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To all Lyme-based Charitable organizations.

Transfer Station Operations

To clarify the operation of the Transfer Station in respect of fund-raising and other voluntary events, the Selectboard would re-iterate the operational rules that affect the Transfer Station:

- Transfer Station hours are Wednesday 4:00-6:00PM and Sunday 8:30-11:00AM. Under the terms of the State permit, the Transfer Station cannot accept material outside these hours.
- Fund-raising organizations may throw recyclable materials at these times.
- Electronics can no longer be disposed of in landfill and are recycled by a commercial operator. Organizing each Electronics day costs the town about \$600 on top of the charges made to the individual user. All users of this service are responsible for paying the contractor's individual charges.
- Hazardous waste materials are not taken at the transfer station but have to be taken to Lebanon on one of the designated Hazardous waste days. The dates are noticed on the town website.
- The Bargain Barn may dispose of waste at no charge. Such waste must be brought in by a designated person from the Bargain Barn, who contacts a transfer station crew member for directions on where to dispose of it.

- On the Conservation Commission’s Cleanup Day (“Green-up Day”) and Connecticut River Watershed Council’s Cleanup (“Source to Sea”) the Town will accept cleared trash in the blue bags provided, under the auspices of the Conservation Commission and the Connecticut River Watershed Council, respectively, at no charge.
- Roadside tires are only taken at no charge on Green-up Day and Connecticut River Cleanup. They must be taken by a designated member of the Conservation Commission or Connecticut River Watershed Council. All other tires are liable to the regular charges.

Any questions regarding permissible operation and appropriate materials should be addressed to the Transfer Station Superintendent, Matt Thebodo: e-mail Transferstation@lymenh.gov.

The Board would also like to remind all organizations that the prime function of the transfer station is to service first, and foremost, the citizens of the town. It recognizes that the various fundraisers and other activities also benefit the town, but that such operations should not be at the expense of the regular users.

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