

SUMMER 2008 CT DEP MUNICIPAL SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT FULL COST ACCOUNTING SURVEY

REPORT 2 Section 2 – Curbside Pickup of MSW Recyclables

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This report presents individual municipal responses to the following Survey questions related to **pick-up of recyclables**. Section 2 of Report 2 is divided into two parts:

Part 1 – Residential Curbside Pick-up of Bottles, Cans, & Paper for Recycling

The First Table Combines Information from Various Survey Questions Regarding the Infrastructure for Residential Curbside Pickup of Recyclables:

| Curbside Pickup of Residential Bottles, Cans, & Paper (BCP) for Recycling | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|------------|--|--------------------|---|--|---|---|---|---|--|---|--|--|
| Municipality | Population | Question 26 – Curbside Pickup of Residential Bottles, Cans, & Paper for Recycling is Provided by | | | | Question 28 – Up to What Size Multifamily does Your Municipality or Contract Hauler Provide Curbside Pickup | Question 29 – Is Curbside Pickup Manual, Automated, Semi-automated or combination | Question 30 – If Automated is Municipality Considering Switch to Automated or Semi-Automated? | Question 30 – Comments regarding switching to automated from manual | Question 47 – Total Municipal Annual Expenditures for Curbside Collection of residential recyclables | Question 48 – For Contracted Residential Curbside Pickup of Recyclables – Household \$/month Paid by Municipality for pick-up/hauling | Question 48 – For Residential Recyclables Collected Curbside \$/ton tipping fee paid by the Municipality | Question 48 – For Residential Recyclables Collected Curbside \$/ton revenue or rebate received by Municipality |
| | | Residents have option to Self Haul etc | Muni Employees etc | Private Hauler Contracted by Muni r etc | Private Hauler Contracted by homeowner | | | | | | | | |
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Question 26 – Curbside pickup of residential recyclables in your municipality is provided by:

- Homeowners have the option to self-haul recyclables to transfer station or drop-off facility
- Municipal employees pick-up residential recyclables curbside
- Private haulers contracted by the municipality pick-up of residential recyclables curbside
- Private haulers contracted b homeowners pick-up of residential recyclables curbside

Question 28 – If the municipality or a municipal contractor picks up recyclables from multifamily buildings, up to what size multi-family building do they pick up from?

Question 29 – Is residential recycling curbside pick-up in your municipality automated; semi-automated, manual, or a combination?

Question 30 – If residential recycling curbside pick-up is manual, is your municipality contemplating a switch to automated (or semi-automated) pick-up? Comment

Question 47 – If your town provides or contracts out for curbside collection of recyclables, please enter annual expenditures for curbside recycling collection. If your municipality does not provide or contract out for curbside collection of recyclables, enter “0” in the total box

- Total annual expenditures for curbside collection of residential recyclables (included in this report)
- Other Related expenditures are included in Report 5 – Section 1

Question 48 – If your municipality pays for at least one component of curbside residential curbside recycling, please enter the dollar appropriate dollar amounts for each of the following fees (enter “0”, if not applicable)

- Residential curbside recycling pick-up/hauling fees paid to contracted hauling company (per household per month) - (included in this Report)
 - Included in Report 5 – Section 1: Residential curbside recycling (bottles, cans, paper) tipping fees (per ton) and revenue or rebate (per ton amount)

Part 2 – Pick-up of Commercial Recyclables

The First Table in this Section Combines Information from Various Survey Questions Regarding Pickup of Recyclables from Commercial Entities:

| Infrastructure for Pickup of Commercial Recyclables (Bottles, Cans, Paper) | | | | | |
|--|------------|--|--------------------|---|--|
| Municipality | Population | Question 33 – Pickup of recyclables from Commercial Entities (etc.) is Provided by | | | Question 34 – Type of Commercial Entities for which Municipality Provides etc. |
| | | Some commercial entities have option to Self Haul etc | Muni Employees etc | Private Hauler Contracted by Muni etc | |
| | | | | Private Hauler Contracted by Individual Commercial Entities etc | |

Question 33 – Pick-up of recyclables (bottles, cans, paper) from commercial entities is provided by (check all that apply):

- At least some commercial entities have the option to self-haul recyclables to municipal transfer station or municipal drop-off facility.
- Municipal employees pick-up recyclables from at least some commercial entities.
- Private hauler contracted by the municipality picks-up recyclables from at least some commercial entities.
- Private hauler contracted by individual commercial entities, institutions, etc. picks-up recyclables.

