PROVINCETOWN BOARD OF HEALTH
PART VI

ARTICLE 4

# RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR THE USE AND OPERATION OF THE PROVINCETOWN TRANSFER STATION/RECYCLING CENTER

Acting under the authority of Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 111, Sections 31 and 31B, the following rules and regulations shall apply to all users of the Provincetown Transfer Station/Recycling Center.

1. From 1st of May through first of October: 7 days per week 7:00 am to 2:00 pm
   From 1st of Oct. through end of April: Tuesday through Saturday 7:00 am to 2:00 pm
   Holiday hours from 7:00 am to 10:30 am

NOTE: Because the dates vary from year to year the date will be published in a local newspaper giving the new seasonal operating hours. However, the seasonal operating hours and days change occurs approximately 1st of May and first of October.

## B: Residential/Commercial Requirements for use of Transfer Station/Recycling Center.

1. All trash, recyclables and brush must be generated from within the Town of Provincetown.
2. All loads must be properly covered and secured.
3. All users must be:
a. A Provincetown property owner or resident
b. A Provincetown business with a valid permit from the Provincetown Health Department.
c. A Commercial Refuse Hauler properly permitted by the Provincetown Health Department.
d. Provincetown vehicles and vehicles under contract by the Town.
e. Vehicles not from town must show proof of residency which is your name and address on your license and registration (same requirement used by the Parking Dept to establish residency).
f. Permitted Federal Government vehicles.

## D. Acceptable Materials: See Article 5 for Fee Structure

1. Household and Commercial Trash.
2. Household and Commercial Recyclable Items
a. Cardboard flattened (unwaxed)
b. Newspaper
c. Metal and Steel Cans- cleaned
d. Glass bottles and jars-cleaned, no aluminum or Styrofoam labels.
e. Plastic #1 through #7.
f. Grass & leaves from a home owner
g. Large Metal pieces

h. Appliances [see E.11 for limitations]
i. Clean wood (only up to 2 barrels per resident)
j. Brush [4” maximum caliper]
k. Mixed paper including glossy inserts & junk mail.
l. CRT containing items (TV’s, Computers)
m. Styrofoam Peanuts
n. Tires (additional Fee)

## E. Prohibited Materials:

1. Demolition/Construction Materials, to include sheet rock.
2. Mattresses/Box Springs/Carpeting
3. Furniture
4. Fill Material, to include soil, stumps, bricks, concrete, rock and sand.
5. Automobile parts and bodies.
6. Gasoline Cans
7. Asbestos
8. Liquid and Semi-Solid Wastes
9. Hazardous wastes, to include paint, solvents, oil, gasoline, pesticides and insecticides, explosives, chemicals, hot ashes or other volatile materials.
10. Radioactive, nuclear, and infectious wastes, to include needles and syringes.
11. No CFC (freon) containing white goods, unless certified by an appliance dealer that all freon has been removed.

ALL OF THESE RULES AND REGULATIONS ARE MADE BY THE BOARD OF HEALTH AND ARE ENFORCED BY THE TRANSFER STATION EMPLOYEES. IF THERE IS A COMPLAINT WITH THESE RULES AND REGULATIONS, TO INCLUDE FEES, IT MUST BE BROUGHT BEFORE THE BOARD OF HEALTH. THE TRANSFER STATION EMPLOYEES ALSO HAVE THE RIGHT TO BRING TO THE BOARD OF HEALTH ANY UNNECESSARY VERBAL OR PHYSICAL ABUSE BY ANY USER OF THE TRANSFER STATION. ANY ACTION WILL BE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH.

ARTICLE 5

# SOLID WASTE FEES FOR THE USE OF THE PROVINCETOWN TRANSFER STATION/RECYCLING CENTER

Acting under the authority of Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 111, Sections 31 and 31A, the Provincetown Board of Health adopts the following Solid Waste Fees for the use of the Provincetown Transfer Station/Recycling Center.

A. SOLID WASTE FEES

1. Residents:

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| a. Annual sticker | No Fee |
| b. Household Trash in car | Resident property owners/taxpayers where curbside pick-up IS NOT available may drop off two barrels (4 standard bags) at no charge. Excess beyond two barrels (or 4 standard bags): $2.00 per small bag and $4.00 per large bag.<br><br>Resident property owners/taxpayers where curbside pick-up IS available: $2.00 per small bag and $4.00 per large bag. |
| c. Pick-up Truck Residential Plates | Same as a & b |
| d. Grass and leaves only (household) | $ 0 |
| e. Pick-up Truck with Commercial Plates | See New Rates Below |
| f. Brush-auto or pick-up trucks | $10.00 per load |
| g. Large Appliances (no freon appliances) | $20.00 each |
| h. Clean Wood Waste (no nails, paint, treatment, stained) | $20.00 per load |
| i. Miscellaneous Metals | $40. Per ton ($5.00 minimum charge) |

2. Residential Senior Citizens

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| a. Annual Sticker<br>1) Must be at least 59 years of age at time of purchasing sticker, must have driver's license and registration with a Provincetown address | No Fee |

3.Business

Self Hauling – to include Guest Houses, Motels, Hotels, Camps, cabins, Lodging, Inns, Time Share Units and Camp Grounds.

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| a. Annual sticker | $50. Per Year Each Vehicle |
| b. Business trash in car | $4.00 per bag |
| c. Business trash in pick-up | $4.00 per bag |
| i. Grass, leaves, brush in car or Pick-up | $14.00 per load |

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| j. Grass, leaves, brush high-side Pick-up | $22.00 per load |
| k. Grass, leaves, brush in 1-ton dump truck | $44.00 per load |
| f. Large Appliances | $20.00 each |
| g. Miscellaneous Metals | $40. Per ton ($5.00 minimum charge) |

3. Commercial Haulers

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| a. Annual permits w/ Sticker | $250.00 per year |
| b. Pick-up Truck | $ 143.60 per ton or $.07180 per lb |
| c. Pick-up Truck High Sides | $ 143.60 per ton or $.07180 per lb |
| d. Packer 4 yard | $ 143.60 per ton or $.07180 per lb |
| e. Packer 6 yard | $ 143.60 per ton or $.07180 per lb |
| f. Packer 7 yard | $ 143.60 per ton or $.07180 per lb |
| g. Packer 8 yard | $ 143.60 per ton or $.07180 per lb |
| g. Packer 16 yard | $ 143.60 per ton or $.07180 per lb |
| h. Packer 18 yard | $ 143.60 per ton or $.07180 per lb |
| i. Packer 20 yard | $ 143.60 per ton or $.07180 per lb |
| j. Grass, leaves brush in pick-up | $ 28.00 per load |
| n. Grass, leaves, brush in high-side Pick-up | $ 36.00 per load |
| l. Grass, leaves, brush in Dump Truck | $ 58.00 per load |
| m. Commercial Appliances | $ 30.00 each |
| n. Metals $ 40.00 per ton | ($5.00 minimum) |
| o. Fuel Tanks (maximum capacity 300 gallons) | $20.00 each |

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| 4. Non Profit Organizations: | |
| a. Annual Sticker (after Licensing has Proof of Non- Profit Eligibility). | No Fee |
| b. Charge on all Refuse | No Charge |
| c. Will be weighed | No Charge |

B. All Loads are to be considered full loads.

C. The decision of the Transfer Station Attendant is final

D. Any complaints will have to be put in writing to the Health Agent and will be brought before the Board of Health for determination.

E. All complaints must be in writing with all information filled in, to include; your name, address, phone number, explanation of incident, and parties involved. You may pick up a complaint for at any town office.