

Maine Oil Recycling Program Directory



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The Maine Oil Recycling Program (MORP) was initiated to promote better management of used motor oil through recycling. In recent years, due to escalating costs, many people have started to change their own automotive oil. MORP is directed toward this do-it-yourself (DIY) oil changer because many DIY's are unaware of the potential hazards of improper oil disposal. MORP gives them an opportunity to help promote energy conservation and enhance environmental quality.

Most people respect the environment and have supported various programs to conserve or improve its quality. However, some people are unaware when they change their own oil that a product which is harmful to our environment is generated which must be disposed of properly. Uncaring individuals might set it out with the trash, take it to their local landfill, drain it down a nearby storm sewer, or dump it in a vacant lot. These practices are not only wasteful and create a potential threat to the environment, but are also illegal. Recycling offers the best alternative.

Under the Maine Oil Recycling Program (MORP), the Department of Environmental Protection encourages you to properly dispose of your used oil. To promote resource conservation and environmental protection, please drain your oil into a plastic container and deliver it to the nearest collection center. In order to assist MORP, the businesses listed in this directory have volunteered to act as collection stations. When you change your oil, you may bring it to one of these locations. Check the MORP directory for the most convenient center in your area or call the Department at 207-287-2651.

We hope that after reading this description you will participate in this program to help conserve energy and protect Maine's environment.

WHY?

1. IT REDUCES ENVIRONMENTAL POLLUTION

Used oil is a potential pollutant of Maine's environment and drinking water supplies. It contains harmful contaminants, some of which are hazardous to human health. Oil dumped down storm sewers is carried to the nearest stream, river or lake. Oil that is sent to a landfill or dumped on the ground may end up in waterways or water supplies.

Improper disposal of waste oil is a violation of state law. Proper disposal of used oil at a recycling center helps protect Maine's environment and maintain quality drinking water.

2. IT SAVES A VALUABLE RESOURCE

Every gallon of oil that is discarded is another gallon that must be refined from a finite world supply of crude oil. Recycling used oil saves these resources. Used oil is relatively inexpensive to refine into clean lubricating oil. Also, used oil (free of harmful contaminants) is an efficient energy source when burned. Even the smallest amounts are important –it all adds up.

RECYCLE!

GUIDELINES FOR RETURNING YOUR USED OIL

- If possible, please return used oil during non-rush periods of business.
- Please return oil in a non-breakable, closed plastic container (for example, an empty bleach bottle).
- Please take container with you after depositing your oil.
- Deposit only used crankcase oil and transmission fluids.

NOTE: Battery acids, gasoline, antifreeze and other similar materials are not to be deposited at these collection sites. The only exception is for a collection center which has a separate antifreeze collection container.

PRECAUTIONS YOU SHOULD FOLLOW

- Avoid prolonged skin contact with used motor oil.
- Remove motor oil from skin by washing thoroughly with soap and water; a waterless hand cleaner is an effective cleansing aid.
- Do not use gasoline, thinners, or solvents to remove oil from skin.
- Avoid prolonged skin contact with oil-soiled clothing, and wash soiled clothing before re-use.
- Discard oil-soaked shoes and unwashable articles of clothing.

IF YOU SEE AN OIL SPILL, PLEASE REPORT IT TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION SO THAT IT CAN BE CLEANED UP BEFORE IT CAUSES FURTHER DAMAGE.

IMPORTANT TELEPHONE NUMBERS

**To Report an Oil Spill
1-800-482-0777**

**For Information about MORP:
207-287-2651**

**For Environmental Assistance:
207-287-2651**

**Maine State Police:
1-800-452-4664**

RETURNING USED ANTIFREEZE

- Contact the business by phone, if possible, to make sure used antifreeze is being accepted.
- Please return used antifreeze in its original container or a non-breakable container such as plastic.
- Do not mix used antifreeze with any other liquid wastes at home or at the collection site. Mixing antifreeze with used oil adds to the expense for disposal. Used oil mixed with antifreeze cannot be used as a fuel supplement without treatment.

