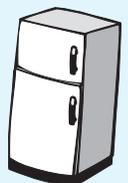
First Thursday of each month and the
Third Saturday of each month (*excluding holidays*)

Where:

Westfield Conservation Center
1300 Lamberts Mill Road, Westfield

Some of the Items Accepted:

- | | |
|---------------|----------------|
| Dishwashers | Sheds (metal) |
| Microwaves | Washers/Dryers |
| Refrigerators | Tire Rims |
| Gutters | Bicycles |
| Stoves | Railings |



For more information on the above services, and additional dates and locations, please contact the Union County Bureau of Environmental Services Hotline at 908-654-9889 or visit their website: www.ucnj.org/recycle

IMPORTANT DATES – 2016

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2016 RECYCLING SCHEDULE

Northside Sections 1 & 2
Tuesday



Southside Sections 3 & 4
Wednesday

April 12, 26 August 2, 16, 30
 May 10, 24 September 13, 27
 June 7, 21 October 11, 25
 July 5, 19 November 8, 22
 December 6, 20

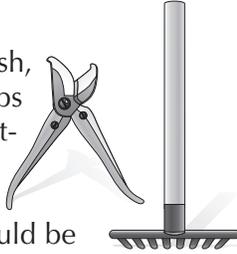
April 13, 27 August 3, 17, 31
 May 11, 25 September 14, 28
 June 8, 22 October 12, 26
 July 6, 20 November 9, 23
 December 7, 21

REMEMBER TO CALL 1-800-216-2250 FOR MISSED PICKUPS

PICKUPS – LEAVES, LIMBS, BRUSH, AND GUMBALLS

Pickups for leaves, limbs, brush and gumballs will begin at 7:30 a.m. on: • April 18 (Monday)

The Department will be picking up brush, leaves, limbs and gumballs only. Stumps and other materials will NOT be collected. Branches must be maximum of 3 inches in diameter and maximum of 3 feet in length. Branches and limbs should be separate from leaves, brush and gumballs.



Important: Have material out to the curb no more than 7 days prior to pickup. Remember DPP will be going through the Township once.

Township ordinance prohibits putting vegetative waste at the curb unless a pickup is scheduled.

LEAF COLLECTION

Fall Leaf Collection for 2016 will begin on Monday, October 17th. This collection is for leaves only, and crews will be dispatched on both the northside and southside of the Township. At least three collection cycles should give everyone adequate time to place all leaves at the curb. Please NO BRANCHES or LIMBS and remember to leave space along the curblines for water to flow freely to the catch basins.

Biodegradable paper bags are acceptable. Please keep as many cars off the road as possible. Branches will not be collected. It is very important that leaves are free of branches, rocks, stumps, etc., to prevent equipment damage. Weather permitting, sweepers will be operating after the last cycle.

CHRISTMAS TREE PICKUP



The DPP will begin Christmas tree pickup on January 9, 2017. The trees should be placed at the curb with all ornaments and tinsel removed. No wreaths or garland please. If you wish to dispose of the tree yourself, you can drop it off at the Department of Public

Property yard on Plainfield Avenue anytime before January 23rd.

ALL NEW! Scotch Plains Department of Public Property HOTLINE

233-6707



The Department of Public Property is pleased to announce our new hotline. This hotline is designed to provide residents with up-to-date information on storm events, curbside leaf collection, and other departmental programs throughout the year.

