#### **TOWN OF WHEATLAND TRANSFER STATION**

HOURS OF OPERATION IS:
WEDNESDAY - 12:00 NOON - 5:00pm and SATURDAY - 7:00am - 3:00pm

Large open boxes are available for the dumping of items not accepted for the compactor, i.e. furniture's, carpet, etc. Per the Transfer Station workers.

You will be required to use clear plastic garbage bags for your household garbage as of January 1, 2000.

There are four recycling containers available for your use. See attached sheet on how to separate them accordingly. There is a \$20.00 fee for appliances. See attached sheet for a description.

No stumps, leaves or grass clippings, No rock or concrete, No waste oil, No tires, and No Hazardous waste. Only limited amounts of building material will be accepted.

Brush will be accepted for chipping, brush cannot be larger than 3 inches in diameter and 8 to 10 feet in length, free from metal objects (no fencing, wires, or nails, etc.) and should be clean (No clumps of dirt.)

Transfer station permits must be displayed in the vehicle window on the drivers side on the lower, inside corner of the windshield. There is a \$100.00 fine for dumping outside of posted hours.

To receive a sticker you must:

- 1.Be a property owner or renter in the Town of Wheatland.
- 2. Furnish proof of vehicle ownership, if requested.
- 3. Return the numbered part of the sticker to receive another in the event you replace the auto or windshield.
- 4.If you leave the town, please turn in sticker to town office, both renters and land owners.

Permits are available at the town office in New Munster, Monday thru Friday from 8:00am until 5:00pm.

This may seem like a lot of unnecessary 'red tape" but the disposal of garbage and trash has become a troublesome and expensive item in municipal budgets everywhere. We are limiting service at the Wheatland Transfer Station in new Munster to Wheatland owners and renters. We ask your cooperation and understanding.

This is a reminder:

You are required to use clear plastic garbage bags for your household garbage since 2000.

It is also mandatory in the State of Wisconsin that you recycle all recyclable items since 1995

For a more detailed list of what can go in which container, ask the transfer station workers for a list.

Thank-You! Wheatland Town Board

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## LIST OF ACCEPTED ITEMS THAT MUST BE RECYCLED

Please use the following directions for depositing in the containers at the Transfer Station/Recycling Center located in New Munster, south of the firehouse.

## Container 1. Plastics # 1 PETE

soda bottles, clean liquor bottles, etc. rinse & remove all caps, rings, carriers, etc. flatten as much as possible. items will have # 1 marked on bottom.

#### Plastic# 2 HDPE

milk, detergent, water, shampoo, juice bottles, etc. rinse and remove all caps, rings, carriers, etc. flatten as much as possible.

no containers for medicine, or bleach bottles and petroleum. items will have # 2 marked on bottom.

<u>Tin, aluminum, steel</u> rinse free of food. can be crushed or flattened

#### Glass

clear, brown, or green.
rinse & remove metal or plastic
try not to break when depositing in containers.
no dishes, glasses, window glass, mirrors, or
light bulbs.

## Container 2. Paper

newsprint, magazines, office paper, envelopes, NCR paper, envelopes, telephone books, books, card stock, etc. small amounts of staples, paper clips, metal clasps, etc. allowed. bundle in paper bags, tie with string or box.

no plastic bags, or metal ties

# Container 3: Corrugated paper

cardboard boxes, pressed board. Flattened & bundled. no plastic or metal strapping or ties.

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# By State law, the following items must be separated from your garbage & recycled, unless noted as "exempt" at this time:

- 1. lead acid batteries
- 2. major appliances
- 3. waste oil
- 4. vard waste
- 5. aluminum containers
- 6. bi-metal containers
- 7. corrugated paper or other containers board
- 8. foam polystyrene packaging (exempt)
- 9. glass containers
- 10. magazines
- 11. newspaper
- 12. office paper
- 13. PETE #1 and HDPE #2 plastic containers (other plastics exempt)
- 14. steel containers
- 15. waste tires

## The town transfer station accepts all the above except:

- 3. waste oil (it should be taken to a proper disposal station elsewhere)
- 15. waste tires (take to a tire dealer or a licensed landfill for disposal)

## Special conditions for acceptance of above items:

2. Major appliances includes air conditioners, clothes dryers & washers, dishwashers, freezer, microwaves, ovens, refrigerators, stoves, furnaces, boilers, dehumidifiers, water heaters, humidifiers, garbage disposals & trash compactors.--A fee is required to be paid at the town office prior to bringing to the transfer station. The current fee is \$20.

A sticker will be given to you to place on the appliance. Without the sticker, it will not be accepted at the town transfer station.

4. Yard waste consisting of clean, woody, vegetative material, no greater than 3 inches in diameter and 10 feet in length, will be accepted. The transfer station will not accept stumps, roots, shrubs, with intact root balls, grass clippings, or leaves.

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