

# Automated Trash Collection

Trash must be bagged and placed in your cart with the **blue lid**.



Ceramic Dishes



Soiled Pizza Boxes, Clean Parts of Box ok in Recycling Cart



Broken Glass  
Package Carefully



Dried Out Latex Paint



Plastic Bags  
Please Recycle  
at Grocery Store



Disposable  
Dirty Diapers



Pet Waste

Plastic Utensils,  
Straws & Cups



Styrofoam

Bagged  
Trash

## Guidelines

Bag all trash.

Trash must be in cart to be collected.

Place curbside by 7:00 am, 2 feet from other carts and any obstructions with handle facing the house. Place carts at end of driveway, if possible.

Make more room in your cart by compacting your trash and recycling anything that is recyclable.

To move cart, tilt on wheels and roll. Pull the cart uphill and push downhill.

### REMEMBER:

Clean from time to time and open to air dry.

The carts are the property of ABC Disposal and must remain with the address.



### NOT ALLOWED IN TRASH CART (BLUE LID)

- Recyclables
- Hazardous Waste
- Oil-based Paint (dried out latex paint ok in trash)
- Yard Waste
- Construction Waste
- Batteries (alkaline ok in trash)
- Large Bulky Items
- Propane Tanks
- Compact Fluorescent Light Bulbs (CFLs)
- Whole Tires
- Computer Monitors
- Televisions







## MATTAPOISETT RESIDENTS

### New Automated Trash and Single Stream Recycling Program

Dear Mattapoisett Resident:

Please find detailed information in this brochure about the new automated trash and single stream recycling program that starts February 2nd, 2015.

#### Using Your New Carts



Place bagged trash in the cart with the blue lid.



Place loose bottles, cans, paper, and cardboard in the cart with the orange lid.

THIS PROGRAM WILL  
BE MONITORED FOR  
COMPLIANCE.

#### Setting Trash and Recycling at the Curb



Proper cart setout.



Please do not  
overfill carts.  
Lids must be fully closed.



Please do not place  
non-recyclable items in the recycling cart  
including plastic bags and  
styrofoam.

#### 3 IMPORTANT HELPFUL TIPS

- 1 Please do not use the carts early. They will not be emptied until the week of February 2, 2015.
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- 3 This includes placing recycling in the trash cart and placing trash in the recycling cart.

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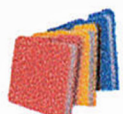
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# Single Stream Recycling

Place all loose recyclables together in your cart with the orange lid.

Please follow these guidelines carefully.



File Folders



Newspapers & Inserts



White or Pastel Office Paper



Phone Books



Magazines, Brochures & Catalogs



Junk Mail & Greeting Cards



Plastic Bottles, Jugs & Jars



Glass Bottles & Jars



Metal Cans



Empty Aerosol Cans



Clean Aluminum Foil & Pie Pans



Paper or Plastic Egg Cartons



Paperboard Boxes



Paper Beverage Cartons



Cardboard & Paper Bags



## NOT ALLOWED IN RECYCLING CART (ORANGE LID)

- Plastic bags or wrap
- Broken glass
- Hardcover books
- Scrap metal
- Soiled pizza boxes (clean parts of box ok)
- Plastic 6-pack holders
- Needles or syringes
- Plastic microwave trays
- Mirrors, ceramics or Pyrex®
- Light bulbs, plates or vases
- Drinking glasses, window glass
- Hazardous or medical waste
- Tissues, paper towels, napkins
- Waxed paper
- Stickers or sheets of address labels (affixed address labels and stamps ok)
- Styrofoam® containers and peanuts
- Clothes hangers
- Pots and pans



Plastic Bags  
Please Recycle  
at Grocery Store

## NO NEED TO REMOVE:

paper clips, stamps, address labels, staples, tape, wire, metal fasteners, rubber bands, spiral bindings, plastic tabs, plastic windows from envelopes



Please cut up and flatten all cardboard boxes.



Empty and rinse all containers.

Place shredded paper in paper bags or clear plastic bags.

Flatten plastic if possible.

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**IMPORTANT INFORMATION  
ABOUT THE NEW AUTOMATED  
COLLECTION PROGRAM.  
STARTS ON FEBRUARY 2, 2015.**

## Frequently Asked Questions

**What if one of my carts is damaged?**

The cart will be maintained at no cost to the resident except for damage due to negligence or abuse. Proper storage and care of the cart is the responsibility of the resident.

**What if I move?**

The carts stay with the Mattapoisett address. Each cart has an identification tag and serial number associated with the address.

**If I am moving or cleaning out the garage and have a lot of refuse to get rid of right away, where will I be able to dispose of it?**

This automated refuse program is not intended to provide this type of service.

  
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