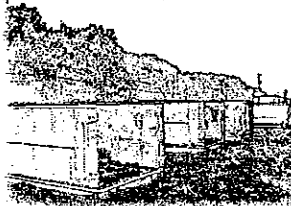
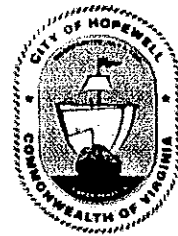
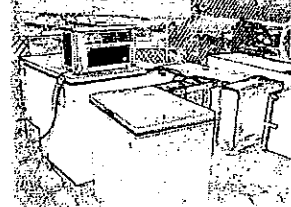
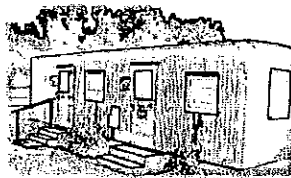


City of Hopewell Convenience Center

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The Citizen's Convenience Center is operated by the Department of Public Works to provide residential refuse customers with a convenient location to discard debris. The Convenience Center is located at 507 Station Street next to the Animal Shelter. Residents may dispose of most types of residential waste, except kitchen or food waste, liquids, hazardous, and rotten waste.



Guidelines

Only City of Hopewell residents may use the Convenience Center to dispose of waste generated on property located within the city limits. Businesses and contractors are not allowed to use the center.

Fees are based on vehicle type, quantity, and classification of debris. Customers are responsible for unloading their vehicles in designated locations. Residents

bringing mixed loads (refuse and yard waste) will be charged the service fee appropriate for their vehicle.

Construction and demolition debris will be accepted provided the resident is performing the actual labor on his or her primary residence. A copy of the building permit showing the property owner as the contractor must be

shown to the attendant. Debris created by contractors working for residents will not be accepted. Landlords who are physically performing maintenance and repair activities on their rental property may use the center provided they comply with all other requirements.

Programs

1. **MULCH** - Untreated mulch is available at no cost. The attendant will assist in loading vehicles when safety and time permit. The City is not responsible for damage to vehicles while loading mulch.

2. **CFC/HCFC removal** - EPA air quality regulations require that the compounds commonly referred to as "freon" be removed

from appliances before they are discarded. All appliances such as refrigerators, freezers, and dehumidifiers must be serviced by a licensed technician before disposal. There is a \$10.25 service charge for this service.

3. **PROPANE GRILL TANK DISPOSAL** - Obsolete propane tanks are accepted for recycling. Propane tanks with a capacity ranging between 4-40 pounds, including the 20 pound standard size usually



supplied with gas grills are accepted. Older style tanks typically have a round valve knob while approved tanks have a three-sided handle with the letters "ODP" stamped on the

Hours

Tuesday	12:30-3:30
Wednesday	12:30-3:30
Friday	12:30-3:30
Saturday	8:00-4:30

handle and also embossed on the brass body of the valve. Propane dealers no longer refill older style tanks.

4. **WHITE GOODS RECYCLING**-Major household appliances such as washers, dryers, stoves, and water heaters are accepted for recycling.

Items accepted

- 1 Air conditioners, refrigerators, freezers, dehumidifiers, and other products containing CHC/HCFC gases. A \$10.25 gas removal fee is charged for each unit. Vehicle fees are not collected unless other items are discarded.
- 2 Tires - Up to 4 tires/year without rims.
- 3 Brush - Any length brush up to 6 inches in diameter.
- 4 Car seats.
- 5 Yard and garden waste.
- 6 Mattresses.
- 7 Household furniture.

- 8 Leaves and pine needles.
- 9 Major appliances such as washers, dryers, stoves, and hot water heaters.

Items not accepted

1. Stumps and logs over 8 inches in diameter.
2. Lumber with a cross section area greater than 30 square inches unless cut up.
3. Concrete or masonry products.



Fees	Debris	Brush & Yard Waste	Construction & Demolition
Car	\$3.25	No charge	\$3.25
Pickup	\$10.25	No charge	\$20.50
Single axle trailer	\$10.25	No charge	\$20.50
Dual axle trailer	\$20.50		\$30.75

Notes: 1. \$10.25 will be added to the fee for vehicles with raised sides.
 2. Dump trucks and tandem vehicles prohibited
 3. Non-standard vehicles will be charged as a dual axle trailer.

Miscellaneous

1. Recyclable items are removed from the waste stream and diverted to qualified recycling markets. The following recyclable materials are collected: yard waste, appliances, scrap metal, tires, "freon" gas, propane tanks, rechargeable batteries, and cell phones.

2. The Clean City Commission sponsors spring and fall "Clean Up Weeks." Most fees are waived and operating hours are extended.

3. Convenience Center hours may be expanded following periods of severe weather.

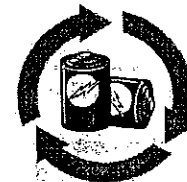
4. The center will be closed in conjunction with observed holidays



and during inclement weather emergencies.



Rechargeable Batteries



Cell Phones



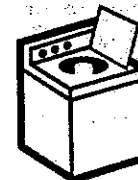
Tires



Propane Tanks



Appliances



Yard Waste

