



September 19, 2016

## **DPW Fall Recycling Event set for October 1st**

**The Bedford Department of Public Works will host the fall recycling event on Saturday, October 1<sup>st</sup> from 9 a.m. to noon at the DPW facility at 314 Great Road.**

- **Paper Shredding will be done on site. Limit five boxes per car.**
- **Transition Bedford will be collecting laptops computers. The laptops will be upgraded or repaired and given to veterans living at a homeless shelter in Lowell and to the VA Computer Lab.**
- **Scrap metal**
- **Fluorescent lamps, mercury containing items, sealed lead acid batteries and rechargeable batteries. NO ALKALINE BATTERIES.**
- **Propane tanks**
- **Tires (Cars, SUVs, Light truck)**

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***We are not collecting Styrofoam. It can go in trash (not recycling bin).***

***We are not collecting Electronic Waste (except for laptops, see above).***

***Wait until the Spring event or call Republic Services and schedule a pick up.***

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## **Recycle That ACCEPTABLE ITEMS: (Clean, Dry & Bagged)**

### **Clothing & Fashion Accessories** (stained, worn or torn is fine)

- Men, Women, Children
- Dresses, shirts, Pants, Suits
- Coats, Gloves, Hats
- Belts, Ties, Scarves
- Wallets, Purses, Backpacks, Totes
- Shoes / Sandals
- Watches & Jewelry
- Towels / Bedding / Linens

### **Books / CDs / DVDs**

- Hard & Soft Cover / Audio Books
- Movies / Music / Games

### **Small Household Goods/Small Appliances (e.g. toaster, coffee makers)**

### **Décor**

### **Toys & Stuffed Animals**

## **Items Recycle That cannot accept:**

- Breakable Housewares or Glass
- Electronics: TVs, Computers, Monitors
- Furniture
- Building Materials
- Scrap Metal: bed frames, curtain rods
- Large Appliances
- Mattresses
- Encyclopedia sets, Phone Books, Magazines