

BOROUGH OF MIDDLETOWN
BULK TRASH DROP OFF POLICY
October 20, 2020

In an effort to prevent the accumulation of waste in our alleys, backyards, roadside and other public areas, the Borough of Middletown has established a citizen bulk-item drop off center at Fisher Avenue and Pike Streets.

Residents within Borough limits may access the drop off center to dispose of bulk trash items by purchasing a permit and scheduling a drop off time with Borough staff. Drop off times are Mondays 7:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. and Thursdays 12:30 p.m. to 2:30 pm. A pick-up truck is the largest truck permitted. Contractors not permitted. Ticket holder is responsible for disposing waste in the designated area.

Permits can be purchased at the Borough Administrative Building during normal office hours (Monday thru Friday, 8 AM - 4 PM). Fees are set by Resolution.

What is bulk trash?

Some rules-of-thumb that bulk trash is:

- an item that doesn't fit in a trash can or trash bag
- a single large item from home remodeling (examples: a door, a cabinet)
- large non-metal items like furniture, carpet, and mattresses

We accept these general item types as bulk trash. If you have an item to be collected that is not on this list, please call (717) 902-0706.

- Non-metal furniture (sofas, bookcases, etc.)
- Rugs and carpet (please roll and tie)
- Mattresses and box springs
- Large non-metal toys
- Mirrors or glass table tops that have been covered with newspaper and taped to prevent breakage
- Bathroom fixtures (non-metal tubs, sinks, toilets)
- Single items from minor home repair (wood door, bathroom vanity). We do not collect items generated from major home remodeling, demolition or construction.
- Plastic trash cans

What items are not accepted as bulk trash?

- Tires
- Paint
- Refrigerators/Freezers
- Air conditioners
- Household garbage
- Recyclable Electronics including TVs
- Hazardous Waste

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- Clean fill (includes but may not be limited to asphalt, concrete, stone or dirt)
- [Propane tanks](#)
- Uncovered glass mirrors/table tops
- Pianos
- Human or [animal fecal or uriferous matter](#); infectious waste; [dead animals](#)
- Large items that will not fit in the dumpster or pose a safety hazard to our collectors

Have more questions about collection and disposal of bulk trash?

Call the Borough of Middletown Public Works Department at 717-902-0706.