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### **Craven County Trash Sticker Price Increase**

Craven County, N.C. – Trash sticker prices in Craven County will increase from \$2.25 per sticker to \$3.00 per sticker effective July 1, 2017. This is the first trash sticker price increase for Craven County since 2006. The price increase was approved by the Craven County Board of Commissioners with the adoption of their Fiscal Year 2017 – 2018 budget to cover the increased costs incurred by the contract trash hauler fees. The \$3.00 red colored trash stickers will go on sale at retail outlets beginning July 1, 2017 although residents may continue to use their \$2.25 orange colored stickers until July 31, 2017.

The \$3.00 red colored stickers will be required for curbside trash collection or to drop off trash to Craven County's Convenience Sites beginning August 1, 2017. Individuals with a supply of \$2.25 orange stickers may exchange them for the \$3.00 red colored stickers by paying the value difference at Craven County Solid Waste up until December 29, 2017. Trash stickers cannot be exchanged at retail outlets. Craven County Solid Waste is located on the second floor of the Craven County Administration Building located at 406 Craven Street in New Bern. No refunds of \$2.25 orange trash stickers will be provided.

Craven County offers a volume-based pay as you throw solid waste management program so citizens only pay for the volume of trash they throw out. Trash sticker guidelines require one sticker for each trash bag/container up to 33 gallons and not more than 50 pounds, two stickers for each trash bag/container between 34 to 64 gallons and not more than 100 pounds, and three stickers for trash bags/containers between 65 to 90 gallons and not more than 150 pounds. Craven County's pay as you throw solid waste management program covers all unincorporated areas of Craven County plus Trent Woods, River Bend, and Cove City. New Bern, Havelock, Bridgeton and Dover provide their own separate solid waste management programs and will not be affected by Craven County's trash sticker price increase.

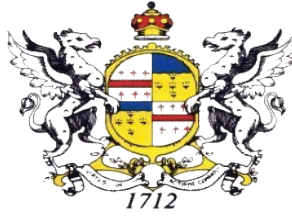
To reduce trash volume and associated costs, Craven County offers countywide curbside recycling pickup in all areas of Craven County with the exception of the Town of Bridgeton, which provides its own recycling program. Craven County's recycling program accepts aluminum cans, newspapers with inserts, clear/green/brown glass, #1 PETE clear plastic, #2 HDPE natural plastic, rigid plastic bottles with the neck smaller than the body of the container (except motor oil and pesticide containers), corrugated cardboard cut down to no larger than 2' x 3' and steel/tin cans.

Recyclables are collected curbside from 18 gallon green recycling bins or other comparable containers easily identifiable as containing recycling materials. Recycling bins can be requested by calling Craven County Solid Waste at (252) 636-6659. Residents can also bring mixed recyclables to the Convenience Sites.

Craven County offers a host of trash and recycling programs including electronics recycling, paint exchange and scrap metal recycling. For additional information on Craven County's trash and recycling services please contact Craven County Solid Waste and Recycling at (252) 636-6659 or visit [www.cravencountync.gov](http://www.cravencountync.gov).

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## Craven County



# TRASH STICKER FEE INCREASE

Effective July 1, 2017 the Craven County Trash Sticker fee will change from a \$2.25 Sticker (Orange) to a \$3.00 Sticker (Red). Beginning July 5, 2017 the \$2.25 Stickers (Orange) may be exchanged with an additional \$.75 at the Craven County Solid Waste Department in the County Administrative Building at 406 Craven Street through December 29, 2017.

This is the first Trash Sticker price increase since 2006 and only \$3.00 Stickers (Red) will be accepted by the Sanitation Haulers and Convenience Sites after July 31, 2017. The routes and pick up days will remain the same.

### **Sticker Guidelines**

Up to 33 gallons/= **1 sticker**

Not more than 50 lbs.

34-64 gallons/= **2 stickers**

Not more than 100 lbs.

65-90 gallons/= **3 stickers**

Not more than 150 lbs.

For additional information you may contact the Craven County Solid Waste Department at 636-6659 and take a look at our website [www.cravencountync.gov](http://www.cravencountync.gov).

## **Frequently Asked Questions**

### **1- Has the price of Trash Stickers increased?**

*On Monday, May 15, 2017, Craven County Commissioners voted to increase the trash sticker from (yellow) \$2.25 to (red) \$3.00.*

### **2- When will the increase take affect?**

*This change will take effect July 1, 2017.*

### **3- Will the old orange \$2.25 stickers be honored and for how long?**

*Orange \$2.25 stickers may be used through Monday, July 31, 2017 for curbside trash collection or at any of the convenience sites.*

### **4- Can you turn old stickers in with additional monies and receive the new stickers?**

*Beginning July 1, 2017 the \$2.25 Stickers (Orange) may be exchanged only at the Craven County Solid Waste Department, located at 406 Craven Street, either at the office or by mail. Orange stickers can be turned in for red stickers with additional money. The County will not refund any money, only exchange stickers with additional purchase of orange stickers. Time to exchange stickers will expire December 29, 2017.*

