

Waste Collection Regulations

- **Bag the Loose Stuff** - to prevent littering. Make sure all loose material is bagged
- All waste has to be put in **Large Garbage Bags** rather than several small bags
- Please be careful and **Double Bag** any items that can come through the bag
- **Keep it Light** each bag should be lighter than 35 lbs
- Waste has to be put near curbside by **8:00 a.m.**
- Please keep your waste bins **Clean and Tidy**.
- Please **Tie your Bags** before placing them in your bins.
- If you don't use a bin please **Cover your Waste**.
- There are no bag limits on waste collections.

There will be absolutely **NO SCAVENGING ALLOWED**. We do allow usable wood to be taken. Scavenging will be reported and charges will be laid.

LANDFILL HOURS OF OPERATION FOR SUBREGION 1, 2 & 3

Monday - Saturday 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Closed for lunch
Office Hours

Monday - Friday 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Closed for lunch

NPRSB Members

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Resident Fees

Annual fee per household	\$85.00
Annual fee per apartment	\$42.50

Business Owners

Half pick-up load or less	\$10.00
Full Pick-up Load	\$15.00
Full Pick-up Truck and Trailer	\$30.00
Full Dump Truck	\$150.00
<i>(as of January 01, 2009, this fee will be \$75.00)</i>	
Full Tractor Trailer	\$150.00
NPRSB will collect business waste for \$1.50 per bag. (For use of pick-up truck only, after 6 loads per week, no charge)	

For Residents only: there is **NO CHARGE** to drop off any waste other than oil tanks or car wrecks, which will be a fee of \$10.00.

Car Wrecks: Tires must be taken off and fluids drained (motor oil, transmission fuel, antifreeze, fuel, etc.)

Oil Tanks: Drained properly and if this cannot be completed an incision must be made to make sure remaining residue is drained.

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Waste On-Site

Spring 2009 Newsletter

Northern Peninsula Regional Service Board Household Hazardous Waste Depot

With the financial assistance from MMSB, the Northern Peninsula Regional Service Board (NPRSB) is pleased to announce the opening of a household hazardous waste depot on June 1, 2009, located on the landfill site in subregion 1. This depot will be a temporary storage facility of these materials until they can be properly disposed. This depot is a safe, environmentally friendly and convenient way for residents to properly dispose of household hazardous waste. Often people do not think about or even realize the potential dangers associated with household hazardous waste. Improper disposal of hazardous products by pouring them down the drain or throwing them in the garbage can cause serious harm to the environment. It only takes a few drops of household hazardous waste to contaminate a drinking water source, and in Newfoundland and Labrador each person generates more than seven liters per year. Household hazardous waste include

items such as cleaners, paint thinners, pesticides, fertilizers, batteries and compact fluorescent light bulbs to name a few. While hazardous waste makes up less than 1% of Newfoundland and Labrador's waste stream, it is critical that such products be managed properly and safely to avoid harmful environmental effects.

This depot will be for **residential** service only no commercial waste will be accepted. This service will be at no cost to residents. Also, NPRSB will provide an annual collection in subregion 1, 2 and 3. Residents will be informed prior to collection dates. Brochure will be inserted in the Northern Pen approximately two weeks before opening date.

Gather, store, and drop off your waste upon the opening of this new depot!!!

The depot will be open from Mon - Fri: 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.



Rocky the Recycler says
Reuse Reduce Recycle

Message from the Coordinator

Spring, spring at last!!! Winter 2009 has presented employees with quite the challenge!! On behalf of NPRSB I would like to commend the waste collectors for getting through this extremely challenging period. Also, the landfill attendants for maintaining the landfill sites in spite of all the snow and wind.

We have encountered several delays with the compactor truck for Subregion 3. Because of these delays we have had to use NPRSB pickup truck to get the waste collected in this region. Many thanks to new employees Lionel Myers and Kerry NewComb who have performed a spectacular job. They have been relentless in getting the waste collected on a weekly basis. Great job to all!!!