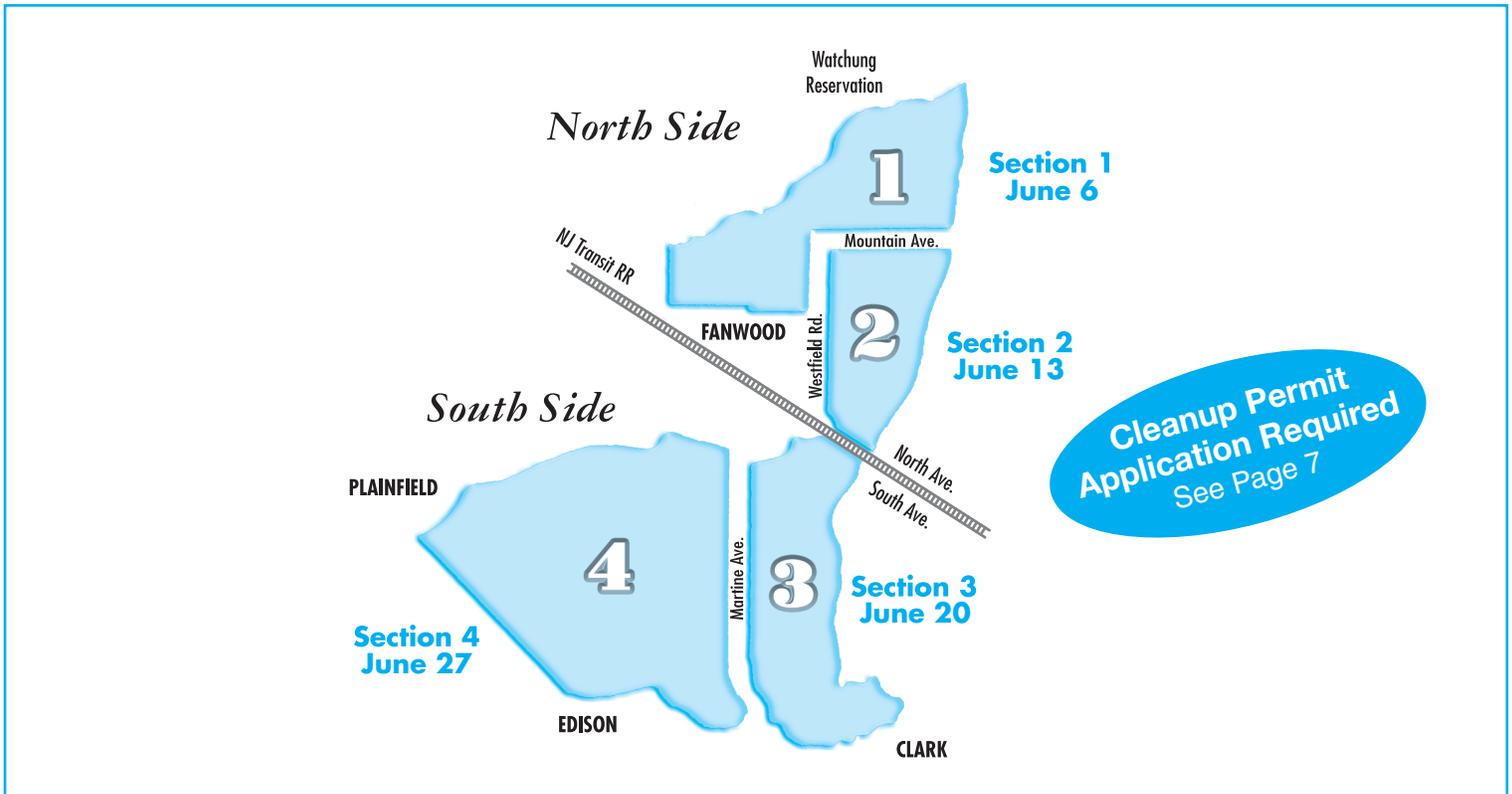
SOLUTIONS TO STORMWATER POLLUTION



SOME HELPFUL HINTS TO PROTECT OUR WATER:

- Limit your use of fertilizers and pesticides.
- Do not apply fertilizers if heavy rain is predicted.
- Do not pour any hazardous products down a storm drain because storm drains are usually connected to local water-bodies, and the water is not treated. Take advantage of the Household Hazardous Waste Collection Days. Call 908-654-9889 for more information.
- Look into alternatives to pesticides, but if you use them, follow the directions carefully.
- Pet Owners – Pick up and properly dispose of pet waste... never dispose of pet waste in a storm drain.
- Keep leaves and grass out of storm drains.
- Use a mulching mower that recycles grass clippings into the lawn.
- Recycle used motor oil.
- Place litter in trash receptacles.
- Recycle, Recycle, Recycle...

