

2026

North Archipelago Waste Information

SITE 9 LANDFILL, BAYFIELD, POINTE AU BARIL,
AND SKERRYVORE TRANSFER STATIONS



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PLEASE NOTE: Due to staffing or weather, service disruptions may occur. We apologize for any inconvenience.



All of the Township's waste sites are staffed to assist you. Please note that it is the responsibility of residents to sort their household garbage and recycling prior to arriving at the recycling and waste facility. **Township staff will not open containers or sort materials for you.**



243
Tonnes Recycled
in 2025



21
Staff



11
Transfer
Stations



1,378
Days of open
sites, combined.

DEPOT RECYCLING GUIDE

Recycling Changes - O. Reg. 391/21

A provincial shift in recycling occurred on January 1, 2026 where producers of recycling now are responsible for the material, not municipalities. The Archipelago is working hard with the producer group and contractors to ensure a smooth transition will little difference experienced on site.

Cartons and juice containers are now to be placed in the plastic stream. Please review the link listing accepted materials and appropriate stream.

<https://www.circularmaterials.ca/resident-communities/the-archipelago/>

Items that are not permitted in the recycling streams include books, ceramics, pots and pans, toys, diapers, organics, and alcohol containers (return for refund).



PLACE THESE MATERIALS CLEAN, DRY, AND LOOSE IN THE RECYCLING BINS.

LEARN MORE:
CIRCULARMATERIALS.CA/ON



Payment Methods at Transfer Stations and Site 9

Payment methods available to residents and contractors are **PayPal (via QR Code), Waste Tags, and a debit terminal (Site 9 only)**. **Cash is no longer accepted for fee items**; fees must be paid using one of the three payment methods mentioned above. Waste Tags are \$2.50 per tag and must be purchased in advance and provided to the attendant upon waste disposal. Waste tags are available for purchase in advance at the Township office, Holiday Cove Marina, and Site 9.



Please download the **PayPal app** or purchase **Waste Tags** in advance of delivering payable fee items to the transfer stations.



Household Hazardous Waste (HHW)

The Township of The Archipelago has an agreement with the Town of Parry Sound for Archipelago residents to dispose of household hazardous waste at the MacFarlane Street Transfer Station, located at 57 MacFarlane Street in Parry Sound. Commercial hazardous waste is not accepted.

FoodCyclers Still Available

FoodCyclers are still available for purchase at a subsidized rate, with delivery direct from the supplier to residents, at fcs-events.com/foodcycler-archipelago. In 2025, 118 tonnes of organic waste were diverted from the landfill.

Waste Tipping Fees

Please review [By-Law 2022-08](#) for updated tipping fees that came into effect on January 1st, 2023.

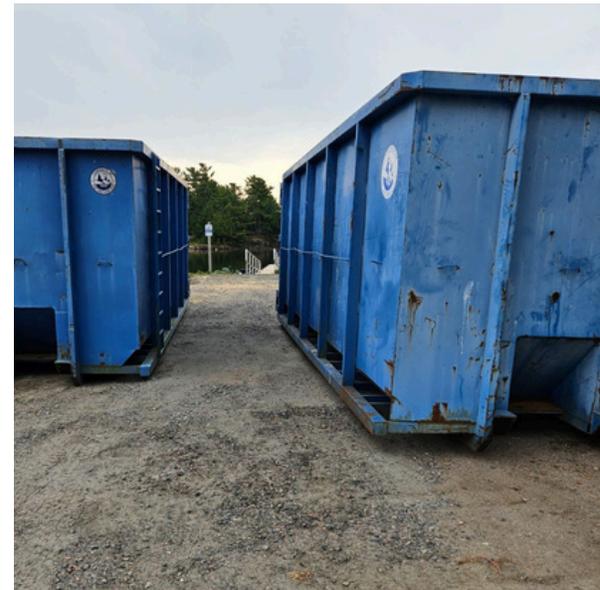
Please Note: A \$30 freon removal fee will be charged for items such as fridges, freezers, air conditioners etc.

Clear Plastic Bag Policy

It is mandatory that all household garbage and/or recyclables be placed in clear plastic bags. Open recycling containers are also acceptable.

Waste Disposal Cards

All users of the Township's recycling and waste disposal facilities must present a waste disposal card to the attendant. If you are a new owner of property in the Township and require a card, or require a replacement card, please call the Township Office at 705-746-4243 Ext. 341. You may also submit a [Service Request](#) on the Township's website at thearchipelago.ca. Please note that waste cards do not have an expiry date.



