

Yard Waste Guidelines

for Dover Township Residents

Yard Waste Is...

material such as tree trimmings, shrubbery and other organic landscape vegetation not listed below.



How to Prepare Yard Waste

- 1. Place yard waste in biodegradable brown paper bags or bundle it with biodegradable twine in easy-to-handle bundles.
 - Bundles may be no longer than 5 feet in length.
 - Bundles may not weigh more than 30 pounds each.
 - Branches may not exceed 6 inches in diameter.
- Once prepared, yard waste must be placed at the curb on scheduled pick up day before 6:00 am.
- 3. An unlimited number of bags or bundles may be placed at the curb.

DO NOT place these items out for yard waste collection:

Grass Clippings

Fruits & Vegetables

Tree Stumps

Dirt & Stones









Please prepare your yard waste properly. Yard Waste in plastic bags WILL NOT be collected!

Bulk Item Guidelines



Dover Township residents may dispose of one (1) bulk item per week through curb side collection. Please have your waste, recycling, and bulk item available for collection at the curb by 6:00 am. A bag of trash does not count as a bulk item.

ACCEPTED MATERIALS – Appliances, furniture, mattresses, box springs, one (1) car tire without the rim, lawn mowers (oil and gasoline removed), plumbing fixtures such as toilets and sinks, three (3) 4 ft. rolls of carpet (tied).

NON-ACCEPTABLE MATERIALS – Electronic Waste (computers, televisions, etc.) chemicals, stains, liquids, batteries, automobile parts, hazardous waste, tires on rims, commercial/industrial waste, construction materials (drywall, brick, block, lumber, shingles, tiles, concrete).

ADDITIONAL INSTRUCTIONS – Items which are too heavy to be lifted into a truck by two people will not be accepted. Additional trash bags are NOT considered a bulk item.

Appliances with Freon will be collected by appointment only. Please call Penn Waste at 717-767-4456 to schedule collection. (Items include but are not limited to air conditioners, refrigerators, freezers, etc.)