SCOTCH PLAINS SPRING CLEANUP 2016



The Ordinances of the Township prohibit scavenging during this residential cleanup.

Only the contractor performing services is permitted to remove materials.

MATERIALS THAT WILL NOT BE PICKED UP

Ashes	Household garbage	Pool filters	Rocks/Stones	Concrete
Auto parts	Liquids of any type	Paint cans (oil-based & wet)	Vegetative waste	
Dirt	Tree stumps	Tree trunks	Logs (longer than 4 ft.)	
Materials resulting from major demolition, alterations, or repairs			Hazardous waste	
TVs, Fax Machines, Computers, Telephones (see page 2)				

Please Note:

- Roll and tie rugs.
- Fencing and posts should be cut in 4 ft. lengths and weigh no more than 50 lbs.
- Place small loose items in sturdy containers weighing no more than 50 lbs.
- Doors on cabinets and appliances **must** be removed for safety.
- Any indoor/outdoor gym equipment must be dismantled and cut to 4 ft. lengths.
- No materials will be accepted from non-residents.
- This is a **Residential Cleanup**. **Cleanup permit from the Township is required.** Please see Page 7 for details on how to sign up. Commercial, industrial, business, or yard waste from landscapers will not be accepted.
- Materials must be placed at the curb before 7:00 a.m. on the first day scheduled for your section.
- **Please place materials out NO EARLIER than five (5) days before your scheduled pick up.**
- **The contractor will cover each street only ONCE!!**

QUESTIONS ON THE CLEANUP? CALL 322-6700, EXT. 243 OR 244.

SCOTCH PLAINS STREET LISTING

SECTION 1

Bartle Avenue
 Beverly Avenue
 Birch Street
 Byrd Avenue
 Canterbury Drive
 Cedar Grove Terrace
 Church Avenue
 Cicilia Place
 Coles Avenue (Cook to Westfield)
 Cook Avenue
 Copperfield Road
 Crest Lane
 Deer Path
 Dickens Lane
 Dona Lane
 Donato Circle
 East Second Street
 Elm Court
 Emil Place
 Far View Drive
 Farley Avenue
 Flanders Avenue
 Forepaugh Avenue
 Forest Road
 Front Street
 Glenside Avenue
 Grand Street
 Grant Avenue
 Harding Road
 Haven Avenue
 Hawthorne Street
 Hoe Avenue
 Hunter Avenue
 Jackson Avenue
 Juniper Lane
 Katherine Street
 King James Court
 Kipling Lane
 Lake Park Terrace
 Lyde Place (Cook to Westfield)
 Malanga Court
 Martin Place
 Meadow Street
 Montague Avenue
 Mountain Avenue
 (Hunter to Westfield Rd)
 (Westfield Rd to Mountainside Line -North Side Only)
 Mountainview Avenue
 Myrtle Avenue
 Nicholl Avenue
 Paff Place
 Park Avenue
 Park Crest
 Pine Terrace
 Pinehurst Avenue
 Portland Avenue (North Side Only)
 Prospect Avenue
 Richlieu Place
 Ridgeview Avenue
 Route 22
 School Place
 Scotland Street
 Senger Place/Meyer Place
 Shepherd Street
 Sky Top Drive
 St Ann Street
 Sterling Place
 Stout Avenue
 Sunset Place
 Sycamore Avenue
 Terrill Road
 Union Avenue
 Valley Avenue
 Valleyscent Avenue
 Victor Street
 (Mountain to Reservation)
 Village Park Court
 Watchung Terrace

Watchung View Place
 Weaver Street
 Westfield Avenue
 Westfield Road
 (Rt 22 to Center of Portland -North Side Only)
 Westfield Road Circle
 William Street
 (100 & 200 Block)
 Willow Avenue

