

Richmond Holding Area

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 & Pittston residents & employees of the Town of Richmond may use the Holding Area. **"Dump Stickers" must be obtained annually Residents \$10.00/1st & \$2.00/2nd, Non-Resident \$15.00/1st & \$2.00/2nd, Commercial \$30.00.** Stickers may be purchased at the holding area 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 Holding Area during non-operating hours without the prior approval of the Town Manager or his/her agent. **All items deposited in the Holding Area 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 Holding Area supervisors have the final authority to accept or reject items brought to the Holding Area.

Only the following items will be accepted at the Holding Area 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 – chicken fencing needs to be put in the Demolition Debris pile)

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

Demolition Debris – 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 Holding Area operations or which are prohibited by State regulations from being accepted at the holding area. The following are unacceptable wastes:

Waste oil – Accepted at the Dresden Recycling Center or another State licensed waste oil burner.

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.

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 – Note: Even as a homeowner, you may not remove or otherwise handle these products, including rigid asbestos transite siding/shingles. It is very important that you contact the Town Code Enforcement Officer (737-4305 ext. 205) for information on required State Department of Environmental Protection 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. **D&PJ** (582-5237), **Kevin Smith** (737-8470), **Waste Management** (800-834-2080), **Pine Tree Waste** (442-7141 x102), **Riverside Disposal** (623-2577).

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" 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!!