Question 34 – Presents information regarding the type of commercial entities for which the municipality provides pick-up recyclables.

To obtain more detailed information from the survey please contact Judy Belaval at (860) 424-3237 or judy.belaval@ct.gov.

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|------------------------|------------|---|--|---|--|---|--|--|---|--|---|--|
| | | Municipal employees | Private hauler(s) contracted by municipality | Private hauler(s) contracted by homeowner | Homeowners have option to self-haul recyclables to transfer station or drop-off facility | | | | | | | |
| Ansonia | 18,550 | | X | | | 6 | Manual | Yes | \$157,738 | \$32 | | |
| Ashford | 4,453 | | | X | X | N/A | Automated | N/A | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Avon | 17,333 | | | X | X | n/a | Manual | N/A | 0 | 0 | | |
| Barkhamsted | 3,665 | | X | | | | Manual | | | | | |
| Beacon Falls | 5,770 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Berlin | 20,254 | | X | | | 3 family | Manual | No | \$181,200 | \$2 | \$34 | |
| Bethany | 5,566 | | | | X | N/A | | | | | | |
| Bethel | 18,514 | | | X | X | | | | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Bethlehem | 3,549 | | | X | X | N/A | | | | | | |
| Bolton | 5,116 | | X | | | duplex | Manual | Don't know | | | 0 | |
| Branford | 28,984 | | X | X | X | 4 | Manual | No | | | | |
| Bridgeport | 136,695 | X | X | | X | 10 | Combination | No | | | | |
| Bristol | 60,911 | X | | | | 5 | Combination | Yes | \$885,000 | 0 | \$34 | |
| Brookfield | 16,413 | | | | X | N/A | | N/A | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Brooklyn | 7,886 | | X | | | N/A | Manual | No | \$124,742 | 0 | 0 | |
| Burlington | 9,143 | | X | | | | Manual | Yes | \$141,600 | \$4 | \$34 | |
| Durham And Middlefield | 7,397 | | | X | X | N/A | | N/A | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| East Granby | 5,122 | | | X | X | N/A | Manual | Don't know | | | | |
| East Haddam | 8,852 | | | X | X | | | | | | | |
| East Hampton | 12,548 | | | X | | N/A | Manual | Don't know | | | | |
| East Hartford | 48,697 | | X | | | 6 family | Manual | Don't know | \$531,060 | \$2 | 0 | |
| East Haven | 28,632 | | X | | | 4 | Manual | Don't know | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| East Lyme | 18,690 | X | | | X | open | Manual | Yes | | | | |
| East Windsor | 10,617 | | X | | | 3 | Manual | Don't know | \$434,723 | \$3 | \$6 | |
| Easton | 7,366 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Ellington | 14,426 | | X | | | 3 | Manual | Yes | | | | |

