

**TOWN OF OLD LYME
TRANSFER STATION FEE SCHEDULE**

The Transfer Station is located on Four Mile River Road, near Exit 71 of Route I-95. Free windshield stickers are available to Old Lyme taxpayers only (you must own property or register your vehicle in Old Lyme). Stickers allow entrance to the Transfer Station Recycling Area and can be obtained at the Selectman's Office in the Town Hall. You must present your vehicle registration to receive the sticker. The license plate number of the vehicle must match the license plate number on the sticker. **Please bring vehicle registration and proof of property ownership with you to request a sticker.** Call the Selectman's Office (860 434 1605, ext. 212) or the Transfer Station (860 434 2337) with questions.

The items listed on this sheet cannot be deposited in your automated trash or recycling cans

RECYCLING AREA

No fees for the following items (with windshield sticker):

*SINGLE STREAM RECYCLING ITEMS (see list on page 2)

* Waste Oil * Motor vehicle batteries *small appliances (no Freon)

* Covered and non-covered electronic devices (CEDs) including computers (personal computers, mainframes, mid-range computers, laptops); networking equipment (hubs, switches, control cards, etc.); computer monitors; televisions, printers; keyboards; mice; adaptors; stereos; speakers; VCRs; scanners, fax machines; copiers; telephones and telephone systems; computer wire and cable; computer drives and storage devices (floppy drives, CD ROMs, hard drives); power supplies; circuit boards; microwaves; scrap copper (cable, pipe, etc.), scrap aluminum; (machine and machine parts, cable extrusions, etc.); fluorescent light bulbs; UPS (uninterrupted power supply) batteries; and related computer and electronic equipment.

Fees for the following items:

Tires: Auto no rim \$3 each Auto w/rim \$4 each Light Truck \$5 each Heavy Truck/Race Car \$13 each
 Construction Equipment \$100 per tire *No Retail or Wholesale Tire Outlets*
 Box spring & mattress: \$15 per set Box spring or mattress \$8 per item
 Upholstered furniture: Large \$10 per item Small \$5 per item
 Carpet: 8x10+:\$10 per item 8x10 or less: \$5 per item Appliances with Freon: \$10 each
 Propane tanks: <20 pounds \$1 each 20 pounds (grill size) \$3 each >20 pounds \$20 each

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Bulky Waste and Demolition Debris

Vehicles will be charged by weight @ 5.5 cents per pound or \$110 per ton.

Loads of less than 100 lbs. will be charged a minimum fee of \$5

Recyclables should not be mixed in the same load with bulky waste or demolition debris

Brush & Grass

Brush will be charged on a per load basis. No wood or limbs thicker than 4" will be accepted.

Grass clippings are not accepted at the Transfer Station.

Brush & grass cannot be deposited in your automated trash or recycling cans

Please compost them on your property.

Leaves

No commercial leaf disposal is allowed; **Leaves cannot be deposited in your automated trash or recycling cans**

Minimum charge for leaf disposal is \$5 Pickup truck or small trailer charge is \$15

Larger vehicles/trailers - Charge determined by Town personnel

Resident must empty and remove paper or plastic bags Town personnel have final word on unique situations

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Curbside Single Stream Recycling Pick-up

Set your items out by 6 AM.

Regular and holiday schedules are available at www.shorelinesanitation.com.

Recycling is picked up *every other week*. Color coded calendars are available on the Town & Shoreline websites.

NO NEED TO SEPARATE FOR CURBSIDE PICK-UP ALL RECYCLABLES MUST BE CLEAN & EMPTY

YES

All plastics #1 to #7 Aluminum cans & foil Books (Hardcover & paperback) Cardboard (flattened) Catalogs
Colored paper Envelopes (window okay) File folders Glass (white, green, & brown)
Juice & milk cartons Junk mail Magazines & brochures Newspapers & inserts Paper bags
Boxes (cereal, egg cartons) Phone books Plastic milk & juice jugs Plastic soda & detergent bottles
Plastic buckets & crates Plastic flower pots & racks Pots & pans school/office papers Shredded paper

NO

Batteries Ceramics Electronics Light and Fluorescent bulbs Food waste (clean & empty containers only)
Hazardous waste Items in plastic bags Motor oil containers Needles or syringes
Pizza boxes Plastic bags (grocery & dry cleaning) Pyrex Shipping peanuts Styrofoam Trash Yard Waste

Hazardous Household Waste

Household Hazardous Waste: The River COG is carrying on almost ten years of recycling coordination and waste management. The [household hazardous waste collection site](#) is located on Dump Road in Essex at the Essex/Deep River border. Easiest access is via Route 9 at Exit 4. Access can also be gained coming from either the north or south on the Middlesex Turnpike as well. For information regarding RiverCOG's waste management activities, contact Janice Ehlemeyer at (860) 581-8554 or email her at jehlemeyer@rivercog.org

Medical Waste Disposal

- Keep the medication in its original container; Get a sharpie marker and cross out all of the info on the label; Find something that will pollute the medication (coffee grounds, sand, water etc) and add that to the medication. Put the container in the trash so that it can be destroyed with other waste.

The Connecticut *Department of Environmental Protection*, Bureau of Waste Management staff recommends that before disposing of used syringes in regular household trash, home users properly package them by:

- Placing syringes in rigid, puncture-resistant, opaque containers, such as bleach or liquid detergent bottles; and labeling the containers "Do Not Recycle" and "Sharps."
- Securely sealing the containers with heavy-duty tape. Staff recommends that individuals contact hospitals, clinics, pharmacies, or other facilities to find out if they collect packaged used syringes.

The Town of Old Lyme contracts with Shoreline Sanitation for curbside collection of household trash and single stream recycling. A blue automated trash container is provided for collection of household trash only ~ no yard waste, recycling, or hazardous waste of any kind may be placed in the blue container. A green automated container is provided for collection of single stream recycling only. Both containers are the property of the Town of Old Lyme and are assigned to a specific address. *Do not take them with you if you move!* You may purchase additional containers through the Selectman's Office. Visit www.oldlyme-ct.gov for additional information about the Transfer Station or Trash and Single Stream Recycling.

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