

Richmond Transfer Station

150 Lincoln Street

****Single Stream Recycling Available****

(Richmond Residents Only)

Universal Waste Accepted Here

➤ Open every Saturday

- Hours: 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM

➤ Open every Wednesday

- Summer Hours: 12:00 PM to 6:00 PM (May-Oct)
- Winter Hours: 12:00 PM to 4:00 PM (Nov-April)

REGULATIONS

Only Richmond & Dresden residents & Town of Richmond employees may use the Transfer Station. **"Transfer Station Stickers" must be obtained annually Residents \$10.00/1st, \$2.00/additional per household, Non-Residents \$15.00/1st, \$2.00/additional per household, Commercial \$30.00.** Stickers may be purchased at the transfer station or during regular business hours at the Town Office & placed in plain view on your vehicle's windshield. All fees listed in this handout are subject to change without notice.

It is a violation of Town Ordinance to deposit items in or near the transfer station during non-operating hours without the prior approval of the Town Manager or his/her agent. **All items deposited in the Transfer Station become the property of the Town of Richmond and cannot be removed without prior approval of the Richmond Board of Selectmen.** Town of Richmond employees who are assigned as Transfer Station supervisors have the final authority to accept or reject items brought to the Transfer Station.

Only the following items will be accepted at the Transfer Station during the posted hours of operation:

1. **Acceptable Types of Waste:**

Wood waste – Processed wood, chipboard, plywood, wood furniture, lightly painted wood, clean demo wood, and fiberboard. Nails, screws and staples are acceptable. Heavy door hinges, doorknobs, etc. must be removed prior to acceptance. This material shall be ground on site before transport to a properly licensed bio-mass fuel plant. (no charge)

Brush and virgin wood – No stumps, grubbing's, metal, paint, glues, etc. accepted. This may also be sold to bio-mass plants. (no charge)

White goods – Acceptable white goods are stoves, washers & dryers, dish washers, hot water tanks, air conditioners, refrigerators, freezers, etc. Freon and other refrigerant gasses will be removed from refrigerators and freezers by a licensed contractor prior to their shipment off site. Doors must be removed from refrigerators and freezers before they can be unloaded at the facility. They shall be stored upright until the gasses have been removed. (Refrigerators, Freezers, Air Conditioners & Dehumidifiers - \$11; others no charge)

Metal goods – Bikes, metal doors, window frames (with all glass removed), metal pipes, tools, misc. scrap metal. All non-metallic materials shall be removed to extent possible. Oil and gas tanks and 55-gallon drums acceptable only if entirely dry, ventilated and cut open or otherwise made so they can't hold any liquids. Old metal paint cans acceptable only if entirely empty of all liquids and crushed. Old lawn mowers and similar equipment acceptable only if all oil, gas and other fluids have been drained and plugs have been removed. VCR's, radios, microwaves & tape decks can be thrown in the metal pile. (no charge) (no wire – put chicken fencing in the Bulky Waste pile)

Brick, cured concrete & rock – Drop off at the Public Works Garage @ 19 High Street (no charge)

Bulky waste – Mattresses, couches, chairs, sofa beds, love seats, plastics (pipes, yard toys, siding, gutters, carpets/pads, fiberglass tubs/showers, truck caps, wire (chicken and/or fencing wire). Heavily painted wood, formica, plastic sheeting, blue tarps, etc. (price list p.3)

Tires – Passenger vehicle and similar sizes. No skidder or tractor tires accepted. Those with rims shall be stored separately from those without rims. (price list p.3)

TV's, computers & monitors – Accepted (price list p.3)

Fluorescent light bulbs, PCB ballasts, mercury switches, mercury thermometers, other mercury containing products – Accepted (price list p.3)

2. **Single Sort Recycling** – See attached flyer (Richmond Residents Only)

3. **Unacceptable Wastes:** Unacceptable wastes are materials which would impair or disrupt transfer station operations or which are prohibited by State regulations from being accepted at the transfer station. The following are unacceptable wastes:

Waste oil – Wilbur Gilpatrick (259 Langdon Road, 737-2090), Bob's Auto (172 Alexander Reed Road, 737-8034) and at the Dresden Recycling Center (Small Amounts 737-4758).

