

USING THE TRANSFER STATION

Only residents of Killingworth may use the Transfer Station, and only for private household waste. Do not bring waste generated by a commercial enterprise.

To bring your trash to the Transfer Station, you must display a current town sticker on your vehicle's windshield. A sticker is good for only one vehicle. Each household is entitled to stickers for two vehicles.

Stickers are available at the

- Tax Collector's Office, Town Hall, during regular business hours. Bring current registration for each vehicle.
- The Transfer Station office, during normal hours of operation. Bring current registration for each vehicle.

To obtain stickers, you must fill out a registration form and present your vehicle registration. The form is available online at www.townofkillingworth.com/transfer-station; to save time, print it out and bring it with you.

When you sell your vehicle, be sure to remove the town sticker. Even if the new owner lives in Killingworth, a new sticker will be required.

Remember, through our taxes we pay for each pound of trash we dispose of; when nonresidents use our transfer station, we are paying for their free ride.

KEEP KILLINGWORTH CLEAN, GREEN, AND IN THE BLACK

Killingworth pays by the ton for solid waste disposal, but we get paid a small amount for every ton of recyclables. So, the more we recycle, the lower our taxes.

Scavenging is not permitted, except in the designated area nearest the exit.

The following items can be recycled:

- Plastic bags can be brought back to most supermarkets; better yet, bring reusable bags when you shop.
- Paint in containers with labels – both latex and oil-based – should be brought to a PaintCare drop-off location such as Killingworth True Value.
- Used books can be donated to the Killingworth Library.
- Old eyeglasses are collected by the Lions Club in boxes around town.
- **NEW!** FOOD SCRAPS will be converted to compost. Bring yours in BPI-certified compostable (not biodegradable) bags.
- **NEW!** TEXTILES including Footwear, Clothing, Accessories, Linens, Stuffed Animals. In any condition - bring clean and dry in a closed bag.



Killingworth Transfer Station

HOURS

Tuesdays, 2 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.
Thursdays, 2 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.
Saturdays, 8 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

LOCATION

Recycle Way, off Route 81
(just north of the library,
behind Rocco Reale Field)

2026

SOLID WASTE

Household trash, including soiled newspapers, pizza boxes, styrofoam packing material, and plastic bags.

HAZARDOUS WASTE for 2026

Household hazardous waste (HHW) — mercury thermometers, pesticides, and pool chemicals should be brought to the following collection sites, 9a-1p, on these dates:

Apr 11: 117 Nod Rd, Clinton

May 16: 20 Gildersleeve Dr, East Hampton

June 20: 49 Lyme St, Old Lyme

July 11: 30 Woodside Rd, Cromwell

Aug 8: 206 Winthrop Rd (Rte. 80), Deep River

Aug 22: 10 Wesleyan Hills Rd, Middletown

Oct 10: 272 Saybrook Rd, Higganum

SHREDDING EVENTS for 2026

Selected Saturdays from 9a-12p. For more information call RiverCOG at 860-581-8554.

April 25: 20 Gildersleeve Dr, East Hampton

May 23: 866 Boston Post Rd, Westbrook

Sept 19: 405 Main St, Middlefield

Oct 3: 11 Kirtland Terrace, Chester

E-Waste: Residential electronics, including televisions, computers, monitors, and printers, may be recycled in a container at the Transfer Station. Please wipe out personal information or destroy your hard drive before you deposit it. If you have commercial e-waste, see the Transfer Station Supervisor before you deposit the items.

RECYCLING

Paper and Cardboard: No plastic bags, shredded paper. Acceptable items:

- Clean newspaper
- Corrugated cardboard, including printed or shiny
- Boxboard, such as cereal and cracker boxes; remove cellophane windows.
- Paper egg cartons
- Junk mail; Remove cellophane windows
- Magazines and catalogs
- Books, including paperback, hardcover, and phone books.

Aluminum, Glass, and Plastic: *Rinse all containers before disposal; remove caps. No need to remove labels.*

- Plastics #1- #7, up to 3 gallons.
NO: Toys, flowerpots, or bags.
- Glass bottles and jars of any color.
NO: Light bulbs or drinking glasses.
- Aluminum and tin cans, including empty (nontoxic) aerosol cans and foil food trays. **NO:** Pots and pans
- Waxed paper cartons, such as milk and juice cartons
- Aseptic containers, such as milk and juice boxes (remove caps and straws)
- Containers from personal hygiene products

SPECIAL

Antifreeze: Clean (not mixed with motor oil)

Appliances containing Freon:

Including refrigerators, freezers, air conditioners, and dehumidifiers

Batteries: Household batteries should go in the electronics container.

Brush: Up to 3” in diameter. No stumps, leaves, logs, or wood chips.

Bulky Waste: Large items such as furniture, mattresses and box springs, and large toys go in the bulky waste bin; no electronics.

Demolition Materials: Asphalt, concrete, tile, brick, etc. go behind the scrap metal bin. No stones or dirt. Limited amounts of lumber, wallboard, and other large building materials may be discarded at the town garage. Call 860-663-1765 to arrange.

Scrap Metal: Items that are mainly metal, such as bike and bed frames, file cabinets, and appliances that do not contain Freon or electronics.

Tires: Car tires only; no truck tires.

Waste Oil: Used motor oil, #2 fuel oil, kerosene, diesel fuel oil, strained cooking oil, and power-steering fluid. Speak with attendant before depositing.