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|-----------------|------------|---|--|---|--|---|---|--|---|--|---|--|
| | | Municipal employees | Private hauler(s) contracted by municipality | Private hauler(s) contracted by homeowner | Homeowners have option to self-haul recyclables to transfer station or drop-off facility | | | | | | | |
| Enfield | 45,011 | X | | | | 6 Unit | Manual | Yes | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Essex | 6,753 | | | X | | n/a | Combination | Don't know | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Fairfield | 57,548 | | | X | | N/A | Manual | No | 0 | 0 | 0 | \$38 |
| Farmington | 25,084 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Franklin | 1,891 | | X | | | all | Manual | Don't know | \$25,110 | \$3 | 0 | 0 |
| Glastonbury | 33,169 | | | X | X | N/A | Manual | Yes | | | | |
| Granby | 11,215 | | X | | | | Manual | Yes | \$127,500 | \$3 | 0 | \$10 |
| Greenwich | 61,871 | | X | | | | Manual | N/A | \$837,643 | \$10 | | |
| Griswold | 11,390 | | | X | X | N/A | Manual | N/A | | | | |
| Groton | 42,324 | X | | X | | | Manual | Don't know | | | | |
| Groton, City Of | | X | | | | no limit | Manual | No | \$125,931 | 0 | \$5 | 0 |
| Guilford | 22,373 | | | X | X | | | | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Haddam | 7,800 | | | X | X | N/A | Manual | N/A | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Hamden | 57,698 | | X | | X | 6 units | Combination | N/A | \$397,000 | \$2 | 0 | \$4 |
| Hampton | 2,118 | | | X | | N/A | | N/A | | | | |
| Hartford | 124,563 | X | | X | X | 1-6 unit | Combination | Yes | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Harwinton | 5,564 | | | X | | n/a | Manual | No | 0 | 0 | 0 | \$10 |
| Hebron | 9,232 | | | X | X | n/a | Manual | Yes | 0 | 0 | | |
| Killingly | 17,710 | | | X | X | N/A | Manual | N/A | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Killingworth | 6,443 | | | X | X | N/A | | N/A | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Lebanon | 7,354 | | | X | X | n/a | Manual | No | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Ledyard | 15,097 | | X | | | | Manual | No | \$194,012 | | | |
| Lisbon | 4,205 | | X | | | 6Plex down | Manual | No | 0 | 0 | | |
| Litchfield | 8,671 | | | X | X | N/A | Manual | Don't know | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Lyme | 2,076 | | | | X | N/A | | N/A | | | | |
| Madison | 18,793 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Manchester | 55,857 | | X | | X | 4 units | Manual | | \$634,942 | | | |

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| Mansfield | 24,884 | | X | | | 2 or more units | Manual | No | 0 | | \$33 | \$67 |
| Marlborough | 6,351 | | | X | X | N/A | | | | | | |
| Meriden | 59,225 | | X | X | | four family | Manual | Don't know | \$144,000 | \$4 | \$34 | 0 |
| Middlebury | 7,252 | | | X | X | n/a | | N/A | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Middletown | 47,778 | X | | X | X | All Within City | Combination | No | \$675,000 | | \$15 | \$80 |
| Milford | 55,445 | X | | | | 3 | Manual | No | | | | |
| Monroe | 19,402 | | X | | | N/A | Manual | Yes | \$200,000 | \$3 | | |
| Montville | 19,744 | | X | | | 2 Family/Condos | Manual | Don't know | \$234,750 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Naugatuck | 31,931 | X | | | X | 4 units | Combination | | \$209,902 | 0 | 0 | \$10 |
| New Britain | 70,664 | | X | | | 6 family | Manual | Don't know | | | | |
| New Canaan | 19,890 | | | X | X | N/A | Manual | No | 0 | 0 | | |
| New Fairfield | 14,100 | | | X | X | N/A | Automated | No | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| New Hartford | 6,736 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| New Haven | 123,932 | X | | | X | no more than 6 | Manual | Yes | ##### | | \$23 | |
| New London | 25,923 | X | | | | 6 | Manual | No | 0 | | 0 | |
| New Milford | 28,439 | | | X | X | N/A | Combination | N/A | 0 | | | |
| Newington | 29,619 | | X | | | 3 family | Manual | Yes | \$313,298 | \$28 | 0 | \$10 |
| Newtown | 26,790 | | X | | | N/A | Manual | Don't know | \$392,700 | \$5 | \$39 | |
| Norfolk | 1,652 | | | X | X | n/a | | N/A | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| North Branford | 14,406 | | X | | | | Manual | Don't know | | | | |
| North Canaan | 3,352 | | | | X | N/A | | | | | | |
| North Haven | 24,002 | X | | | | n/a | Manual | No | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| North Stonington | 5,212 | | | X | | N/A | Combination | N/A | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