SECTION 2

Acacia Road
 Allwood Road
 Archer Lane
 Ascot Road
 Azalea Court
 Beechwood Place
 Belvedere Drive
 Beryllium Road
 Birchwood Court
 Briar Hill Drive
 Broadway
 Bryant Avenue
 Carol Place
 Cedar Street
 Cedar Brook Road
 Channing Avenue
 Cleveland Avenue
 Coldstream Court
 Coles Avenue
 (Westfield Rd to Jerusalem)
 Concord Road
 Crestwood Common
 Crestwood Road
 Edgewood Terrace
 Embree Court
 Evergreen Avenue
 Evergreen Boulevard
 Everts Avenue
 Fanwood Avenue
 Fawn Ridge Drive
 Gales Court
 Gary Court
 Greenside Place
 Hamlette Place
 Happel Court
 Henry Street
 Hidden Hollow
 Hidden Meadow Drive
 Hill Road
 Homestead Terrace
 Jerusalem Road
 John Street
 Johnson Street
 Liberty Street
 Lindsey Avenue
 Longfellow Avenue
 Lyde Place
 (Westfield Rd to Henry)
 Madison Avenue
 Malcolm Place
 Manfra Lane
 Marlboro Road
 Monica Place
 Morse Avenue
 Mountain Avenue
 (South Side - Westfield Road to Mountainside Line)
 Muir Terrace
 New Briar Lane
 Nicole Court
 North Avenue
 O'Donnell Avenue
 Old Farm Road
 Overhill Street
 Park Place
 Park View Drive
 Pearl Place
 Pine Street

Pine Grove Circle
 Plainfield Avenue
 Poets Place
 Promenade
 Redwood Road
 Rhoda Place
 Richmond Street
 Riga Court
 Roberts Lane
 Rolling Knolls Road
 Rolling Peaks
 Rose Street
 Seneca Road
 Sims Avenue
 Smith Street
 Stocker Lane
 Sunrise Court
 Tack Circle
 Ternay Avenue
 Throwbridge Drive
 Van Orden Place
 Victor Street
 (Mountain To Malcolm)
 Waldheim Avenue
 Warren Street
 Waverly Place
 West Court
 Westfield Road
 (Mountain Ave to North Ave - East Side Only)
 Westfield Avenue
 (East of Westfield Road)
 Whittier Avenue
 William Street
 (300 Block & Up)
 Woodland Terrace

SECTION 3

Aldene Avenue
 Algonquin Drive
 Arrowwood Drive
 Bayberry Lane
 Brookside Court
 Brookside Drive
 Burkley Terrace
 Burnham (Southwyck)
 Buttonwood Lane
 Carriage Drive
 Cellar Avenue
 Chapel Road
 Cheyenne Way
 Christine Circle
 Cliffwood Street/Shalom Way
 Country Club Blvd
 Country Club Lane
 Dogwood Drive
 Duncan Drive
 Eastham (Southwyck)
 Elizabeth Avenue
 Evelyn Street
 Fairway Court
 Farmingdale Road
 Fieldcrest Drive
 Florence Avenue
 Gallagher Avenue
 Gamble Road
 Golf Street
 Goodman's Crossing
 Graceland Place
 Graymill Drive
 Grenville Road
 Harwich (Southwyck)
 Hetfield Avenue
 High View Court
 Hill Top Road
 Inverness Drive
 Jacobs Lane
 Jefferson Avenue
 Jersey Avenue
 Knollwood Avenue
 Lake Avenue

Lamberts Mill Road
 (West Side Only)
 Lincoln Avenue
 Linden Lane
 Little Falls Way
 Maddaket (Southwyck)
 Maple Hill Road
 Maple View Court
 Martine Avenue
 (East Side Only)
 Mary Beth Court
 Mary Ellen Lane
 Meadow View Road
 New York Avenue
 Newark Avenue
 Norwegian Woods
 Oak Hill Road
 Oxford Road
 Parkwood Drive
 Peach Court
 Pitching Way
 Princeton Avenue
 Quimby Lane
 Radley Road
 (West Side Only)
 Raritan Road
 (East of Martine Ave)
 Ravine Court
 Rivervale Drive
 Roosevelt Avenue
 Second Street
 Seward Drive
 Shackamaxon Drive
 Shady Lane
 Shawnee Path
 South Avenue
 Southwyck
 Spruce Mill Lane
 Stony Brook Circle
 Sylvan Lane
 Tisbury (Southwyck)
 Trenton Avenue
 Tussel Lane
 Wareham (Southwyck)
 Washington Avenue
 West Broad Street
 White Oak Road
 Winding Brook Way
 Wood Road
 Woodside Road
 Yarmouth (Southwyck)

