

## SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

### **Q. What are the days and hours of operation?**

A. The Solid Waste Management Facility is open Tuesday - Saturday from 7am -3:45pm.  
(Extended summer hours April 1 - Sept. 30. Tuesday and Thursday 7am - 4:45pm)

### **Q. Where do I purchase a permit sticker for access to the Transfer Station and how much is a permit sticker?**

A. The Town Clerks office at Town Hall 225 Water St. and at the Solid Waste Management Facility. The cost is \$ 5.00 each.



### **Q. Do I need a permit sticker to bring recyclables to the Transfer Station?**

A. No. The Recycling Center will take recyclable material without a permit. The permit is needed to access the Transfer Station to discard household trash and other items.

### **Q. Does the Recycling Center take waste oil from my vehicle oil changes?**

A. **Yes.** Drop off your waste oil at the Recycling Center during business hours. Please see an attendant when you drop it off.

### **Q. What type of plastics will the Recycling Center accept?**

A. The Recycling Center will accept  and . Please look for these symbols on the



bottom of the containers, please put all other plastics in household trash.

### **Q. What type of glass will the Recycling Center accept?**

A. The Recycling Center will accept Clear, Brown or Green glass jars only. Please remove and discard the lids in household trash before you bring the jars to the Recycling Center.












### **Q. Where is the Skowhegan Solid Waste Management Facility located?**

A. The Facility is located at 29 Transfer Station Drive. If you travel north on Route 150 (North Avenue) take a left onto Steward Hill Road and take another left onto Transfer Station Drive.

### **Q. When is Household Hazardous Waste Day?**

A. The Solid Waste Management Facility holds their Household Hazardous Waste Day in October each year. Watch the calendar for the exact date!!!!!!

### **Q. What type of materials are recycled at the Solid Waste Management Facility?**

Reduce, Reuse, Recycle	Recyclable	Non-Recyclable	Special Requirements	Preparation
 <b>CARD BOARD</b>	Corrugated Cardboard Only	Waxed Boxes	Clean and Dry <b>Must</b> be Crushed and Broken Down.	Pieces larger than 30 inches must be cut down to 30 inches. <b>Empty all Boxes</b>
 <b>MIXED PAPER</b>	Paper Boxes (i.e....cereal, macaroni) Junk Mail (all unwanted mail) *Most any paper that can be found in a filing cabinet.	Tissue, Paper, Plates, Paper Towels and Paper Milk Cartons (i.e....Wax Coated)	Keep separate from other Recycle Paper	Stacked and tied in neat bundles, placed in paper shopping bags or as your hauler prefers
 <b>MAGAZINES</b>	All magazines and catalogues can be recycled		Clean and Dry	Stacked and tied in neat bundles, placed in paper shopping bags
 <b>NEWSPAPER</b>	Newspapers with original inserts Telephone Books		Clean and Dry	Stacked and tied in neat bundles, placed in paper shopping bags
 <b>TIN &amp; ALUMINUM CANS</b>	All Metal Cans Aluminum Foil, Pie Tins and Metal Jar Lids	Non Metal Containers (Cardboard Juice Cans)	Remove Top Lid of can and place inside Crushing Optional	Rinse Cans Clean Please
 <b>GLASS</b>	Green Glass Brown Glass Clear Glass (Jars Only)	No Drinking Glass, Window Pane Glass, Light Bulbs, Windshields	Metal Lids Recycled with Tin Cans. (plastic lids discarded)	Rinse, Clean and Separate by Color
 <b>PLASTICS</b>	Plastic Bottles & Jugs with these Symbols  	No other Plastic at this time. No automotive fluid plastic containers, <b>PLEASE</b>	<b>Crush Containers!</b> Lids and Rings should be removed and discarded, as they are made from a different type of plastic.	Rinse, Clean and Crush Containers <b>PLEASE</b>