COLTS NECK TOWNSHIP

2025 CLEAN-UP DAY BRUSH and LEAF COLLECTION

1 Veterans Way, Colts Neck, NJ 07722 **Tel: (732) 462-5470**
Website: www.coltsneck.org **TDD-TTY: 732-462-6090**

CLEAN-UP DAY
ONE DAY ONLY – SATURDAY, MAY 3, 2025
LOCATION: MAZZA RECYCLING
7:00 AM – 1:00 PM

IMPORTANT REMINDER:
Residents interested in participating in the 2025 Clean-Up Day should bring their debris to Mazza Recycling located at 3230 Shafto Road, Tinton Falls, NJ 07753. **Any questions, please call the Department of Public Works at 732-462-7998. Please do not call Mazza Recycling.**

IMPORTANT NOTE: Once again Mazza Recycling has informed Colts Neck Township that No Commercial vehicle license plates or Commercial markings allowed as per NJDEP A-901 Regulations.

The Colts Neck Recycling Convenience Center Days & Hours:
Monday, Wednesday & Friday – 8:00 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.; Closed Tuesdays & Thursdays
April 5th through November 1st, the Center is open Saturdays 8:00 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.

DO NOT GO TO THE TOWNSHIP PUBLIC WORKS YARD!

This event is open to Colts Neck residents only. Therefore, be sure to have your driver license with you and be prepared to present it upon entering. **NOTE: This is not an event for commercial businesses**.

The following items may be disposed of:

1. Batteries (NO HOUSEHOLD BATTERIES).
2. Lawn mowers, trimmers, etc. (Gasoline and oil must be removed from power equipment or it will NOT be accepted.).
3. Appliances (Washing machines, dryers, etc.).
4. Metal Items.
5. Household Items – carpets, furniture, etc.
6. Building Materials/Lumber/Wood Pallets.
7. Concrete/Masonry.
8. Electronics.
9. Empty Propane Tanks with valve open.

For ease in disposal at Mazza Recycling, please pack your vehicle electronics first, then metal, then concrete and then any remaining items.

NOTE: No hazardous material of any kind will be accepted. This includes chemicals, fertilizer, paints, pesticides, herbicides, creosote, oil, and gasoline. An inspector may be on location to ensure compliance with this stipulation.

IMPORTANT NOTE ABOUT TIRES: Tires may **NOT** be brought to Mazza Recycling. You may dispose of up to eight (8) car tires (18" or less without rims) at the Monmouth County Reclamation Center on Asbury Avenue in Tinton Falls. A small fee may be charged. Call 732-683-8686 for more information.

SENIORS: Starting May 5th, the Township will assist seniors (62 or older) and residents with disabilities by collecting their debris curbside and transporting it to Mazza Recycling. **All residents must provide proof of age or disability to the Public Works Department located at 231 Route 34, (GPS: Public Works Way) or email to: dpw@coltsneck.org.** Qualified residents **MUST** schedule a pick-up in advance by calling the Department of Public Works at 732-462-7998 between April 7th and May 1st. **Requests for pick-up after 3:00 pm on May 1st will NOT be accepted.** Eligibility for this service will be made on a case-by-case basis. Residents deemed eligible should place their items on the curb line, **not to exceed 5 feet high by 5 feet wide by 15 feet long. All small items MUST be bagged. Please note that Public Works can collect all items listed on the previous page EXCEPT#6 – Building Materials/Lumber/Wood Pallets and #7 – Concrete/Masonry. No Freon Products will be collected. Should you need to dispose of these items, you must make alternate arrangements.**

CLEAN-UP DAY GUIDELINES

Clean-Up Day is a Service Provided for Colts Neck Township Residents Only

YES, YES, YES!!

1. Batteries (Except household batteries).
2. Metal Items (bicycles, lawn mowers, trimmers, etc. Be sure gasoline and oil are removed from any motorized items otherwise it will NOT be accepted.).
3. Appliances (Washers, dryers, etc.).
4. Metal Items.
5. Household Items (carpet, furniture, etc.).
6. Building Materials/Wood Pallets.
7. Concrete/Masonry.
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NO, NO, NO!!

1. **NO COMMERCIAL BUSINESSES**. This is for Colts Neck residents only.
2. No non-residents of Colts Neck.
3. No commercial business items.
4. No commercial vehicle license plates or commercial markings allowed as per NJDEP A-901 Regulations.
5. No trailers over 3 cubic yards.
6. No vehicles over 7,200 lbs. (pick-ups and small vans acceptable).
7. No vegetative waste (leaves, stumps, branches, etc.).
8. No animal waste.
9. **NO HAZARDOUS PRODUCTS** (chemicals, pesticides, herbicides, gasoline, oil, creosote, paints, etc.).
10. No recyclables (glass, cans, newspapers or cardboard).
11. **NO TIRES** – Tires may be disposed of at the Monmouth County Reclamation Center. For information call: 732-683-8686.

