



NEW Mattress Program Starting

MAY 1, 2016

Program Details:

1. Starting May 1, 2016, retailers and other business selling mattresses will collect a recycling fee on each piece sold to Rhode Island consumers. These fee will be remitted to Mattress Recycling Council, a non-profit organization, for use in transporting and recycling these mattresses.
2. RI residents will be able to bring mattresses to participating location and either drop off at no charge, or bring directly to the approved mattress recycle, get paid for the old mattress.

Items Allowed in this Recycling program:

1. Mattresses or box springs used in the state of Rhode Island.
2. To be accepted, all pieces must be in reasonable condition and must be dry and free of contamination.
3. Sofa bed mattresses, sleeping bags, loose bedding, juvenile size bedding, futons and water beds do not get disposed in this program.

(Different disposal methods are required for items not taken in this program.)

Program for North Smithfield Residents:

Residents have a few different options to dispose mattresses.

1. Drop-off at no charge to the Highway Garage, 281 Quaker Highway on Saturdays from 9 am - 3 pm.
This service is for town residents only (IDs will be checked), and is limited to 4 pieces per visit.
2. Curbside Pickup Service for a fee - Ace Mattress Recyclers will pick up in the Town of NS every Monday for \$20 per piece. Appointments must be scheduled by Friday the week prior by call 401-640-2725.
3. Drop-off directly at a Recycler and be paid. Residents that want to bring their mattress directly to our approved mattress recyclers, will be paid \$2 per piece. (Limited to 4 pieces per visit, 8 pieces per year, and must be dropped off as instructed.)

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Questions ? - Contact the Recycling Department @ 767-2200 x 345