TOWN OF LONG LAKE & RAQUETTE LAKE TRANSFER STATION & RECYCLING CENTERS

MANDATORY RECYCLING AND WASTE DISPOSAL RULES ARE IN EFFECT. THE GUIDELINES OUTLINED IN THIS BROCHURE MUST BE FOLLOWED OR YOUR REFUSE WILL BE REJECTED.

PERMITS

Decal stickers, which are required for Long Lake Transfer Station use, are available from the Town Clerk at no charge to any property owners, permanent renters, and lessees in the Township of Long Lake. Rental businesses, property owners, and rental agents not providing pick-up service for their guests must provide guests with forms permitting use of the Long Lake Transfer Station. Property owners must provide non-resident contractors doing work on their premises forms permitting use of the Long Lake Transfer Station. Forms can be obtained from the Town Clerk. Until further notice, the Raquette Lake Center is not set up with the permit system.

ARTICLE IV. ENFORCEMENT UNDER LOCAL LAW NO. 11 OF 2013: SOLID WASTE AND RECYCLING LAW FOR HAMILTON COUNTY, NY

Inspections: All portions of vehicles and containers used to haul, transport, or dispose of Recyclable Materials, including such containers placed outside of residences, shall be subject to inspection by an Inspector of Solid Waste, the Town of Long Lake, or his designee to ascertain compliance with this Local Law and the rules, regulations or orders promulgated hereunder; the Solid Waste Coordinator and his designee shall be authorized to inspect sold materials for disposal at a County Facility.

2017 HOURS OF OPERATION

January 1st through May 16th
6 Days per Week: 9 AM to 3 PM
CLOSED Tuesdays

May 17th through October 9th
7 Days per Week: 9 AM to 3 PM

October 10th through December 31st
6 Days a Week: 9 AM to 3 PM
CLOSED Tuesdays

2017 HOLIDAYS WHEN THE TRANSFER STATIONS ARE CLOSED:

January 1
New Year’s Day

January 16
Martin Luther King Jr. Day

February 20
President’s Day

April 16
Easter

November 10
Veteran’s Day

November 23
Thanksgiving

December 25
Christmas

FOR ALL OTHER HOLIDAYS THAT DON’T FALL ON TUESDAYS THE FACILITIES WILL BE OPEN

SCHEDULE SUBJECT TO CHANGE!

INSTRUCTIONS

WHERE DO I PUT IT?

Stations are set up in the Long Lake and Raquette Lake Transfer Stations to allow for sorting and recycling refuse. If you are not sure where to discard an item ask the attendant.

HOUSEHOLD GARBAGE

All garbage and debris not specified elsewhere should be placed in:

LONG LAKE: compactor bin

RAQUETTE LAKE: roll-off bin

Household garbage MUST BE IN CLEAR OR TRANSPARENCE PLASTIC bags. Garbage bunched in black bags will be rejected.

PLASTICS BIN

#1 (PETE) clear, #2 (HDPE) colored and #6 (POLY) only. Containers must be rinsed clean; Tops/caps go into household garbage.

GLASS BIN

All colored and clear glass bottles and jars. NO light bulbs, windows, mirrors, vehicle glass. Glass must be rinsed clean. Tops/caps go into household garbage.

METAL CAN BIN

All metal and aluminum cans: NO aerosol cans, motor oil cans or paper oil cans with metal tops. Containers must be rinsed clean.

RETURNABLE BOTTLES & CANS

Clean bottles and cans returnable for deposit money should be sorted like other food containers. A station MAY be set up to collect them for a local charity.

CORRUGATED CARDBOARD BIN

All clean, dry corrugated cardboard accepted. FLATTEN BOXES. Staples need not be removed. NO soiled cardboard including used pizza boxes. NO non-corrugated cardboard.

PAPER BIN

Office/mixed paper, books, phone books, newspaper, magazines, catalogs, bulk mail, non-corrugated cardboard like beer and soda cartons. NO paper with any metal or plastic attached. NO soiled or wet paper. Bundling no longer necessary!

“JUNK” WASTE BIN

TVs, computers, computer cables & cords, monitors, keyboards, ‘niche’, VCRs, portable music players, DVD players, cable or satellite receivers, video game consoles, fax machines, scanners and printers. NO mercury thermometers, coffee makers, batteries or light bulbs.

TIRES

All rubber tires, rubber tracks. Rings must be removed and placed at designated metal pile area. LONG LAKE: Place tires inside designated trailer. RAQUETTE LAKE: Place tires in designated area indicated by attendant.

METAL PILE AREA

All metal that doesn’t go in the metal can bin. Ex. appliances, open EMPTY paint cans, sheet metal roofing, rusty items, etc. (NO #1 propane tanks) Check with attendant before dumping!

YARD WASTE AREA FOR LONG LAKE ONLY

Wood chips, grass clippings, leaves, pine needles, etc. Remove from container before dumping and discard appropriately. NO stumps or logs accepted. Check with attendant before dumping!

LIGHTS

Fluorescent light bulbs, Christmas light strands. Place in designated barrel (blue) at compactor. NO incandescent light bulbs or broken fluorescent lights.

MATTRESSES AND FURNITURE

For large pieces of furniture and ALL mattresses. LONG LAKE: place in C & D bin. RAQUETTE LAKE: place in designated area indicated by attendant. (Fold-out bed metal goes in metal area.)

CONSTRUCTION & DEBRIS BIN (C&D)

"Flyables" are NOT permitted - put these in household garbage. C&D must be REDUCED TO 4 FT or less in length and width. Mirrors and windows are accepted.

HOUSEHOLD BATTERIES

1. Alkaline and zinc-carbon go in compactor.
2. Rechargeable batteries and battery packs (nickel-cadmium, sealed lead, lithium ion, nickel metal hydride) go in DESIGNATED FAIL AT COMPACTOR to be recycled.
3. PROPANE TANKS of all sizes must be empty and/or have valves removed; place with other tanks near metal pile area.
4. CAMPERS-TRAILERS and BOATS must be dissembled by owner; metal stripped out and wood or fiberglass reduced to 4 FT or less length/width. Discuss with attendant prior to discard.
5. E-cigarettes and ENGINES must have all fluids drained out of them; CARS accepted in LK only.
6. FUEL TANKS, OIL DRUMS, BARRELS must be delivered DRY (drained out) with a hole cut in the side.
7. RAQUETTE LAKE ONLY: Metal pipe or metal roofing MUST BE NO LONGER OR WIDER THAN 6 FT.
8. USED COOKING OIL may be poured into designated container.

PLEASE NOTE:

1. NO PAINT will be accepted, except in dried form on cardboard or in cat litter.
2. NO ANIMAL carcasses or large animal parts will be accepted.
3. NO SLATE SHINGLES, BRICK OR CEMENT will be accepted.

4. NO BATTERIES containing acid will be accepted.
5. NO MOTOR OIL, ANTI-FREEZE, TAR, ADHESIVES, PESTICIDES or any other toxic material will be accepted other than "in household amounts". EMBRACE MOTOR OIL containers should be placed in compactor bins.
6. NO USED PETROLEUM-BASED OIL will be accepted.
7. NO BRUSH WILL BE ACCEPTED IN LONG LAKE OR RAQUETTE LAKE.
8. NO INFECTIOUS or UNTREATED, REGULATED MEDICAL WASTE will be accepted.
9. NO RADIOACTIVE MATERIALS, NO EXPLOSIVES and NO HOT ASHES will be accepted.

IF THERE IS ANY DISPUTE, the attendants are instructed to refuse permission to dump and to refer the matter to the Highway Superintendent.

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Raquette Lake Transfer Station
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