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| | | Municipal employees | Private hauler(s) contracted by municipality | Private hauler(s) contracted by homeowner | Homeowners have option to self-haul recyclables to transfer station or drop-off facility | | | | | | | |
| Norwalk | 83,456 | | X | | X | six | Manual | No | ##### | | | |
| Norwich | 36,432 | | X | | X | 100 | Manual | Yes | \$330,000 | 0 | 0 | \$10 |
| Old Lyme | 7,384 | X | | | X | | Manual | Yes | \$168,000 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Old Saybrook | 10,539 | | | | X | N/A | | N/A | 0 | 0 | | |
| Orange | 13,813 | | X | | X | 2-family | Semi-automated | N/A | \$125,000 | \$3 | 0 | 0 |
| Oxford | 12,527 | | | | X | n/a | | N/A | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Plainfield | 15,450 | | | | X | | Manual | N/A | | | | |
| Plainville | 17,193 | | X | | | 4 family | Manual | Don't know | \$91,630 | 0 | \$34 | 0 |
| Plymouth | 12,011 | | X | | | 4-Family | Manual | No | \$94,776 | \$2 | \$36 | |
| Pomfret | 4,165 | | | | X | | | | | | | |
| Portland | 9,537 | | | | X | n/a | Semi-automated | N/A | 0 | 0 | | |
| Preston | 4,902 | | | | X | N/A | | N/A | | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Prospect | 9,273 | | X | | | | Manual | | \$90,000 | | \$34 | |
| Putnam | 9,292 | | X | | | 6 units | Manual | Don't know | 0 | 0 | | |
| Redding | 8,840 | | | | X | N/A | Manual | No | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Ridgefield | 23,872 | | | | X | N/A | Manual | N/A | | | | |
| Rocky Hill | 18,808 | X | X | | X | 3 family | Manual | No | \$144,399 | \$2 | | \$10 |
| Roxbury | 2,319 | | | | X | n/a | Manual | N/A | 0 | 0 | | |
| Salem | 4,102 | | | | X | N/A | Manual | Don't know | | | | |
| Salisbury | 3,987 | | | | X | n/a | Manual | N/A | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Scotland | 1,725 | | | | X | N/A | Manual | No | | | | |
| Seymour | 16,240 | | X | | | 3 | Automated | N/A | \$152,250 | 0 | \$25 | 0 |
| Sharon | 3,022 | | | | X | | | | | | | |
| Shelton | 40,011 | | X | | | n/a | Manual | Don't know | | | | |
| Sherman | 4,110 | | | | X | N/A | Combination | N/A | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Simsbury | 23,659 | | | | X | N/A | Manual | Yes | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Somers | 10,850 | | | | X | N/A | Automated | N/A | 0 | | | |

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| | | Municipal employees | Private hauler(s) contracted by municipality | Private hauler(s) contracted by homeowner | Homeowners have option to self-haul recyclables to transfer station or drop-off facility | | | | | | | |
| South Windsor | 25,940 | | X | | | 4 | Manual | Yes | \$345,201 | \$3 | 0 | \$10 |
| Southbury | 19,678 | | | X | X | N/A | Manual | N/A | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Southington | 42,142 | | | X | | N/A | Manual | Yes | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Sprague | 2,981 | | | X | X | | Manual | No | | | | |
| Stafford | 11,786 | | X | X | X | 2 | Manual | No | | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Stamford | 118,475 | X | | | | 4 units | Combination | N/A | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Sterling | 3,725 | | | | X | | | | | | | |
| Stonington | 18,343 | | X | | X | no limit | Manual | No | | | | |
| Stratford | 49,015 | X | X | | X | | Manual | No | \$525,552 | | | |
| Suffield | 15,104 | | X | | X | 3 | Manual | Yes | \$125,540 | \$3 | 0 | 0 |
| Thomaston | 7,818 | | X | | X | 3 | Manual | No | \$85,491 | \$3 | 0 | 0 |
| Thompson | 9,231 | | | X | | N/A | Combination | N/A | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Tolland | 14,631 | | X | | | Two-Family | Manual | Yes | | \$4 | | |
| Torrington | 35,451 | | X | | | 4 | Manual | Yes | \$631,000 | \$3 | 0 | \$10 |
| Trumbull | 34,752 | | | X | | N/A | Manual | No | 0 | 0 | | |
| Union | 751 | | | | X | n/a | | N/A | 0 | 0 | | |
| Vernon | 29,620 | X | | | | six units | Semi-automated | Yes | | | | |
| Voluntown | 2,612 | | | | X | | | | | | | |
| Wallingford | 44,679 | | | X | X | | Combination | Yes | 0 | | | |
| Warren | 1,384 | | X | | | n/a | Manual | No | | | | |
| Washington | 3,671 | | X | | X | | Manual | No | | | | |
| Waterbury | 107,174 | X | | | | 9 | Manual | Don't know | | | | |
| Waterford | 18,775 | X | | | | 3 | Manual | Yes | \$205,060 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Watertown | 22,128 | | | X | X | N/A | Automated | N/A | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| West Hartford | 60,486 | | X | | | 3 | Manual | Yes | \$1,110,944 | \$4 | 0 | \$10 |
| West Haven | 52,676 | | X | | | 4 family | Manual | No | \$512,000 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

