

## GREENSBORO RECYCLES!

### Available Recycling Services for Businesses, Schools, and Municipal Offices

<b><i>Transfer Station</i></b>	Open 9 a.m. – 11 a.m. every Saturday Free recycling for schools and municipal offices.
<b><i>Commercial Collection Services</i></b>	Casella Waste Management, Hyde Park, VT (802) 888-3627
	Brian Perry & Sons, Hardwick, VT (802) 472-6659
	Northeast Kingdom Waste Management District (NEKWMD) - recycling only (802) 626-3532

### Recyclable Materials Accepted

- Printing & Writing Paper
- Newspapers
- Magazines
- Cardboard
- Steel Cans
- Aluminum Cans
- Glass
- Plastics (1 – 7)
- Computers
- Batteries (some)
- Cell Phones
- Appliances (at certain times)

### Other Services Offered in Greensboro

NEKWMD offers free waste audits, informational literature, disposal of CEG wastes, and contract assistance for waste services. For more information, contact the Town Clerk at (802) 533-2911 and leave a message for Josh Karp.

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## STATE OF VERMONT WASTE REDUCTION SERVICES

The Waste Management Division of the Department of Environmental Conservation acts as a clearinghouse for information about service providers in Vermont and beyond. **Call the Vermont Recycling Hotline for assistance at (800) 932-7100.** [Vermont's Solid Waste Districts](#), the [Association of Vermont Recyclers](#), and the [Small Business Development Center](#) provide on-site recycling education, educational materials, and technical assistance.

The State offers **technical assistance** as requested as well, primarily in composting, source reduction, and solid waste permit applications. The State also provides solid waste rules compliance assistance directly to municipalities. The State currently offers **small grants** for its priority program areas of composting and construction waste reduction. Additionally, grant money is provided as block funds to solid waste management entities (districts, alliances, and towns) where the amount of funds is calculated according to a formula and the use (put in an application) can be for anything in the governing Solid Waste Implementation Plan. Towns not in a Solid Waste District or Alliance get funds directly. In the first round of grants, a lot of the money went to unregulated hazardous waste collections, but this is solely up to the applicant.

Other services the State supports include:

- [Vermont Business Materials Exchange](#) program (VBMX). The VBMX web-based program is a **free** service that seeks to reduce waste by promoting the exchange of reusable commercial materials.
- Funding for and technical assistance to the Master Composter program.
- [Web site](#) with resources for waste prevention, reuse, recycling and composting in the State and links to other useful sites.

### Vermont's Recycling Goal & Rate

Instead of a recycling goal and rate, Vermont has a diversion goal and rate -- to divert 50 percent of the state's waste through waste prevention, reuse, recycling, and composting by 2010. The current diversion rate is 30%.

### Other Vermont Waste Reduction Programs and Resources

[Vermont's Environmental Assistance Office](#) – Vermont Business Environmental Partnership (VBEP) - a **free**, voluntary, environmental assistance and business recognition program. Its goals are to promote improved environmental and economic performance and to promote public recognition of environmental excellence.

[Vermont Master Composter Program](#)

[Vermont Earth Institute](#) – provides education and support for Vermonters to reduce consumption and adopt environmentally sustainable practices in their homes, workplaces, and communities.

[10 Percent Challenge](#)

[EPA's WasteWise](#) - a free, voluntary, EPA program through which businesses can eliminate costly municipal solid waste, benefiting their bottom line and the environment.

[Reuse and Recycling Links](#)