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Mattress Disposal Guidance

Effective November 1, 2022, due to new Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection (MA DEP) regulations, mattresses will no longer be allowed in the trash. Mattresses will be required to be kept out of the trash so they can be recycled or donated for reuse. In order to comply, Walpole will be changing the way we collect mattresses and box springs. Below you will find a list of resources that you can use to properly dispose of your mattresses and box springs. To find out more information regarding the MA DEP Waste Ban on Mattresses, please visit:

https://www.mass.gov/service-details/mattress-recycling



The Towns current trash/recycling hauler, Boston Carting will collect mattresses and box springs from those residents who currently receive curbside collection. Should you wish to have your mattress or box spring collected, please contact Boston Carting directly at 617-541-4009 to schedule a pickup. Fees associated with this collection are:

> \$75 for the first item \$50 for the second item

Payment will be made directly through Boston Carting



Eco+

131 Morse St Foxboro, Ma. 02035

Office: 508-851-7540

Pricing

Mattresses or Box Springs \$35 fee for drop off

Additional \$35 fee should resident wish to have a mattress/box spring picked up at their home.

Effective April 1, 2023, New Life will only be accepting beds at drop-off on the last Saturday of every month or anytime from pickups. Mattresses and box springs will not be accepted on any other drop-off days. A fee of \$40 per mattress or box spring will be required regardless of size and condition to cover the cost of sanitization and bagging. This will help ensure that the beds going to our clients are clean and protected when they arrive at their homes. Payment will be accepted through cash, check, Venmo, or credit card.

Address: 102 Elm Street Walpole, MA 02081

Website: New Life Furniture Bank of MA (newlifefb.org)



Recycling furniture. Rebuilding lives.





Purchasing a mattress through a store? Check to see if the store offers a takeback program.

Jordan's Furniture has a complementary take back program with the purchase of a mattress.

Cardi's charges \$10 for mattress disposal and \$10 for box spring disposal with the purchase of a mattress.

Other Mattress Collectors

Ace Mattress Enterprises LLC

1950 South County Trail East Greenwich, RI 02818

Contact: Adriane Catlin, 401-640-2725

GGY Transport, LLC - Tough Stuff Recycling

145 Authority Drive Fitchburg, MA 01420

Contact: Rodney Clara, 800-273-4137

Raw Material Recovery Corp.

461 West Broadway Gardner, MA 01440

Contact: Debra Peloquin, 978-730-8266

HandUp US LLC

127 West Rodney French Boulevard

New Bedford, MA 02744

Contact: <u>Erik Dyson</u>, <u>617-378-7619</u>

UTEC Inc. / United Teen Equality Center

35 Warren Street Lowell, MA 01825

Contact: Ricardo Febles, 978-856-3997