# 2020
MORRIS PLAINS RECYCLING SCHEDULE

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Place all recyclables at the curb the night before. If cancelled due to severe weather, there is no make-up schedule.

Place only **Acceptable Single-Stream Recyclables ("SSR")** at curbside the night before collection. If cancelled due to weather, there will be no makeup date. SSR’s may be mixed together except for shredded paper, which must be in clear or translucent tied plastic bags, and put on top of other recyclables. All items must be empty and free of food. Remove bottle/jar caps; put metal caps into recycling receptacle and put plastic caps into trash. No hardcover books, appliances, electronics, or scrap metal.

### Acceptable Single Stream Recyclables
- **Items must be free of food.**
- (No need to remove labels, tape, staples or cellophane windows)
- Aluminum & steel (tin) containers
- Foil pie plates - food containers/trays, empty aerosol cans
- Glass beverage & food bottles & jars
- Plastic bottles (except prescription bottles) & containers coded 1, 2, & 5
- Paper: newspaper, flattened cardboard, corrugated cartons, office paper, manila folders, paper bags, magazines/catalogues, frozen food boxes, cartons for juice, milk and soup/broth, 6-pack & 12-pack cartons, softcover books, phone books, wrapping paper, toilet tissue rolls

### Items that must be put into your home trash:
Water-based paint that has been solidified, Styrofoam, food waste, alkaline batteries, prescription bottles, loose-leaf binders, ceramics/dishware, window glass, mirrors, wood, mattresses

### Items to be disposed of at the MCMUA hazardous waste site or a commercial site that accepts them:
Motor oil, un-solidified oil-based paint, solvents, gasoline, antifreeze, tires, pesticides, herbicides, mercury-containing items (thermometers/thermostats), lead-acid batteries from cars, mowers, boats, lithium and rechargeable batteries, etc. (for information, call 973-829-8006, or log onto http://mcmua.com)

### Acceptable Materials at Reimer Recycling Center located at 263 Tabor Road
- Open Saturdays 8:00 a.m. until 12:00 noon
- Center will be closed May 23, 2020 & July 4, 2020

- Appliances: air conditioners, refrigerators, stoves, washers, dryers, etc. (put the item at curbside for Thursday trash pickup or take to Reimer Recycling Center and put item into the container for metal only. Set items that are too heavy to lift next to the metals container)
- Metal items: lawn chairs, storm window frames, lawn mowers, grills, weights, metal clothes hangers without paper, plumbing items, pipes, tools, hardware, nails, most metal items **except aluminum and steel (tin) cans**
- Electronics: computers, TV's, phones, games, holiday lights, small appliances, cable/wire, etc. (put into covered electronics container through the end gate/door)
- Used clothes: put into used clothes bins
- Flourescent bulbs: take to first shed
- Lead-acid batteries from cars, boats, mowers, motorcycles, etc., are not acceptable
- Large rigid plastic items coded 3(PVC), 4, 6 (Styrofoam), & 7 are not acceptable. Put large rigid plastics into the container marked for such items (plastic only)
- Gas and oil must be removed from all items before being brought to the center
BRUSH PICKUP SCHEDULE AND GUIDELINES
THE DATES FOR BRUSH PICKUP ARE AS FOLLOWS:
THE WEEK OF JANUARY 27th · FEBRUARY 24th · MARCH 30th · APRIL 27th
MAY 25th · JUNE 29th · JULY 27th · AUGUST 31st · SEPTEMBER 28th · JANUARY 25th, 2021
For a safer, cleaner street, put brush at curbside for pickup no earlier than 48 hours prior to scheduled pickup date.

To make BRUSH PICKUP more efficient, please do the following:

1) NO BRANCHES OR LIMBS MORE THAN 3 INCHES IN DIAMETER WILL BE PICKED UP.
Only branches, limbs and logs that can be chipped will be collected.

2) SMALL LIMBS AND TWIGS should be tied in 1-FOOT ROUND BUNDLES NO LONGER THAN 6 FEET.

3) ALL BRANCHES, LIMBS OR LOGS should be no longer than 6 feet, neatly stacked, all in one direction. No more than 3 inches in diameter is allowed.

4) VINES AND PRICKER BUSHES must be tied in BUNDLES.

5) STUMPS are to be free of DIRT AND DEBRIS.

6) NO LEAVES OR GRASS CLIPPINGS are allowed with BRUSH Pickup.

7) NO LUMBER, METAL, BUILDING MATERIAL OR FOREIGN DEBRIS are allowed.

REMINDER:
If you hire an OUTSIDE CONTRACTOR to cut down a tree, trim trees, bushes and/or provide landscaping, the Contractor is responsible for hauling it away, not the borough.

VIOLATIONS:
If Brush Pickup procedures are not followed, brush will not be picked up and a notice will be left describing the violation(s).

GRASS CLIPPINGS - April 1st, 2020 thru November 25th, 2020
The only material which should be put into the covered containers for Wednesday pickups is grass. Please: NO TWIGS, BRANCHES, LEAVES, STONES OR OTHER MATERIALS.

LEAF PICKUP - October 19th to December 3rd, 2020
No grass, sticks, vines or stones in leaves. Rake leaves to curbside. DO NOT PUT LEAVES INTO BAGS. Do Not put leaves within 10 feet of any storm drain.

CHRISTMAS TREE PICKUP - January 2nd thru 19th, 2021
No brush will be picked up. No plastic bags, nails wire or ornaments are to be left on trees.

Thank you for your cooperation
Department of Public Works - (973) 538-4494

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