Acceptable Items

Please visit the [Township's website](#) for more information regarding the accepted items, such as recycling, scrap metal, electronic waste, tires, brush, etc. at each transfer station, as not all transfer stations accept the same items.

2026 Large Household Item Disposal Days

*Large household items only; does not include construction waste, lumber, boats, freon, etc.

Location	Date	Time
Bayfield Landing Dock (Arrival by boat only)	Sunday, June 28th	9:00 am - 4:00 pm
	<i>Only one Bayfield event in 2026 due to planned wharf construction.</i>	9:00 am - 4:00 pm
Pointe au Baril Wharf (Arrival by boat only)	Saturday, June 27th	9:00 am - 4:00 pm
	Saturday, August 8th	9:00 am - 4:00 pm
Site 9 Landfill	Saturday, June 27th	8:00am – 5:00 pm
	Saturday, August 8th	8:00am – 5:00 pm
Skerryvore	Sunday, September 13th	10:00am – 8:00 pm

2026 Hours of Operation

Please consult the Township’s website thearchipelago.ca for current information, updates, and listings of items accepted at the Township’s waste facilities.

Site 9 Landfill - 10 Site 9 Road		
Weekday	Summer Hours*	Winter hours
Sunday	Closed	Closed
Monday	8:00 am - 5:00 pm	8:00 am - 5:00 pm
Tuesday	Closed	Closed
Wednesday	8:00 am - 5:00 pm	8:00 am - 5:00 pm
Thursday	Closed	Closed
Friday	8:00 am - 5:00 pm	Closed
Saturday	8:00 am - 5:00 pm	8:00 am - 5:00 pm

Open on:
Easter Monday, Victoria Day, Civic Holiday, Labour Day, Truth and Reconciliation Day, Thanksgiving Day, and Remembrance Day.

Closed on:
New Year's Day
Family Day
Good Friday
Easter Sunday
Canada Day
Christmas Day
Boxing Day

*Summer Hours commence the first Saturday in April and end on Thanksgiving Day.

Bayfield Transfer Station (100 Highway 529A)

Weekday	Summer Hours*	Winter hours	
Sunday	8:00 am - 8:00 pm	Closed	<p>Open until 8:00 pm on: Victoria Day Canada Day Civic Holiday Labour Day Truth and Reconciliation Day (8:00am-12:00pm) Thanksgiving Day</p> <p>*Opens the Sunday of the Victoria Day Weekend and closes on Thanksgiving Day.</p>
Monday	8:00 am - Noon	Closed	
Tuesday	Closed	Closed	
Wednesday	8:00 am - Noon	Closed	
Thursday	Closed	Closed	
Friday	Closed	Closed	
Saturday	Closed	Closed	

Pointe Au Baril Transfer Station (27 South Shore Road)

Weekday	Summer Hours*	Winter hours	
Sunday	8:00 am - 8:00 pm	8:00 am - 6:00 pm	<p>Open on: Family Day (10:00am - 6:00pm) Easter Monday (10:00am - 6:00pm) Victoria Day Canada Day Civic Holiday Labour Day Truth and Reconciliation Day Thanksgiving Day Christmas Eve Day (8:00am-12:00pm)</p> <p>Closed on: New Years Day Good Friday Easter Sunday Remembrance Day Christmas Day Boxing Day</p> <p>*Summer Hours commence Saturday of Victoria Day Weekend and end on Thanksgiving Day</p>
Monday	8:00 am - 8:00 pm	Closed	
Tuesday	8:00 am - 8:00 pm	Closed	
Wednesday	8:00 am - 8:00 pm	Closed	
Thursday	8:00 am - 8:00 pm	8:00 am - 6:00 pm	
Friday	8:00 am - 8:00 pm	Closed	
Saturday	8:00 am - 8:00 pm	Closed	

Skerryvore Transfer Station (449 Skerryvore Community Road)

Weekday	Summer Hours*	Winter hours	
Sunday	10:00 am - 8:00 pm	Noon - 6:00 pm	<p>Open until 8:00 pm on: Family Day (12:00pm-6:00pm) Easter Monday Victoria Day Canada Day Civic Holiday Labour Day Truth and Reconciliation Day Thanksgiving Day</p> <p>Closed on: New Year's Day Good Friday Easter Sunday Christmas Day Boxing Day</p> <p>*Summer Hours commence the second Sunday in April and end on Thanksgiving Day</p>
Monday	1:00 pm - 5:00 pm	Closed	
Tuesday	Closed	Closed	
Wednesday	1:00 pm - 8:00 pm	Closed	
Thursday	Closed	Closed	
Friday	Closed	Closed	
Saturday	Closed	Closed	