SECTION 4

Aberdeen Road
 Allenby Lane
 Alton Way
 Argyll Court
 Arlington Court
 Ashbrook Drive
 Autumn Drive
 Balfour Lane
 Balmoral Lane
 Black Birch Road
 Blue Ridge Circle
 Bonus Hill Drive
 Brandywine Court
 Breezy Court
 Briarcliffe Drive
 Carri Farm Court
 Cherry Blossom Lane
 Chip-Lou Lane
 Clarks Lane
 Clinton Lane
 Clover Lane
 Clydesdale Road
 Colonial Drive
 Cooper Road
 Cushing Road
 Debra Court
 Ditzel Farm Road
 Donamy Glen
 Donsen Lane
 Dutch Lane
 Essex Road
 Eton Row
 Fenimore Drive
 Fields Lane
 Fox Court
 Fox Hill Lane
 Frances Lane
 Frank Street
 Gaycroft Drive
 Green Hickory Hill
 Greenbriar Lane
 Greensview Court
 Greensview Drive
 Greensview Lane
 Hacklorn Lane
 Heather Lane
 Herbert Road
 Heritage Lane
 Highlander Drive
 Huron Path
 Indian Run
 James Court
 Jason Court
 Jenna Court
 Judy Lane
 Julia Court
 Karen Court
 Kevin Road
 King Street
 Laurie Court
 Leland Avenue
 Lenape Way
 Locust Avenue
 Manitou Way
 Marion Lane
 Martine Avenue
 (West Side Only)
 Meadowlark Lane
 Michael Lane
 Mohawk Lane
 Morgan Way
 Nepawin Lane
 Northgate Road
 Oakwood Terrace
 Orchard Drive
 Overlook Way
 Pastime Place
 Penny Lane
 Pheasant Lane
 Rahway Road
 Ramapo Way
 Rambling Drive
 Raritan Road
 (Martine To Wright)
 Ravenswood Lane
 Robin Lane
 Sassafras Court
 Round Hill Road
 Scotchwood Glen
 Shirewood
 Short Hills Lane
 Sleepy Hollow Lane
 Stoneleigh Drive
 Sunnyfield Lane
 Swans Mill Lane
 Tanglewood Lane
 Tempe Court
 Terrill Road
 (South of Fanwood)
 Traveller Way
 Treeview Circle
 Unami Lane
 Wedgewood Way
 Wellington Downs
 Wheatly Court
 Wilshire Run
 Winchester Drive
 Woodland Avenue
 (From Plainfield to Edison - East Side Only)
 Wright Street

TOWNSHIP OF SCOTCH PLAINS RESIDENTIAL CLEANUP PROGRAM 2016 REGISTRATION APPLICATION

Please Print

Name _____

SECTION #1 #2 #3 #4

Address _____

Telephone No. (Day) _____

Telephone No. (Evening) _____

Approximate weights are listed to assist you in complying with the 750 lb. weight limit per permit.

Air Conditioner	100	Dryer	150	Sink (porcelain)	40
Bathtub (cast iron)	310	Freezer	200	Sofa	150
Chair (large stuffed)	75	Gas Barbeque Grill	70	Sofa Bed	200
Chair (small)	25	Hot Water Heater	150	Stove	200
Coffee Table	50	Lawn Mower	90	Table (large)	100
Desk (large)	100	Mattress (double)	60	Table (small)	30
Dishwasher	130	Microwave Oven	80	Tire	20
Door	25	Refrigerator (freon removed)	350	Toilet & Tank	90
Dresser (adult)	170	Rug (5x8)	50	Washing Machine	225
				Window	30

All materials must be at curbside by 7:00 a.m. on Monday of the week designated for your section, but not before the preceding Wednesday. There will be no vegetative waste, construction materials, regular household garbage, hazardous waste, flammable explosive waste, containers with excessive liquids, mandatory recyclable materials, and similar types of items included in the materials set at the curb for collection. There is a weight limitation of 750 lbs. of material. Any unauthorized material or materials that exceed the weight limitation as determined by designated officials and/or the contractors will be left at the curb and must be removed by the end of the collection day. Residents should report any illegal dumping activity by calling the Police Dept. at 322-7100.

