

Summit



Recycles

Saving tax dollars
and
helping the
environment

Curbside

Collection every Thur

Place at curb
after 6 PM Wed,
before 7 AM Thur

Transfer Station

Located at 40 New
Providence Ave,
Summit

Hours:

Tues-Fri
7:30 AM - 3:45 PM
Sat
7:30 AM - 4:45 PM

Closed Sun, Mon and
holidays

Resident permit
sticker required

Curbside Recycling Questions
1-888-738-7348

Dept of Community Services
908-273-6404

Transfer Station
908-273-7768



Prepared by the Summit
Recycling Advisory Committee
and the City of Summit
Dept of Community Services

Curbside Recycling Information

Plastic, Cans, Glass -- co-mingle in one rigid, reusable container

Plastic items coded 1-7 (look on item for triangle with number inside)

Includes milk jugs, soft drink, water and juice bottles, yogurt cups, fruit containers, household cleaner and detergent bottles, peanut butter containers, disposable cutlery, medicine bottles, plastic toys

Aluminum and steel food and beverage cans

Glass bottles and jars

Mixed Paper and Newspapers -- combine in paper bags or cross-tie with twine

Includes newspapers, magazines, catalogs, junk mail, colored and white paper, shirt boxes, phone books, clean food boxes (e.g., cereal boxes), cardboard egg cartons, milk and juice cartons

Shredded paper should be placed in clear plastic bags near mixed paper.

Hardcover books should be tied separately in a stack no more than one foot high, near paper.

Corrugated Cardboard -- flatten and cross-tie with string or twine

Includes shipping boxes, clean pizza boxes

Items that cannot be recycled curbside include batteries, Styrofoam, plastic bags, shrink wrap, packing peanuts, motor oil bottles, antifreeze bottles, ceramics, light bulbs, mirrors, window glass, hangers, aluminum trays, aluminum foil

Transfer Station Recycling Information

In Compost and Recycling Area (first driveway after gate):

Plastic, Cans, Glass, co-mingled -- place in designated dumpster

Plastic items coded 1-7 (look on item for triangle with number inside); aluminum and steel food and beverage cans; glass bottles and jars

Mixed Paper and Newspapers, co-mingled -- place in designated dumpster

Newspapers, magazines, catalogs and junk mail, envelopes, colored and white paper, shirt boxes, books, phone books, clean food boxes (e.g., cereal boxes), cardboard egg cartons, milk and juice cartons, shredded paper

Corrugated Cardboard -- place in designated truck or dumpster

Vegetative Waste -- place in designated areas

Shrubs, brush, grass, leaves (loose or in biodegradable bags), branches, limbs for chipping

Textiles -- place in yellow Planet Aid bins

Clothing and shoes in usable condition; clip or tie shoes together

Metal -- place in designated area

Scrap metal, aluminum/steel doors, white goods (ovens, stoves, metal cabinets, large appliances)

In Transfer Station Upper Area (second driveway after gate):

Computers/Electronics -- place in designated area inside on right

Computers, printers, keyboards, monitors, TVs, radios, stereos, VCRs, phones, faxes, copiers, electric power tools

Fluorescent tubes, compact fluorescent bulbs -- designated area inside on right

Styrofoam -- place in designated area

White packing material, excluding packing peanuts and food containers

Unpainted, Untreated Wood -- place in designated container

Car and Boat Batteries (lead-acid) -- place in designated area

Note on Batteries: Alkaline batteries (ex: AA, AAA, C, D, 9-volt)--throw in trash (new NJ law). *Rechargeable and button batteries are hazardous and must be recycled.* Take to Photo Summit (383 Springfield Ave.) or dispose of on Union County Hazardous Waste Days. See <http://ucnj.org/community/recycling/household>. Some Radio Shack and Staples stores will also take them. Call first.