

## Frequently Called Numbers

Lincoln Post Office.....	794-6609
Lincoln Court House.....	794-8512
Region III.....	794-8596
Chamber of Commerce.....	794-8065
Lincoln Water District.....	794-2921
Superintendent.....	794-6500
High School.....	794-6711
Junior High.....	794-3309
Ella Burr.....	794-3014
Bus Garage.....	794-8578
Lincoln Sanitary District.....	794-8244
Humane Society.....	794-3457
Library.....	794-2765
Hospital (PVH).....	794-3321
Hospital Emergency.....	911
Fire Emergency.....	911
Police Emergency.....	911
Police & Fire Non Emergency.....	794-8455
Town Office.....	794-3372
Town Office Fax.....	794-2606

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## Town of Lincoln Transfer Station

**Open Friday—Tuesday  
9am-4pm**

**1st Tuesday of Jan, Mar, May,  
July, Sep and Nov., open at  
12:00**

**Closed**

**Wednesday, Thursday  
& Holidays**

**207-794-2621**

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## What We Recycle At The Transfer Station

**Trash Passes: First one is Free, additional are a \$1.00 each**

*July 1, 2015 the following items are now*

**MANDATORY** to recycle

### Cardboard:

- \* Corrugated
- \* Box board, cereal boxes, pizza, food and other goods packaging
- \* Egg cartons
- \* Toilet/Paper tubes
- \* Brown paper bags

### Paper:

- \* Newspaper
- \* Magazines
- \* Junk mail
- \* Loose leaf paper
- \* Office paper (we also bale shredded paper)
- \* Books, please remove hard covers
- \* Gift wrap
- \* Tissue

### Plastics:

- \* HDPE #2 Milk jugs
- \* PETE #1 Water and soda bottles
- \* LDPE #4 Shrink wrap and squeezable bottles
- \* PP#5 Pails, bottle tops, margarine/yogurt containers, potato chip bags, straws, packing tape and rope
- \* BPA #7 "Others"

### Metal:

- \* Tin cans
- \* Pots & Pans
- \* Appliances
- \* Bicycles
- \* Scrap metal

### Glass:

- \* Food grade only
- \* Remove labels and lids
- \* Separate bins for clear, brown, and green glass

**What is Recycling?** It is the process of collecting materials that have been discarded and are considered waste and reprocessing them.

Recycling saves the space that is used for waste disposal. A major portion of the landfill space today is filled with materials that could have been recycled. With landfill space at capacity any reduction in waste is a benefit. Protecting our environment and reducing costs are just two of the benefits. Hazardous waste is a big concern as it can leak toxic and corrosive chemicals into the environment.

Here at the Town of Lincoln Transfer Station we recycle a wide range of materials. Recycling not only reduces the price we pay at PERC (Penobscot Energy Recovery Company) but we also can sell most of the material to help offset our operating cost.

### Take or Leave Station Guidelines

#### Don't Leave:

Tires  
AC Units  
Refrigerators  
T.V.'s  
Paint  
Food Items  
Nothing broken or in disrepair

#### Construction Materials:

Please see attendant for an inspection of the items. The attendant will decide if the materials go on the Take or Leave Pile or discarded in the appropriate disposal station.

This station is a privilege, please respect the guidelines so this station can remain open for all to utilize.

**Violators will be penalized.**

# Recycling

## Permits

*Disposal permits may be picked up prior to dropping off items,  
at the **Town Office***

*Monday—Friday 8am to 5pm*

*Permits are also available on-site at the Transfer Station. Please see an attendant for assistance.*

**Refrigerant Appliance:** Refrigerator, air conditioners and dehumidifiers will require a disposal permit. Permits are \$20.00 per item. If you have purchased a replacement appliance please bring your receipt and your permit is free. Please note that items containing refrigerant cannot be left on the free for taking pile.

**Demolition Debris:** Shingles, sheetrock and wood also require permit prior to drop off. Please note that shingles and sheetrock have designated pile.

**Wood Burn Pit:** Clean wood only, it must be free of metal, insulation, roofing material, cardboard or trash. When burning please leave debris on the landing, please do not throw items over cones or chain into burning area. No Pressure Treated Lumber.

<b>Fees:</b>	<b>Shingles &amp; Sheetrock</b>	<b>Wood</b>
<b>½ Pick up</b>	<b>\$ 10.00</b>	<b>No Fee</b>
<b>Pick Up or Trailer</b>	<b>\$ 25.00</b>	<b>No Fee</b>
<b>Pick Up &amp; Trailer</b>	<b>\$ 50.00</b>	<b>\$ 15.00</b>
<b>1 Ton Dump Truck or Trailer</b>	<b>\$ 200.00</b>	<b>\$ 25.00</b>
<b>5-7 Yard Dump Truck or Trailer</b>	<b>\$ 400.00</b>	<b>\$ 50.00</b>
<b>10 Wheel Dump</b>	<b>\$ 600.00</b>	<b>\$ 100.00</b>
<b>Tractor Trailer</b>	<b>Not Acceptable</b>	<b>\$ 300.00</b>

**Tires:** Rimless tire up to 17 inches can be placed in the hopper. All others will be placed in tire pile which require a permit. Please note we cannot take any tires still on rims.