The 2016 permit fee is determined by bid and exact cost is not available at press time. For exact cost please call (908) 322-6700, ext. 243 or 244. You can also check our website at www.scotchplainsnj.gov. The 2016 fee will also be posted on Scotch Plains TV when available. Payment by check payable to
Township of Scotch Plains, Dept. of Public Property, 2445 Plainfield Ave., Scotch Plains, NJ 07076
or by signing up on our Community Pass.

Process to Sign Up and Pay Online for Spring Cleanup Permit through Community Pass:

1. Log on to www.scotchplainsnj.gov, and click the link on the right-hand side "Community Pass".
2. Log in if you've already registered for Community Pass. (If you have and don't know your password, click the "Forgot Password").
3. If you're a New User, click the "Create a New Account" link and fill out all information.
4. When registering for Bulk Permit, select "Scotch Plains Municipal" in drop down menu, click Continue then select titled "2016 Bulk Permit" and click Register Now.
5. Complete Registration Form (including selecting your correct cleanup section, approximate cleanup weight, and payment method).

**THE DEADLINE FOR OBTAINING PERMITS IS ONE WEEK PRIOR
TO YOUR SECTION PICK-UP START DATE.**

PLACARD WILL BE MAILED TO YOU AND MUST BE DISPLAYED IN WINDOW TO BE VISIBLE FROM STREET.

THIS SECTION FOR DEPARTMENT USE ONLY

SECTION #1 #2 #3 #4

Permit # _____

Check # _____

Initials _____

ECRWSS EDDM
POSTAL CUSTOMER
SCOTCH PLAINS, NEW JERSEY 07076

S E R V I C E S & I N F O R M A T I O N F O R 2 0 1 6

HOW TO RECYCLE

Newspapers – Tie in bundles no higher than 10 inches, or place in paper bags.

Magazines, Catalogs, Junk Mail, Phone Books, Hardcover & Paperback Books, Mixed Paper – Tie in bundles or place in paper bags.

Corrugated Cardboard – Flattened and tied.

Household Dry-Cell Batteries – May be placed out with regular trash.

Co-Mingled Food and Beverage Containers – Glass, aluminum, tin and steel food and beverage containers and pourable plastic bottles may be mixed together, and should be placed in a rigid reusable container such as a crate, bucket, or garbage can. Full containers should not weigh more than 50 pounds or be greater than 20 gallons in size. No plastic bags.

- ❖ Contaminated, improperly prepared, or unacceptable materials will not be collected. Rinse food and beverage containers.
- ❖ Dispose of lids and caps. There is no need to remove labels. Flatten plastic containers to save space.
- ❖ Scotch Plains residents are permitted to use the Fanwood Recycling Center on North Avenue, if desired.
- ❖ Homeowners in Scotch Plains may “single stream” their recycling, which means both co-mingled material and paper material may be placed in one container.

Have items ready for pickup at the curb by 7:00 a.m. on your designated recycling day.

In the event that your materials were placed at the curb on time but were not collected, call: **RECYCLING HOTLINE: 1-800-216-2250.** (toll free number available 24 hours a day).

Questions about the recycling program? Call 322-6700, ext. 243 or 244.

Westfield Conservation Center



For Scotch Plains residents who wish to use the Westfield Conservation Center located on Lamberts Mill Road, Westfield a special annual fee is available for Scotch Plains residents. Call the Westfield Department of Public Works at 789-4100, ext. 600, for more details on obtaining and completing the application.