

PART VI

ARTICLE 5 - Solid Waste Fees

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A. Solid Waste Fees

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:

1. Residents	
a. Annual sticker	No Fee
b. Household Trash in car ¹	\$2.00 per small bag \$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 in a car or pick-up truck	\$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	\$40.00 per ton (\$5.00 minimum charge)
j. Tires (with or without rim)	\$4.00 each car tire \$8.00 for each truck tire \$30.00 for each heavy equipment tire
k. Mattresses or Box Springs	\$20.00 each
l. Recycling bins	<i>Fee set by the Department of Public Works based on the cost to the Town to obtain the bins.</i>
m. Recycling stickers (for up to 32 gal. barrels)	\$5.00 per pair
2. Business Self Hauling	
Self-Hauling includes Guest Houses, Motels, Hotels, Camps, Cabins, Lodging, Inns, Time Share Units and Camp Grounds	
a. Annual sticker	\$50.00 per year per vehicle
b. Business trash in car	\$4.00 per bag
c. Business trash in pick-up	\$4.00 per bag
d. Grass, leaves, brush in a car or pick-up truck	\$14.00 per load
e. Grass, leaves, brush in a high-side pick-up truck	\$22.00 per load
f. Grass, leaves, brush in 1-ton dump truck	\$44.00 per load

¹ Residents are allowed to drop off at the Transfer Station up to four large bags (or two 32 gallon barrels) at no charge. Anything more than four large bags (or two 32 gallon barrels) at one visit will be charged according to the fee schedule.

g. Large Appliances	\$20.00 each
h. Miscellaneous Metals	\$40.00 per ton (\$5.00 minimum charge)
3. Commercial Haulers	
a. Annual Permit	\$275.00 per year
b. Pick-up Truck	\$143.60 per ton or \$.07180 per lb
c. Pick-up Truck with 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
h. Packer 16 yard	\$143.60 per ton or \$.07180 per lb
i. Packer 18 yard	\$143.60 per ton or \$.07180 per lb
j. Packer 20 yard	\$143.60 per ton or \$.07180 per lb
k. Single-Stream Recyclables ²	\$100.00 per ton or \$0.05 per lb
l. Grass, leaves brush in a pick-up truck	\$28.00 per load \$14.00 per half load
m. Grass, leaves, brush in a high-side pick-up truck	\$36.00 per load \$18.00 per half load
n. Grass, leaves, brush in dump truck	\$58.00 per load
o. Commercial Appliances	\$30.00 each
p. Metals	\$40.00 per ton (\$5.00 minimum)
q. Fuel Tanks (maximum capacity 300 gallons)	\$20.00 each
4. Non Profit Organizations	
a. Annual Sticker (after Licensing has Proof of Non- Profit Eligibility).	No Fee
b. All Refuse	No Fee
c. Weighed Items	No Fee

B. A half load is delineated from the midpoint of the rear well to either the rear end of the pickup truck or to the front end of the bed. For non-pickup vehicles four 32 gallon barrels or less is considered a half load. Anything over four 32 gallon barrels is considered a full load.

C. The decision of the transfer station attendant is final

1. Any complaints will have to be put in writing to the Health Agent and will be brought before the Board of Health for determination.
2. All complaints must be in writing with all information filled in, including: name, address, phone number, explanation of incident, and parties involved. Complaint forms may be picked up at any Town office.

² Commercial haulers that separate cardboard from single stream recyclables may drop off this material prior to being weighed.