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*Please call the facility directly for questions,
hours, or to check on any changes to their
acceptance procedures.*

Androscoggin County

A Plus Auto Repair
41 Millet Drive
Auburn, Me 04210
Contact: Kerrie Childs
207-786-0522
***Please call first**

Environmental Projects, Inc. (EPI)
664 Washington St.
Auburn, Me 04210
Contact: Brett Rogers
207-786-7390
***Also accept household hazardous waste
and waste gasoline**

Lisbon Transfer and Recycling Center
14 Capital Ave.
Lisbon, Me 04252
207-353-3009
April – November
***Lisbon residents only; must be in 2 gallon
containers or smaller**

Poisson & Son Auto Care Center
260 South Main St.
Auburn, Me 04210
Contact: Dan Poisson
207-782-9144

RDA Automotive
68 Adams Ave.
Lewiston, Me 04240
Contact: John Lavoisier
207-783-0581

Poland Transfer Station
1231 Main St.
Poland, Me 04274
Contact: Jim Scott
207-998-4688
***Poland residents only; must be in clear
containers preferably milk jugs**

Turner Transfer Station
57 Dump Rd.
Turner, Me 04282
207-225-2980
***Turner residents only**

Aroostook County

Beaulieu's Garage & Body Shop
490 Main St.
Caribou, Me 04736
Contact: Jeff Robertson
207-492-2471

McLaughlin Auto & Wrecker Service, Inc.
192 West Limestone Rd.
Fort Fairfield, Me 04742
(207) 473-7557

Pine Tree Waste
59 Alice Ave.
Houlton, Me 04730
Contact: Nate Chapman
207-532-4264

Kelco Industries
Rt. 161, P.O. Box 178
St. Francis, Me 04774
207-398-3569
***2 gallon limit; will accept anti-freeze in
your containers**

Ed Pelletier & Sons
17 Siding Rd.
Madawaska, Me 04756
207-728-3802, Ext. 13
Contact: Ron Jandreau
Hours: 7:00-5:00 M-F

Cumberland County

Bamforth Automotive, Inc.
Dba Bamforth Marine
200 Main St.
Brunswick, Me 04011
207-729-3303

Bridgton Transfer Station
118 Sandy Creek Rd.
Bridgton, Me 04009
207-647-8276
***Bridgton residents only**

Clean Harbors Environmental Services
37 Rumery Rd.
South Portland, Me 04106
207-772-2201
***Also accept Household Hazardous Waste
at 17 Main St. location**

Enpro Services of Maine
106 South Main St.
South Portland, Me 04106
207-799-0850
***Only residential oil accepted; also accept
waste gasoline (call to discuss fees)**

Falmouth Transfer Station
57 Woods Rd.
Falmouth, Me 04105
Contact: Jeff Buxton
207-781-3919
***Falmouth residences only**

Cape Elizabeth Recycling Center
21 Cooper Dr.
Cape Elizabeth, Me 04107
207-799-0324
***Cape Elizabeth residents only**

Freeport Recycling Center
100 Hedgehog Mountain Rd.
Freeport, Me 04032
207-865-3740
***Freeport, North Yarmouth, Durham, and
Pownal residents only; 5 gallons or less**

Standish Transfer Station
150 Moody Rd.
Standish, Me 04084
Contact: Raymond Kennedy
207-642-5559
***Standish residents; clear containers only**

Franklin County

Solon Transfer Station
1483 River Rd.
Solon, Me 04979
207-643-2941
***Solon residents only**

Wilton Transfer Station
211 Munson Rd.
Wilton, Me 04294
207-645-3731
***Wilton residents only; also accept
antifreeze**

Hancock County

Bucksport/Sumner Solid Waste and
Recycling Transfer Station
P.O. Box Drawer X
16 Transfer Station Rd.
Bucksport, Me 04416
207-469-7496
***Bucksport residents only**

Castine Transfer Station
315 Shore Rd.
Castine, Me 04421
207-326-4502
***Castine residents only**

Kennebec County

Arbo's Towing/Repair
126 Drummond Ave.
Waterville, Me 04901
207-872-9551
***Please call ahead**

Augusta Public Works Facility
55 North St.
Augusta, Me 04330
207-626-2435
***Augusta residents only; 3 gallon limit**
Hours: Monday –Friday, 8:00–2:30 ONLY

China Transfer Station
191 Alder Park Rd.
China, Me 04358
Contact: Elwin Higgins
207-445-3033
***China residents only; 5 gallon limit**

Monmouth Transfer Station
Route 135
Monmouth, Me 04259
207-592-2324
***Monmouth and Wales residents only**

Sidney Transfer Station
Public Works Dr.
Sidney, Me 04330
207-547-3340
***Sidney residents only**

Knox County

North Haven Recycling
Transfer Station
35 Dump Rd.
North Haven, Me 04853
207-867-4713; 207-867-4433 (town office)

Saint George Transfer Station
176 Wallston Rd.
Saint George, Me 04860
207-372-6451
***Saint George residents only**

Lincoln County

Boothbay Region Refuse
119 Country Club Rd.
Boothbay, Me 04537
207-633-5006
***Boothbay, Boothbay Harbor, Edgecomb,
and Southport residents only; less than 5
gallon containers, labeled**