2025 BRUSH COLLECTION GUIDELINES AND SCHEDULE

- Only brush up to four (4) inches in diameter and no longer than eight (8) feet in length will be collected.
- Brush mixed with foreign materials such as: bamboo, stumps, roots, leaves, grass, lumber or oversized material will not be collected.
- This service is for tree and shrub prunings only. This is NOT a land clearing or tree removal service.
- No more than 20 cubic yards of brush (approximately five feet high, eight feet in width and fourteen feet in length) may be placed per property for each scheduled collection.
- Brush must be placed in front of your dwelling at the curb line or edge of pavement and should not extend onto the paved portion of the street further than three (3) feet and should not impede traffic or create a safety hazard.
- Brush placed at the curb line or edge of pavement shall be no closer than ten (10) feet from any storm drain inlet or stream.
- Brush must not be placed beside poles, bushes, mailboxes, etc. If the brush is not accessible by the collection machinery, it will not be picked up.
- Brush may be placed at the curb **no more than fourteen (14) days prior** to the scheduled collection date and no later than the day before the first collection date of the week.
- There will be only one pickup in your area during your schedule week.
- **No collection for the months of June, July and August. Brush collection will resume in September & October**.

ZONE 1 FIRST FULL WEEK of the month (4/7, 5/5, 9/1, 10/6/2025)
ZONE 2 SECOND FULL WEEK of the month (4/14, 5/12, 9/8, 10/13/2025)
ZONE 3 THIRD FULL WEEK of the month (4/21, 5/19, 9/15, 10/20/2025)
ZONE 4 FOURTH FULL WEEK of the month (4/28, 5/26, 9/22, 10/27/2025)

2025 FALL LEAF COLLECTION SCHEDULE

ZONE 1 WEEK OF: (10/20, 11/17/2025)
ZONE 2 WEEK OF: (10/27, 11/24/2025)
ZONE 3 WEEK OF (11/3, 12/1/2025)
ZONE 4 WEEK OF: (11/10, 12/8/2025)

NOTE: The Township will be offering a **FINAL LEAF COLLECTION** for **ALL** zones December 8 through December 19 subject to weather conditions. Starting **November 3rd,** residents in need of this final collection **MUST** request the collection by contacting the Department of Public Works at 732-462-7998, by 3:00 pm., December 4, 2025. Please be advised we will not be accepting calls after that date and time for any additional pickup. Leaves must be out by December 8th. If you do not call, you will not receive this final collection and will be required to remove the leaves from the curb.

LEAVES SHOULD BE PLACED AT THE CURB ***NO SOONER THAN*** THE **TWO WEEKS BEFORE** THE START OF THE COLLECTION WEEK AND ***NO LATER THAN*** THE **DAY BEFORE** THE START OF THE COLLECTION WEEK.

LEAVES PUT OUT AFTER THIS TIME PERIOD **WILL NOT BE COLLECTED** AND IT WILL BE THE PROPERTY OWNER'S RESPONSIBILITY TO REMOVE THE LEAVES FROM THE CURB.

IMPORTANT NOTES

- **ONLY LEAVES** shall be placed along the side of the road for collection. Leaf vacuum machines can only pick up loose leaves.
- Leaves shall not be in bags or mixed with any other debris such as grass, limbs, brush, tree stumps, roots, lumber, branches or twigs. Bagged leaves or piles with leaves mixed with other materials will **NOT** be collected and will be the property owner's responsibility to remove from the curb.
- Leaves must be placed at the curb line or edge of the pavement in a neat, loose row and shall not extend onto the portion of the street further than three feet.
- Leaf placement shall not impede traffic or create a safety hazard.
- All leaves placed along the side of the road for collection shall be no closer than ten feet from any storm drain, inlet or stream.
- Property owners are responsible for notifying their landscapers of the Township's leaf collection schedule and rules.

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The Clean Communities Program has grant funds available for non-profit community groups to clean targeted streets within the Township. This is a great opportunity to earn money for your non-profit organization while keeping your community clean. Please contact the Clean Communities Coordinator at 732-462-7998 for additional information.

Please go to www.coltsneck.org and SUBSCRIBE TO NOTIFICATIONS, follow the instructions, select the topics you want to receive notifications from and stay up to date.

SMART 911 COMMUNITY NOTIFICATION SYSTEM

Several years ago, in an effort to provide more reliable communications with residents and businesses in the Township, we implemented a Community Notification System. Through Smart 911 we will call, text and/or email you in the event of an emergency.

If you have not signed up for Smart 911 Alerts, please visit the Township's website at www.coltsneck.org and click on the Smart 911 button and follow the instructions for sign up.

If you are already registered, please take a moment to log in and make sure your contact information is up to date.