<b>Passenger/SUV/Utility/ATV</b>	<b>\$ 1.00</b>
<b>Medium/Heavy Truck</b>	<b>\$ 8.00</b>
<b>Equipment Tires</b>	<b>\$ 25.00</b>

## Tips On How You Can Help

**Cardboard:** Please break down boxes and nest your smaller ones into larger ones. Place all cardboard in bins or in front of the baler in the recycle building. Make sure to remove all plastic from packing .This includes: blister pack, film, windows, bags, Styrofoam and packing peanuts.

We cannot recycle wet or dirty cardboard and any wax coated cardboard. If you can scratch with you fingernail, and it leaves a residue, it's wax coated.

**Paper:** Bundle paper in stacks and tie with twine or stack in a paper bag and place in the paper bin, bag and all. Shredded paper also goes in the paper bin along with books with hard covers removed. We cannot recycle wax covered or label backings and paper with food residue goes in regular trash. Remember, if it's paper and clean, it can be recycled!

**Plastic:** Please empty and rinse containers. Sort #2 from the others. We can recycle most plastic including bulky items. We cannot recycle bags or films, vinyl siding or PVC pipes. If you are not sure just ask; we will be happy to help!

**Metal:** Please rinse your tin cans; you can leave the label on. We recycle all metals. Items that have partial metal can go right in the metal pile such as ironing boards, office chairs, play pens etc.

**Glass:** Food grade glass with lids and labels removed. Bins are designated clear, brown, and green.

## Unacceptable Waste

**Asbestos:** Contact DEP or Code Enforcement Officer

**Rimmed Tires:** Rims must be removed

**Cement Block, Bricks & Rocks**

**Gas & Antifreeze**

**Dead Animals**

**Medical Waste**

**Pressure Treated Lumber**

**Flooring:** Must be cut into 3 foot squares. This includes rugs, linoleum, carpet, backing, canvas and tarps.

**Non-Recyclable Plastics:** Must be cut into 3 foot sections. This includes vinyl siding, PVC pipes, pool liners and garden hoses.

**Furniture:** Couches, stuffed chairs and mattresses. Please put in the furniture pile on the right side of the recycling building.

**Porcelain & Glass:** Toilets and sinks. Please place in designated area beside drywall/shingle station. Ask an Attendant for assistance with glass.

**TV's, Computers & Monitors:** Please place on pallet in front of the mercury building. This is located to the left of the road entering the facility.

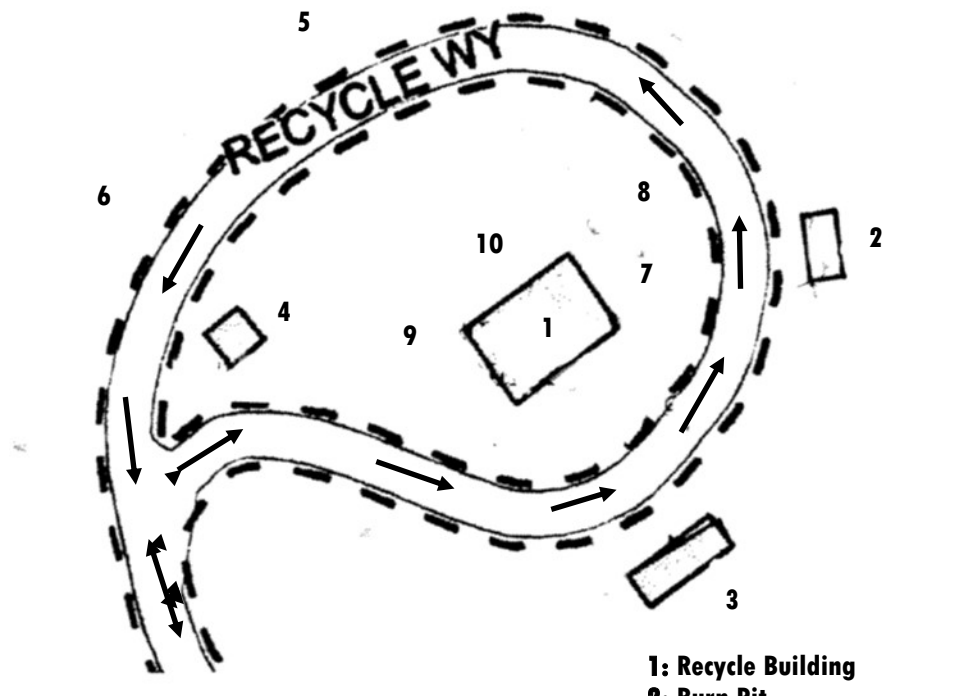
**Mercury:** Bulbs, thermostats and any other mercury containing items. Please see attendant.

**Brush:** Place on burn pit landing, please do not throw brush over cones or chain into burn area.

**Yard Waste, Compost:** Leaves, grass clippings, plants, vegetable matter and animal bedding. Place in the pile on the right side of road exiting the facility.

## Things To Remember

Recycle bins are located just inside the recycle building. If you have larger items please always use caution and ask an Attendant for assistance. We are always happy to help!



- 1: Recycle Building
- 2: Burn Pit
- 3: Hopper
- 4: Mercury Building
- 5: Tire
- 6: Compost
- 7: Furniture
- 8: Sheetrock
- 9: Metal
- 10: Glass & Porcelain

**Please obey all signs.**

**Recycle Way is a one-way circle.**

**Please drive all the way around.**

