

# Swampscott 2017 Calendar

## TRASH REGULATION

Republic Services  
Contact us:  
[www.republicservices.com](http://www.republicservices.com)  
(800) 222-5158

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Christmas tree collection will  
be on the weeks of  
1/9/17 and 2/6/17

No ornaments, plastic bags, stand, etc.

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**HIGHLIGHTED = LEAF &  
GRASS COLLECTIONS**

○ = HOLIDAY

Visit the  
Health Department webpage  
[www.town.swampscott.ma.us](http://www.town.swampscott.ma.us)

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**ALL RECYCLING SHALL BE CONTAINED INSIDE BIN/BARREL  
(ALL CARDBOARD MUST BE FLATTENED & REDUCED TO FIT 3' X 3' SIZE)**

- Households are allowed 2 barrels or bags of trash per week.
- Residents are reminded to use 2 barrels no larger than 35 gallons or 2 trash bags of similar size.
- One single large barrel or toter up to 65 gallons may be substituted for the two 35 gallon barrels, all trash must be in TRASH BAGS inside larger barrels.
- For those needing additional trash capacity, \$2 over-throw stickers may be purchased at the Health Department and placed on individual bags of trash.

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Blue recycle bins (24 gallons) \$12  
Trash over-throw stickers \$2

Available at the Health Department

**YARD WASTE - PICK UP SCHEDULE** - For the weeks of Feb. 6, April 24, June 5, August 7, September 11, October 16, November 13, December 11, put yard waste out on your regular trash day in paper leaf bags or uncovered labeled barrels. No plastic bags, stumps, soil or rocks. No branches over 1" in diameter.

**METAL DROP OFF** - Call the Health Department for more information.

### COLLECTION SCHEDULE

Recycling is collected every week on your regular trash collection day.

### HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

Whenever a scheduled collection day falls on an indicated holiday, that day's collection and all remaining collections for the week will be delayed one day. Friday's collection will be on Saturday. Holidays are circled on the calendar.

### MISSED COLLECTION

Contact the Health Department 781-596-8864 or Republic Services Customer Resource Center (800) 222-5158 within 24 hours



## Swampscott Recycles



### MATERIAL

#### PAPER



"If it rips,  
recycle it!"

- Newspaper/inserts
- Magazines, catalogs, junk mail, glossy paper, high-grade paper, paper bags and phone books
- Corrugated cardboard
- Food and tissue boxes, clean pizza boxes
- Soft & hard cover books with cover removed

### WHAT TO RECYCLE

- Place paper/cardboard in bin
- Flatten boxes. Reduce to 3' x 3' size.
- Tie or tape multiple flattened boxes together and place on top of or under bin

### DO NOT INCLUDE

- No cereal box liners
- No soiled paper
- No greasy pizza boxes
- No aseptic juice boxes
- No waxed containers
- MAKE SURE RECYCLE BIN IS CLEARLY LABELED**

### GLASS



- Bottles and jars (all colors and sizes)

- Rinse
- Lids, neck rings, collars, corks, lead wine bottle sleeves etc. may be left on
- Labels may stay on

- No light bulbs, window glass, dishes, glasses, mirrors or other glass items
- No broken glass

### METAL



- Beverage cans
- Metal food cans
- Aluminum trays and foil (clean)
- Empty aerosol cans

- Rinse
- May flatten
- Labels may stay on

- No paint cans
- No other metal items
- No coat hangers

### PLASTIC



- Plastic containers marked with numbers

- Rinse
- Lids, caps and neck rings may be left on

- No plastic bags**
- No unmarked plastic
- No motor oil containers
- No Styrofoam**

1 thru 7

### MERCURY RECOVERY PROGRAM

Bring fluorescent bulbs (compact and shop), rechargeable batteries less than 2 lbs, mercury switches, thermostats and thermometers to the Health Department.