Sol's Towing & Recovery
515 Orffs Corner Rd.
Waldoboro, Me 04572
207-832-5087

Wiscasset Transfer Station
3 Recycling Way
Wiscasset, Me 04578
207- 882-8231
***Wiscasset, Westport, and Alna residents
only; containers must be labeled with name
and phone number.**

Oxford County

Buckfield/Sumner Solid Waste and
Recycling Transfer Station
114 Sumner Rd.
Buckfield, Me 04220
207-336-2521
***Buckfield and Sumner residents only**

Blouin's Automotive Repair
8 Main St.
Dixfield, Me 04224
207-562-4921

Lovell Transfer Station
Public Works Rd. (Route 5)
Lovell, Me 04016
Contact: John Ramsden
207-925-1300
***Lovell, Stowe, Chatham, and Sweden
residents only**

Pete's Garage
82 N. Fryeburg Rd.
Fryeburg, Me 04037
207-697-2931

Town of Brownfield
82 Main St.
Brownfield, Me 04010
Contact: Frank Day
207-935-2152
***Brownfield residents only**

Piscataquis County

Abbot Transfer Station
133 Main Rd.
Abbot, Me 04406
207-876-3340
***Abbot residents only**

Penobscot County

Howland Transfer Station
20 Bridge St.
Howland, Me 04448
207-732-3513(Town Office)
207-732-4527 (Transfer Station)
Contact: Jason Helms
***Howland residents only**

Lincoln Transfer Station
3 Recycled Way
Lincoln, Me 04457
Contact: David Lloyd, Director
207-794-2621
207-290-7174
***Lincoln residents only**

Mid Maine Solid Waste Association
69 Airport Rd.
Corinna, Me 04930
207-924-3650

North Katahdin Valley Solid Waste
146 Dyer Brook Rd.
Dyer Brook, Me 04765
207-757-8700
***North Katahdin region residents only**

Norway Paris Solid Waste
39 Brown St.
Norway, Me 04268
207-743-8518
***Norway and Paris residents only**

Pray's Service Station
146 Main St.
Newport, Me 04953
207-368-5258

Swett's Tire & Auto
451 Hogan Rd.
Bangor, Me 04401
207-942-7678

Sagadahoc County

Bath Landfill
11 Detritus Rd.
Bath, Me 04530
207-443-8356
***Also accepts antifreeze**

Bert's Irving
P.O. Box 309
82 Leeman Highway
Bath, Me 04530
207-443-2497

D.R. Coffins Garage
150 State Rd.
West Bath, Me 04530
207-443-6411

Somerset Country

Jackman Transfer Station
31 Hastings Rd.
Jackman, Me 04945
207-668-2111
***Residents of Jackman, Moose River,
Dennistown, and some unorganized
townships only (call town office for details)**

Moose River Tire
565 Main St.
Jackman, Me 04945
207-668-7782

Pittsfield Transfer Station
Outer Peltoma Ave.
Pittsfield, Me 04967
207-487-3361

****Pittsfield, Palmyra, Hartland, Burnham,
Detroit residents only; 2.5 gallon
containers or less***

Skowhegan Solid Waste
Management Facility
29 Transfer Station Dr.
Skowhegan, Me 04976
207-474-6904

Waldo County

East Side Garage
4 Mill Lane
Belfast, Me 04915
207-338-4131

Belfast Transfer Station
Ducktrap River Rd.
Belfast, Me 04915
207-338-1817

Washington County

Baycity Garage
93 County Rd.
Eastport, Me 04631
207-853-2736

Cummings Garage
21 Washington St.
Eastport, Me 04631
207-853-4341

Pleasant River Solid Waste
1340 U.S. Highway #1
Columbia Falls, Me 04623
207-483-3844

York County

Buxton Transfer Station
185 Portland Rd.
Buxton, Me 04093
207-929-3913
****Buxton residents only; 5 gallon
containers or smaller***

Town of Sanford
156 School St.
Sanford, Me 04073
207-324-9135
**** Sanford Springvale residents only,
no businesses. \$0.50/gallon for clean oil,
\$1.00/gallon if contaminated with
antifreeze***

Ogunquit Transfer Station
28 Spring Hill Rd.
Ogunquit, Me 03907
207-646-0478
****Ogunquit residents only***

Waterboro Transfer Station
132 Bennett Hill Rd.
Waterboro, Me 04030
207-247-3440
****Waterboro and Hollis residents only,
5 gallon containers or less***

Your municipal solid waste transfer station may also accept waste oil for recycling even though it is not listed here. Please contact your local facility to determine if they have the ability to accept used oil.