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| Westbrook | 6,618 | | | X | X | N/A | Manual | Don't know | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Weston | 10,200 | | | X | | N/A | | N/A | 0 | | | |
| Westport | 26,508 | | | | X | n/a | | N/A | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Wethersfield | 25,781 | | X | | | N/A | Manual | Yes | \$296,004 | \$3 | | \$10 |
| Willington | 6,139 | | | X | X | n/a | | | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Wilton | 17,715 | | X | | | | Manual | N/A | | | | |
| Winchester | 10,748 | | | X | | | Manual | Don't know | | | | |
| Windham | 23,678 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Windsor | 28,754 | | X | | | | Manual | Yes | \$328,800 | \$3 | | |
| Windsor Locks | 12,491 | | X | | | 3 | Manual | Don't know | \$157,679 | \$3 | 0 | 0 |
| Wolcott | 16,407 | | X | | | N/A | Manual | No | | | | |
| Woodbridge | 9,201 | | | X | | N/A | Manual | N/A | 0 | | | |
| Woodbury | 9,654 | | | X | X | N/A | Manual | N/A | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Woodstock | 8,188 | | | X | | N/A | Combination | N/A | | | | |

Comments For Switching Or Not Switching To Automated Pick-up (Question 30)

| Municipality | Population | Comment |
|------------------|------------|--|
| Ansonia | 18,550 | Ease of collection and aesthetics |
| Branford | 28,984 | I want the crews inspecting. That's lost with single stream or automated. I would consider semi-automated. |
| Bridgeport | 136,695 | may become semi automated if City switches to larger toters with single stream system. currently recycling is blue bins dual stream |
| Bristol | 60,911 | Plan to convert existing dual stream "pilot" to single-stream and add one additional route of single-stream collection in early spring of 2009. Plan to expand program in future years as funds are allocated in our budget. |
| Cheshire | 28,833 | The blue bins are small enough to perform the work manually |
| Colchester | 15,495 | Willimantic Waste has the majority of curbside collection contracts and is working towards automated recycling collection |
| Coventry | 12,192 | Single Stream reduces quality of recycables. Single stream recycling does not work well with PAY-as you- Throw Programs |
| East Lyme | 18,690 | Waiting for regional single stream MRF |
| Fairfield | 57,548 | Private haulers provide the service. The cost of automated equipment would be passed on to homeowners. |
| Franklin | 1,891 | Is seperate contract from MSW with Sterling Superior is is up to them. |
| Glastonbury | 33,169 | Single stream planned by hauler |
| Hartford | 124,563 | Contemplating single-stream semi-automated. Presently involved in a national single-stream pilot project. |
| Harwinton | 5,564 | If a need to do so becomes apparent then change will be discussed. |
| Litchfield | 8,671 | Depends on cost savings. |
| Middletown | 47,778 | We are struggling to automate garbage. Its been a multiyear process just to do garbage. |
| Monroe | 19,402 | Possibly to be included in next bid. |
| Newington | 29,619 | Looking into automated single stream recycling |
| North Stonington | 5,212 | Private contractors |
| Norwich | 36,432 | we are looking into single stream recycling |
| Old Lyme | 7,384 | will implement when single stream is available |
| Old Saybrook | 10,539 | Private Hauler |
| Redding | 8,840 | up to private haulers |
| