

Waste & Recycling Survey Results Fall 2010

The Township asked residents to complete a waste/recycling survey in 2010. Deadline was October 1, 2010 and 244 surveys were received and prizes were won and distributed. Congratulations to our winners. We thank everyone who took the time to complete a survey.

Here are some of the results:

Q: Overall are you satisfied with your curbside collection?

Results: 4 (very satisfied)	122
3	46
2	16
1	14
Don't use it	5

Q: Do you have a composter at home that you use?

YES	137	NO	68
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Q: Do you use a burn barrel?

YES	56	NO	142
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Q: Would you participate in a Trash to Treasures Day?

YES	127	NO	64
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Q: Would you make use of a clothing drop off?

YES	141	NO	47
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Q: Is there anything that the Township doesn't recycle that you would really like to see recycled?

A: plastic bags, styrofoam, tetra paks, milk/juice cartons, electronics, hazardous waste

Top 5 comments from the hazardous waste days –

1. Very helpful, very convenient, well run, pleasant staff, excellent, well organized
2. Need more advertising
3. Much too far to drive, too far away from me
4. Much better having many of them throughout the year
5. Long line ups, would like to see more of these

Top 5 comments about the Landfill Site –

1. It's too expensive - \$10 fee is too much
2. Our collection day doesn't work for us, why can't we drop our garbage off at the landfill and use tags or double tags
3. Not open enough days throughout the week
4. Should be able to use bag tags at the dump
5. Friendly & cooperative staff

Top 5 comments about curbside collection –

1. Because we are paying for garbage you should allow more than 2 bags per week
2. I think it's great, works very well, great idea, staff work hard
3. 7am is too early
4. Animals get into the garbage
5. Would like to see tagged bags accepted at the Landfill Site