

Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection regulation 310CMR 19.017 has banned the following items for disposal at landfills and combustion (except wood) facilities. Additionally, these items are banned for transfer for disposal from transfer stations and construction and demolition facilities. These items must be handled separately.



Commercial Food Waste
(Businesses or institutions disposing one ton/wk or more)



Cardboard & Paper



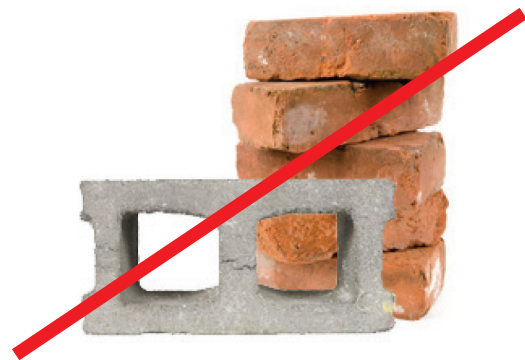
Glass, Metal & Plastic Containers



Wood



Leaves & Yard Waste



Asphalt Pavement, Brick & Concrete



Ferrous & Non-Ferrous Metals



Lead Batteries



TVs, Computer Monitors & CRTs

ALSO BANNED: clean gypsum wallboard, vehicle tires, major appliances, (i.e., refrigerators, washers/dryers, freezers, a/c, ovens, microwaves, hot water heaters, etc.)

ALSO PROHIBITED: fluorescent bulbs, mercury products, radioactive waste, sludges, liquid (including cooking oil) and flammable waste, infectious (medical) waste, asbestos, pool chemicals, hazardous waste

Massachusetts State Waste Ban Regulations

Violators may be subject to sorting and recovery fees, rejection of disposal, and/or state agency enforcement and fines.