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Solid Waste & COVID-19 State of Emergency

During the COVID-19 state of emergency, the Vermont Department of Environmental Conservation (DEC) asks the public to please take the following precautions when visiting solid waste facilities and drop offs.

- Only visit if you are healthy.
- Call before you head out to check hours of operation and available services. Many facilities have reduced their hours and/or changed their operations.
- Practice social distancing by keeping at least 6 feet of space between other customers and staff.
- Wear a mask when visiting transfer stations, drop offs and other solid waste facilities.
- When possible, stay in your vehicle while waiting at the scales or in line to drop your trash.
- If you need to enter a building, follow the facility's restrictions for number of persons at one time.

Questions? Please contact the [VT DEC Solid Waste Program](#) at 802-828-1138.

Help prevent the spread of COVID-19 throughout Vermont. Learn more at [VT Department of Health](#).