

Let's Talk Trash!

Convenience Center Sites:

1. Highway 16 South (632-8899)
2. Bethlehem (632-8587)
3. Ellendale (632-0940)
4. Hiddenite/Stony Point (704-585-2021)
5. Sugar Loaf (632-1591)
6. Vashti (635-1814)

Convenience Center Hours:

Monday, Wednesday, Friday,
10 am to 5 pm
Saturday
9 am to 4 pm

Centers Closed On:

Tuesday, Thursday, Sunday

For questions about garbage disposal and recycling contact:

Alexander County Director
Josh Mitchell, 632-1101

Alexander County Landfill:

Open Monday - Friday
8 am to 4 pm
Saturday 8 am - 12 Noon
632-9467

Educational Resources
NC Cooperative Extension
Alexander County Center
632-4451



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Tipping Fee

ATTENTION

The tipping fees at all Convenience Centers are as follows:

Effective August 1, 2015

Based on 30 gallon bags

Residential Garbage = \$1.00 per bag

Recyclables = **FREE OF CHARGE**

***BAGGED RESIDENTIAL
HOUSEHOLD WASTE ONLY**

***LOADS LARGER THAN A TRUCK
BED WILL BE DIRECTED TO THE
LANDFILL**

***UNACCEPTABLE ITEMS INCLUDE: HAZARDOUS
WASTE, YARD WASTE, DEAD ANIMALS, WHITE
GOODS, TIRES, LIQUID WASTE, FURNITURE,
MATTRESSES OR CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS.**



YOU MAKE  A DIFFERENCE



ALEXANDER
COUNTY
RECYCLES

It's easy!

What To Recycle:

@ Convenience Centers

Items below now go in the same container!!
No Sorting!!

Glass

Acceptable: All clean food and beverage containers.

Preparation: Rinse out and remove lids, paper labels do not need to be removed.

Unacceptable: Light bulbs, plate glass, or any glass that is not a food or beverage container. No material with any food waste on it.

Aluminum/Metal Cans

Acceptable: Beverage and food cans, pie pans, and aluminum foil.

Preparation: Rinse out. Paper labels do not need to be removed.

Unacceptable: Any material with food waste or contaminants on it.

Newspaper, Magazines, Mixed Paper, Paperboard

Acceptable: All types of paper including computer paper, mixed colored paper, envelopes, wrapping paper, phonebooks, magazines, newspaper & inserts, cereal boxes, food boxes, shoe boxes, gift boxes, etc.

Unacceptable: Slick FAX paper, and foil wrapping paper. No material with any food waste on it.

Plastics

Acceptable: All Plastic Bottles/Containers #1-#7 and plastic grocery bags.

Preparation: Remove lids, rinse out and crush! Please secure plastic bags in a bag to prevent litter.

Unacceptable: Any material with food waste or contaminants on it.

Corrugated Cardboard

Must be kept separate from other recyclables

Acceptable: All corrugated cardboard including shipping boxes, moving boxes, clean pizza boxes, etc.

Preparation: Breakdown boxes/flatten, saves space!

Unacceptable: Any material with food waste or contaminants on it.

Light Bulbs

All unbroken fluorescent bulbs and compact fluorescent lights (CFL's). Please leave with electronics.

Incandescent light bulbs still go in the regular trash.

Electronics

Acceptable: All computer equipment, microwaves, household & car batteries, toasters, telephones, radios, VCRs, DVD players, and anything else that plugs in.

Televisions no larger than a computer monitor are accepted at the convenience center.

Pesticide Containers

Containers must be **empty, clean, and dry**. Containers must be Triple-rinsed as soon as it is emptied.

Convenience centers will not accept any containers that are not clean or have liquid in them. Labels may be left on the container, discard the cap in the trash.

Petroleum Products

Acceptable: Motor oil, hydraulic oil, and transmission fluid (no more than 5 gallons per visit). Oil filters are now recycled at the convenience centers.

Preparation: In clean plastic or metal container.

Unacceptable: Solvents, gasoline, antifreeze, paint, and chemicals.

Used Cooking Oil

Must be in a sealed container and left with electronics at convenience center. Anything over a five gallon container must go directly to the landfill for recycling.

@ Landfill

Motor Oil/Oil Filters

* No Charge * Filters Must Be Drained

Car Batteries

* No Charge

Antifreeze

* No Charge

Tires

* Over 5 Tires, Contact the Landfill - 632-9467

Yard Waste

* Leaves & Grass - No Charge

* Brush - \$25/Ton

* Pallets, & Unpainted/Untreated Wood -\$25/ton

White Goods/Scrap Metal

*Refrigerators, Washers, Dryers, Ovens, Freezers, Water Heaters, Air Conditioner Units, & Scrap Metal

* No Charge

Electronics

*All computer equipment, microwaves, household batteries, toasters, telephones, televisions, radios, VCRs, DVD players, and anything else that plugs in. *No Charge

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Used Cooking Oil

* No charge - May be dropped off at the landfill or convenience centers. Must be in a sealed container.

