



# Stillwater Township

## RECYCLING RESOURCES SPRING 2026

### Clear out the clutter: Recycling/Cleanup Day slated for May 16

**Saturday, May 16, 9 a.m. to Noon**

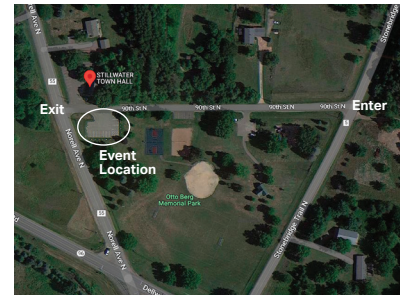
#### Stillwater Town Hall

Residents can dispose of appliances and other heavy metal, mattresses, and bulky household items at Stillwater Township's annual Recycling/Cleanup Day, Saturday, May. 16. The event runs from 9 a.m. to noon at Town Hall. Proof of residency is required.

The township offers this event in partnership with Maroney's Sanitation, Second Chance Recycling, and Washington County, providing residents with a local and reduced-cost option for disposing of items that normal trash service won't accept. Mattresses and heavy metal collected are recycled, reducing impacts on landfills and the environment.

This event is staffed by township volunteers. Assistance unloading is appreciated. All items weighing more than 50 lbs must be self-unloaded.

**Fees:** Costs to residents are outlined below. Fees offset the costs of disposal. Please be prepared with cash or check made out to Stillwater Township.



Collection will occur at the parking lots near Town Hall. Traffic on 90th St N will be one-way during this event. Please enter off Stonebridge Trail N and exit on Norell Avenue.

#### Did you know?

Most components of a mattress can be recycled, including inner springs, foam, wood frames, and fabrics. Second Chance recycles over 90,000 mattresses per year, diverting the equivalent of a year's worth of waste from 2,500 households.

Through a partnership with Washington County, Second Chance will collect mattresses and box springs from township residents for a reduced fee of \$10 per item. Second Chance Recycling, part of the community development organization EMERGE, provides transitional employment and support services for individuals returning from incarceration.

#### DISCOUNTED FEES

Mattresses/Box springs*	\$10 per item
Refrigerators and other appliances with coolant	\$35 per item
Metal appliances, including washers, dryers and ovens	\$10 per item
Other heavy metal items	\$5 and up
Sofas and similar furniture	\$20 per item
Miscellaneous trash	\$30 per carload \$50 per truck/trailer

\*Collected by Second Chance through a partnership with Washington County

#### NO TIRES, ELECTRONICS OR HAZARDOUS MATERIALS.

Proof of township residency is required. Please call Maroney's Sanitation at 651-439-7279 with any questions.

Washington County will host a collection event May 16 at Lily Lake Ice Arena where electronics, household chemicals and other hazardous materials are accepted. See reverse for details.

**WASHINGTON COUNTY SOUTH ENVIRONMENTAL CENTER**  
4039 Cottage Grove Drive, Woodbury, MN 55129  
(651) 275-7475 | co.washington.mn.us

**HOURS**  
**TUESDAY** 11 a.m. - 7 p.m.  
**THURSDAY** 8 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.  
**FRIDAY** 8 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.  
**SATURDAY** 8 a.m. - 2 p.m.

**NORTH ENVIRONMENTAL CENTER**  
6065 Headwaters Parkway, Forest Lake, MN 55025  
(651) 275-7475 | co.washington.mn.us

**HOURS**  
**MONDAY** 11 a.m. - 7 p.m.  
**WEDNESDAY** 8 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.  
**FRIDAY** 8 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.  
**SATURDAY** 8 a.m. - 2 p.m.

# 2026 Community Collection Events

Washington County offers one-day collection events for residents to safely dispose of household hazardous waste, including cleaners, paint/stain, pesticides, and electronics. Paper shredding is also offered at these events (limit of four boxes per resident).

## Household Hazardous Waste Collection

Accepted items include cleaners, paint/stain, pesticides, and electronics. Paper shredding is also offered at these events (limit of four boxes per resident).

Collection is also available year-round at the Washington County Environmental Centers in Woodbury and Forest Lake.

## Paper Shredding Events

Residents are limited to 6 boxes weighing 30 lbs or less. Documents are shredded onsite by Shred Right and recycled. All events are held from 8 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

North Environmental Center

6065 Headwaters Pkwy., Forest Lake

- Thursday, May 14
- Thursday, July 23
- Thursday, November 5

South Environmental Center

4039 Cottage Grove Drive, Woodbury

- Wednesday, April 22
- Wednesday, June 24
- Wednesday, September 9

### MAHTOMEDI

SATURDAY, APRIL 25

8 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Middle School Ball Fields  
8100 75th St. N

### STILLWATER

SATURDAY, MAY 16

8 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Lily Lake Ice Arena  
1208 S. Greeley St.

## Food Scraps Pickup Program enables easy recycling

About 20 percent of household trash is food scraps, which can be efficiently composted instead of going to the landfill. The Food Scraps Pickup Program, a joint initiative of Washington County and Ramsey County, aims to turn food scraps back into soil, rather than treating them as waste.

The program is free and voluntary. Participants receive compostable bags to collect their food scraps, then dispose of the bag in their curbside trash bin. Special equipment at the Recycling and Energy Center detects the special bags and plucks them from the surrounding waste for composting.

Learn more about the process, accepted items, and how to get started by visiting [FoodScrapsPickup.com](http://FoodScrapsPickup.com) or calling 651-661-9393.

The Food Scraps Pickup Program is a great way to supplement at-home composting habits. In addition to fruits, vegetables, and coffee grounds, many items that aren't appropriate for at-home composting are accepted, including:

- Dairy products
- Meat and seafood, bones, scales, and shells
- Breads, pastas, and cereals
- Processed foods
- Pet food
- BPI-certified items
- Non-recyclable paper

## How It Works



Order your free supply of food scrap bags.



Collect your food scraps in the food scrap bags. Once a week or when the food scrap bag is full, tie a knot at the top to close the bag.



Place your food scrap bag inside your trash cart or dumpster for collection.



Done! The food scraps will be composted.