Car Batteries – The Town does not accept.

Paint – The Town does not accept oil based paints. Water based paint, just put cat litter or speedy dry in can and mix then let set until hard, then throw in your regular household trash. Ames True Value (447 Bath Road, Wiscasset 882-7710) and Sherwin Williams (179 Pleasant St, Brunswick 729-0141) will accept used cans of paint (please call first, there may be limits).

Demolition debris – Mixed building materials, shingles, sheetrock, glass, insulation. Call a licensed private hauler or contact Grimmel's @ 729-1691 or MMWAC @ 783-8805.

Household hazardous wastes – Small quantities of some products are allowed mixed in with your general household waste handled by your licensed private hauler.

Junked and abandoned auto – All junked automobiles and/or scrap auto parts shall only be transferred to a municipal licensed junkyard/recycling facility.

Asbestos and asbestos containing wastes – Even homeowners may not remove or otherwise handle these products, including rigid asbestos transite siding/shingles. It's important that you call the Richmond Code Enforcement (737-4305x.205) for info. on required DEP approval before removal.

Household Solid Waste not otherwise permitted – Richmond residents must make their own arrangements with a private hauler licensed to do business in Richmond. **Kevin Smith** (737-8470), **Kelley Bros (formerly D & PJ)** (242-8814), **Pine Tree Waste** (442-7141 x102), **Riverside Disposal** (623-2577), **Waste Management** (800-834-2080),

Not accepted: Contaminated soil, any kind of liquid waste, sewage treatment plant, paper mill or tannery waste, dredge soils, dead animals, medical and other potentially infectious or pathogenic waste, sand blasting grit, septage, industrial process wastes, ashes (hot or cold)

4. **Price List**

Bulky Goods: Prices listed are "per item". Only those items listed below may be accepted:

a.	Sofa Beds/Couches	15.00
b.	Love Seats/Recliners/Chairs	10.00
c.	Mattress or Box Spring (any size)	10.00
d.	Auto Bucket Seat	10.00
e.	Auto Bench Seat	15.00
f.	Rugs & Pads (depending on size)	10.00 - 20.00
g.	Fiberglass - Truck Caps, Tubs & Showers	20.00
h.	Misc. (plastic yard toys, etc) (per piece - based on volume or weight)	3.00 - 15.00
i.	Pressure Treated Wood (up to 10 lbs. total weight)	5.00
	(for a pickup truck full - up to 200 lbs.)	up to 25.00
j.	Porcelain – Sinks, Toilet Bowls (with tanks)	5.00 (7.00)
k.	Wire (chicken, fencing)	4.00 - 10.00

Refrigerators, Freezers, Air Conditioners & Dehumidifiers 11.00

Tires -- with rims (add \$1.00 per tire)

a.	15" 16" or smaller	3.00
b.	15+" to 16.5"	4.00
c.	16.5+" or larger (skidder & tractor tires not accepted)	6.00

Empty Gas Tanks

a.	Automobile Gas Tanks	10.00 & up
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Universal Waste

a.	Monitors & TV's	3.00
b.	Console TV's, Floor Model copiers, printers	5.00
c.	Desktop (Printers, copiers, fax machines, scanners, battery backup systems)	2.00
d.	Computers (Processing towers & units), Laptops	1.00
e.	Computer peripherals (keyboards, mouse, speakers, etc.)	.25
f.	Fluorescent bulbs (straight), 2' & 4' (8')	.25 (.50)
g.	Crushed lamps	1.00 lb
h.	U-Lamps, Circles & Compacts (HID Lamps)	.50 (1.00)
i.	Ballasts	.25
j.	Capacitors – any size	.50 lb
k.	Mercury Devices (including the weight of the container)	2.00 lb

Remember, your trash is your responsibility. Illegal dumping of rubbish or any other solid or bulky waste is against the law & requires your neighbor to pick up the cleaning bill for you!!