

**Town of Sterling**  
**Residential Curbside Trash/Recycling Collection**  
**June 1, 2017- May 31, 2018**

**Please have trash and recyclables at curbside by 7am**, no more than 5 feet from the curb (in or out of barrels) on your regular trash collection day. Each bag should weigh no more than 30 lbs. Trash is picked up weekly.

**Recycling Collection Schedule**

**Week A – Commingle Collection** includes metal food or beverage cans, food or beverage glass jars & bottles, plastic bottles & containers marked #1, #2, #3, #4, #5, #6, #7 be sure all containers are emptied and rinsed. Do not recycle lids.

**Week B – Paper Collection** includes clean cardboard (no dirty pizza boxes) newspaper, catalogs, phone books, magazines, junk mail, computer paper, office paper, paper bags and chipboard (cereal or cracker boxes).

**Cardboard** must be cut down to **no larger than 24 inches by 24 inches** in size with staples & tape removed. It may be bundled into 12-inch thick bundles with string or masking tape or it can be placed into a blue recycle bin.

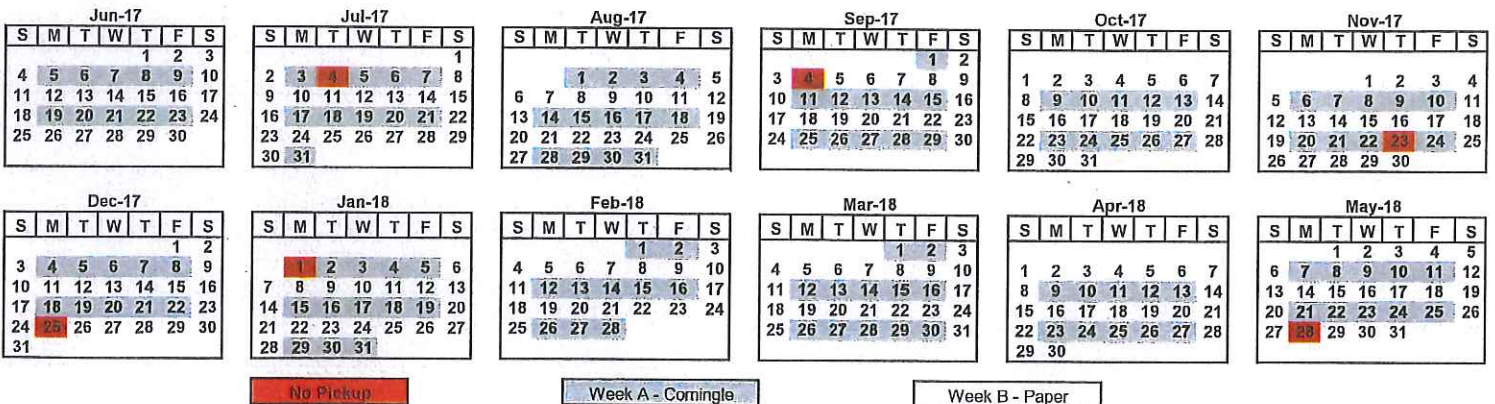
**Holiday Schedule for Trash and Recycling**

Whenever a scheduled collection day falls on a holiday, that day's collection and all remaining collections for the week will be delayed one day. Friday's collection will be on Saturday. The only holidays affected are in orange on the calendar below.

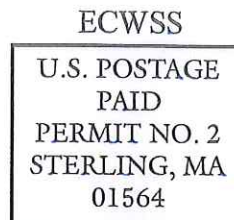
**Inclement Weather**

Due to inclement weather, curbside trash & recycling may be delayed a day, therefore if your trash or recyclables are not picked up; please put them out the following day. Please sign up for CODE RED, on the town's website, for important email and text messages regarding trash delays.

**Paper/Commingle Pick up Schedule**



Town of Sterling DPW  
PO Box 537  
Sterling, MA 01564



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**2017-2018 Trash & Recycling Information**  
[www.sterling-ma.gov](http://www.sterling-ma.gov)

**Wachusett Regional Recycle Center**

Location: 131 Raymond Huntington Highway, West Boylston, MA  
Phone: 978-464-2854  
Website: [wachusettearthday.org](http://wachusettearthday.org)

A valid form of ID (license, registration) is required to access the center.

**Town Stickers**

Stickers will only be issued for parking at the town beach. Stickers for the beach can be obtained at the Recreation office. Please call their office at 978-422-3041 for further information.

**Recycling Bins**

**Curbside Recycling Bins** will be available for purchase at the DPW Office at a cost of \$7 each.