

COMMERCIAL RECYCLING PROGRAM

RECYCLING

MEANS BUSINESS IN PENNSYLVANIA

Recycling manufacturing converts recyclables into new products. Reuse and Remanufacturing refurbish and repair products. These industries fuel our economy as you can see from these numbers:

3,803 - Establishments in PA

52,316 - Jobs in PA

\$20.6 Billion - Annual sales receipts in PA

\$2.2 Billion - Annual payroll in PA

Recycling makes environmental and economical sense. It saves energy, conserves scarce natural resources, and avoids carbon emissions from material extraction, material and product manufacturing, and waste disposal.

WHO IS ELIGIBLE?

- Grocery Stores
- Wholesalers
- Production Plants
- Small & Large Offices
- Manufacturers
- Retailers
- Banks
- Hospitals
- Schools
- Churches

EAST MANCHESTER TOWNSHIP

COMMERCIAL/BUSINESS RECYCLING PROGRAM



established 1748

Phone 717-266-6735
For Additional Information

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East Manchester Township's Ordinance 2003-1 states that all residential, commercial and industrial establishments are required to participate in the Township's recycling program. **RECYCLING IS MANDATORY.**

The Township also requires each commercial establishment submit a written report with the number of tons of recyclables collected and recycled each year. Each year a copy of the required report is sent to all business' and institutional establishments. All are asked to report their yearly (previous calendar year) tonnage of recyclables to the Township office by **January 15th** of each year.

All business establishments are required to be in compliance with our recycling ordinance. Fines and penalties may be assessed for non-compliance.

Improve the community's image by recycling.

**REPORT ALL ILLEGAL DUMPING OF WASTE TO
911 WITH VEHICLE DESCRIPTION/LICENSE #
OR EAST MANCHESTER TOWNSHIP OFFICE**

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RECYCLABLE ITEMS FOR BUSINESS

To be in compliance with Recycling Ordinance 2003-1, you must recycle the following materials:

- ALUMINUM, STEEL, AND BIMETAL FOOD AND BEVERAGE CONTAINERS
- PLASTIC BOTTLES, JUGS, AND JARS WITH NECK OR OPENING SMALLER THAN THE BASE OF THE CONTAINER
i.e.: MILK JUGS, DETERGENT BOTTLES, SHAMPOO BOTTLES, WATER BOTTLES, PEANUT BUTTER JARS
PLEASE REMOVE LIDS AND CAPS
- NEWSPRINT, MAGAZINES, AND PAPER INSERTS
- SHREDDED PAPER
- HIGH - GRADE OFFICE PAPER
- CORRUGATED- CARDBOARD **PLEASE FLATTEN**
- BOXBOARD i.e.: CEREAL, SODA, PIZZA, SHOE, AND FOOD PACKAGING BOXES.
- CLEAR, GREEN, AND BROWN GLASS FOOD AND BEVERAGE CONTAINERS

All commercial and institutional establishments must provide written documentation to the Township of the total number of tons recycled.

PENALTY FOR VIOLATION

Failing to comply may result in penalties. For every violation or non-compliance one may be sentenced to pay a civil fine of no less than twenty - five dollars (\$25.00) and not more than one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00), costs of the suit and Township Attorney's fees. Each continuing day of violation shall be deemed a separate offense.

RECYCLING HAULERS

Any hauler, other than the designated hauler (Penn Waste), shall report tonnage collected from industrial commercial establishments to the Township.



RECYCLING WORKS

RECYCLING PROTECTS THE ENVIRONMENT

RECYCLING CONSERVES NATURAL RESOURCES

RECYCLING REDUCES GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS

RECYCLING REDUCES AIR AND WATER POLLUTANTS

RECYCLING STIMULATES THE ECONOMY

**BURNING OF RECYCLABLES IS PROHIBITED
PER TOWNSHIP "NO BURN" ORDINANCE #2007-1**