



# TOWN OF BOURNE

## Department of Integrated Solid Waste Management



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### **UPDATED June 3, 2020**

### **Residential Recycling Center, C&D Materials Transfer Station and Scale**

### **Coronavirus/Covid-19 Response Plan**

In an effort to maintain the essential services we provide while keeping our staff and the residents we serve safe, the Town of Bourne Department of Integrated Solid Waste Management (ISWM) will be implementing modified operations at the Residential Recycling Center (RRC) in response to the Coronavirus/Covid-19 Pandemic.

**Beginning Thursday, June 4, 2020 and until further notice, the Residential Recycling Center (RRC) will Re-Open the sheds that accept paint, waste oil, redeemable cans, batteries, lightbulbs, waste antifreeze, mercury containing items, and used oil filters and the compost bins. We continue to accept the materials added in previous updates including Tires, computers/e-waste, Appliances including refrigerators, AC units and dehumidifiers, Construction and Demolition Debris (C&D), Brush and Yard waste, Household Trash (MSW) and Single Stream Recyclables (SSR).** Residents are asked to limit their time at the RRC, follow the directions of the staff, follow recommended social distancing policies and follow COVID-19 Order No. 31 issued by Massachusetts Governor Charlie Baker on May 6, 2020 **REQUIRING FACE COVERINGS IN PUBLIC PLACES WHERE SOCIAL DISTANCING MAY NOT BE POSSIBLE.**

As we continue to promote social distancing and prevent gatherings of ten or more people **Dorothy's Swap Shop will remain closed and we will not be accepting Mattresses or Textiles.**

Additionally, in order to reduce the density of traffic at our facility in light of the Coronavirus/Covid-19 health crisis, the C&D Material Transfer Station will be open **only to commercial customers, such as contractors and companies hauling roll-off containers. Homeowners/residents with house cleanouts or small loads of demolition debris will not be allowed to use the facility. At our scale, cash will not be accepted.** Credit cards will be accepted, but signatures and other paperwork will be suspended. Checks will also be accepted.

**Reminder:** Memorial Day Weekend marked the change of the ISWM RRC to the Summer Schedule. Starting Tuesday May 26, 2020 the RRC will be open seven (7) days per week. Operating hours will remain the same; 7:00 AM until 3:00 PM; this schedule will remain in effect through Labor Day. Modified operations will remain in effect until further notice. We would like to take this opportunity to thank you in advance for your patience and understanding as we work through these difficult times.