### **5- Have the days of pickup changed?**

*No*

### **6- Can I continue with my private service with Republic Services?**

*Yes*

# Craven County Curbside Collection Program



## Garbage Options in Craven County



### GARBAGE

Residents of the City of New Bern and the Towns of Vanceboro, Dover, Havelock and Bridgeton receive garbage service from each respective municipality. Please call your City or Town Hall for information:

City of New Bern..... (252) 639-7501  
Town of Vanceboro..... (252) 244-0919  
Town of Dover..... (252) 523-9610  
City of Havelock..... (252) 444-6404

Craven County offers a volume-based, Pay As You Throw (PAYT) solid waste management program. With a PAYT program you only pay for the amount of garbage you generate. The more you reduce your garbage by practicing the 3 R's (Reduce, Reuse and Recycle), the less you pay. Residents served by Craven County's program may use the following options:

### GARBAGE OPTIONS

Place stickers on your garbage  
Trash needs to be placed out for collection before 7:00 a.m. on your scheduled collection day. If your collection day falls on a holiday observed by this program your trash will be picked up the following day. Observed holidays include, but are not limited to, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day and New Year's Day. Please call this office for confirmation of any schedule changes

**\$ Stickers cost \$3.00 each.** They may be purchased at a sticker outlet or ordered by mail.

#### Sticker Guidelines

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not more than 50 lbs.
- \* 34 to 64 gallons/ = 2 stickers  
not more than 100 lbs.
- \* 65 to 90 gallons/ = 3 stickers  
not more than 150 lbs.

OR

Have subscription service with your private hauler.  
**\$ Call your private hauler for his fee schedule.** Your private hauler will be responsible for billing and collection of fees.



### PRIVATE HAULER

➔ Republic Services (252) 638-1366

OR

Dispose of your garbage at the Tuscarora landfill.  
**\$ Charged by weight.**  
Call (252) 633-6771 or (252) 633-1564 for the current rate.

### Electronics Recycling

Residents can take computer equipment and televisions to the Monettes Convenience Site. Look for signage towards the back of the property for disposal. Also Staples stores are taking computers and office equipment.

Mobile Electronics Trailer visits each of the other sites twice a year, as follows:

January & July-----Vanceboro Site  
February & August----Highway 101 Site  
March & September--Sanders Land Site  
April & October-----Hickman Hill Site  
May & November-----Ft. Barnwell Site  
June & December-----Bridgeton Site



### PAINT EXCHANGE

Bring us your unwanted cans of paint (NO LEAD BASED PAINT PLEASE). The paint will be categorized and offered free of charge to the public. The paint is accepted at all sites but is distributed at the Bridgeton Convenience Center. The Paint Exchange is open from Easter through the weekend after Thanksgiving. This schedule is subject to change based on seasonal temperatures. Please call to verify opening and closing dates.

### How To Dispose Of:

Diabetic syringes—Put used syringes inside a heavy plastic container, such as a bleach bottle. Once full close tightly and mark the outside clearly and dispose of in your garbage can.

### FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL

**(252) 636-6659**

[www.cravencountync.gov](http://www.cravencountync.gov)

### CONVENIENCE CENTERS

The following items are accepted:

- Mixed Recyclables
- Corrugated Cardboard
- Mixed Paper—no kitchen or bathroom paper products
- Scrap Metal
- Yard Waste
- Motor Oil
- Lead Acid Batteries
- Bulky Waste
- Construction & Demolition Material (NO WOODEN PALLETS)
- Bagged household garbage with the appropriate stickers
- Oyster Shells—Hwy 55 East & Monette's site
- Used Oil Filter
- Antifreeze in disposable container

We accept mixed recyclables (items collected in your green recycling bin) at the convenience centers. Some separation may be required.

### Hours of Operation

Tuesday, Thursday & Saturday  
7:00 a.m. - 6:30 p.m.  
Sunday 1:00 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.  
Citizens must be unloaded and off site by 6:20pm

Fort Barnwell.....(252) 523-8744  
205 Belltown Road, Fort Barnwell

Hickman Hill..... (252) 447-5127  
7775 Hwy 70 East, Havelock

Hwy. 55 East.....(252) 638-1610  
181 Hwy 55 East, Bridgeton

Hwy. 101.....(252) 444-3927  
3555 Hwy 101, Havelock

Sanders Lane..... (252) 638-4029  
135 Sanders Lane, New Bern

Monette's..... (252) 633-1149  
4001 Old Cherry Pt Rd, New Bern

Vanceboro..... (252) 244-1436  
232 Bailey Lane, Vanceboro

# Programa de Recaudación del Condado de Craven



## BASURA

Los residentes de la ciudad de New Bern y las ciudades de Vanceboro, Dover, Havelock y Bridgeton reciben servicio de basura de cada municipio respectivo. Por favor llame a su Ciudad o Ayuntamiento para obtener información:

City of New Bern..... (252) 639-7501  
Town of Vanceboro..... (252) 244-0919  
Town of Dover..... (252) 523-9610  
City of Havelock..... (252) 444-6404

El Condado de Craven ofrece un programa de gestión de residuos sólidos basado en el volumen, Pay As You Throw (PAYT). Con un programa PAYT solo pagas la cantidad de basura que generas. Cuanto más reduzca su basura practicando los 3 R (Reducir, Reutilizar y Reciclar), menos paga. Los residentes que son atendidos por el programa del Condado de Craven pueden usar las siguientes opciones:

### OPCIONES DE BASURA

Coloque pegatinas en su basura. La basura debe colocarse para su recolección antes de las 7:00 de la mañana en su día de recolección programado. Si su día de recolección cae en un día festivo observado por este programa su basura será recogida al día siguiente. Los días de fiesta observados incluyen, pero no se limitan a, Día de Acción de Gracias, Día de Navidad y Año Nuevo. Por favor llame a esta oficina para confirmar cualquier cambio de Las etiquetas engomadas cuestan \$ 3.00 cada uno. Pueden ser comprados en un enchufe de la etiqueta engomada o ser ordenados por correo.

### Directrices de la etiqueta

- \* up to 33 galones / = 1 pegatina  
no más de 50 lbs.
- \* 34 to 64 galones / = 2 pegatina  
no más de 100 lbs.
- \* 65 to 90 galones / = 3 pegatina  
no más de 150 lbs.

O

Tener servicio de suscripción con su transportista privado.

\$ Llame a su transportista privado para su programa de tarifas. Su transportista privado será responsable de la facturación y cobranza de los honorarios.

## Opciones de basura en el Condado de Craven



### TRANSPORTADOR PRIVADO

➔ Republic Services (252) 638-1366  
O

Deseche su basura en el relleno de Tuscarora.

\$ Cargado por peso.

Llamada (252) 633-6771 o  
(252) 633-1564 para la tasa actual .

### Reciclaje Electrónico

Los residentes pueden llevar equipo de computación y televisores al sitio Monettes Convenience. Busque señalización hacia la parte trasera de la propiedad para su eliminación. También los almacenes de Staples están tomando las computadoras y el equipo de oficina. Mobile Electronics Trailer visits each of the other sites twice a year, as follows:

Enero y Julio ----- Sitio Vanceboro  
Febrero y Agosto-Sitio de la autopista 101  
Marzo y Septiembre-Sitio de Sanders Lane  
Abril y Octubre-----Sitio Hickman Hill  
Mayo y noviembre ---- Ft. Sitio de Barnwell  
Junio y Diciembre ----- Sitio Bridgeton



### INTERCAMBIO DE PINTURA

Traiga sus latas no deseadas de la pintura (NINGUNA PINTURA BASADA EN PLOMO POR FAVOR). La pintura será categorizada y ofrecida de forma gratuita al público. La pintura se acepta en todos los sitios, pero se distribuye en el Centro de Conveniencia Bridgeton. El Paint Exchange está abierto desde la primera semana de abril hasta el fin de semana después del Día de Acción de Gracias. Este horario está sujeto a cambios en función de las temperaturas estacionales. Llame para verificar las fechas de apertura y cierre.

### Cómo deshacerse de:

Jeringas para diabéticos: coloque las jeringas usadas dentro de un recipiente de plástico pesado, como una botella de lejía. Una vez cerrado, cierre firmemente y marque el exterior claramente y deséchelo en su lata de basura.

## PARA MAS INFORMACION LLAME

(252) 636-6659

[www.cravencountync.gov](http://www.cravencountync.gov)

### CENTROS DE CONVENIENCIA

Se aceptan los siguientes artículos:

- Reciclables mezclados
- Cartón corrugado
- Papel mixto: sin cocina ni baño productos de papel
- Chatarra
- Desechos de jardín
- Aceite de motor
- Baterías de plomo ácido
- Residuos voluminosos
- Construcción y Demolición Material (NINGUNOS PALETOS DE MADERA)
- La basura ensacada de los hogares Pegatinas apropiadas
- Conchas de ostra-Bridgeton & Sitios de Monette
- Filtros de aceite usados
- Anticongelante en recipiente desechable

Aceptamos materiales reciclables mezclados (artículos recogidos en su cubo de reciclaje verde) en los centros de conveniencia. Puede ser necesaria alguna separación.

### Horas de operación

Martes jueves y sábado

7:00 a.m. - 6:30 p.m.

Domingo 1:00 - 6:30 p.m.

Los ciudadanos deben ser descargados y fuera de las instalaciones a las 6:20 pm

### Ubicaciones y Números

Ft. Sitio de Barnwell (252) 523-8744  
205 Belltown Road, Fort Barnwell

Sitio Hickman Hill (252) 447-5127  
7775 Hwy 70 East, Havelock

Sitio Bridgeton (252) 638-1610  
181 Hwy 55 East, Bridgeton

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