*Ms. Darlene Newman,
Regional Coordinator*

Monitoring Wells Sub-region 3

Monitoring wells have been installed at the landfill site in subregion 3. Sampling will take place twice per year, spring and late summer. Testing will be performed to monitor any leachate that may occur. Pictured below is Blair Cameron, Senior Geo-Environment Technologist with ADI Limited, collecting a soil/water sample.



Message from the Chair

On behalf of the Northern Peninsula Regional Service Board, I am delighted to have the opportunity to make a few comments in this spring 2009 newsletter. Again, the Board is very pleased with the cooperation received from our clients in regards to both the use of the landfill sites and the regular payment of the fees. NPRSB depends on this excellent relationship in order to effectively operate the landfill sites and to meet its financial obligations.

Since the last newsletter, the Board has worked with Multi-Materials Stewardship Board to develop a pilot project for Household Hazardous Waste collection. The plan is to develop an effective household waste collection project in NPRSB's area. More information on this activity can be found in this newsletter.

The Northern Peninsula Regional Service Board has also received funding from mmsb for coordinator salary, office expenses, and public education proposals. NPRSB sincerely thanks mmsb for this funding which will have a positive impact on the achievement of its mandate.

Again, the Board wishes to thank its employees for their hard work and dedication to the operation of the office as well as the proper running of the landfill sites.

If you have any suggestions to help NPRSB to improve its operations, please call, email, or visit the office.

On behalf of the Board, I wish you a safe and enjoyable summer.

Chair, Doug Mills

Support for Subregion 4

Now that the consolidated landfill sites in Subregion 1, 2 & 3, has been established. NPRSB is focusing on Subregion 4 (Castor River North to River of Ponds). Consultations are ongoing with towns seeking support for the proposed subregional consolidated landfill concept.

NPRSB has received three letters of support from communities in this region.

NPRSB would like to thank residents, business owners, and municipalities in subregion 4 for their continuous patience and support.

Northern Peninsula Regional Service Board

In 2005 Government gave NorPen Waste Management Inc. Authority Status under the Regional Service Board Act. We then became known as NorPen Waste Management Authority. However, we would like to inform residents that the official name for this organization is Northern Peninsula Regional Service Board. All future correspondence will be under the official name.

SUMMER STUDENT

We are currently accepting resumes for summer student's employment, (pending funding approval). Any students interested in applying, please forward a resume to the address on page 4.

Bags, bags and more bags!!

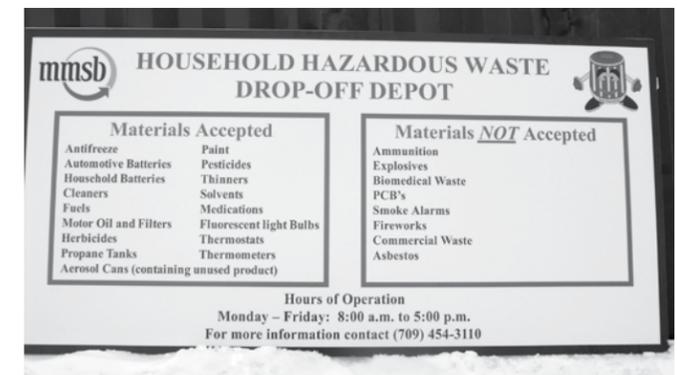
Plastic bags are everywhere! Most of the debris blowing around the sites is plastic bags. A plastic bag takes years to break down. It's time we do our part to preserve our environment for future generations. There is a simple solution to this huge problem, reusable shopping bags!!!!

Help us keep our workers safe

Please remember the waste collector will collect your waste from your bin and transfer it to the compactor truck. In doing so they have no idea what's inside this bag. If you should have to dispose of sharp objects such as broken glass, knives, needles, etc., please remember the safety of the worker.

Place all your broken glass, knives, all sharp objects inside a container, such as empty milk carton, BEFORE you put them in your garbage bag. Place any needles inside an empty bottle. Place sharp lids inside the can then squeeze the can closed.

Help prevent injuries to our employees. If there's any item that could injury the worker, maybe you should consider sticking a note on your garbage bag to inform the worker of its contents!



Spring Clean-up

NPRSB will be hosting it's forth annual spring clean up which possibly will take place in June. Upon consultations with municipalities residents will be informed regarding specific dates for each community.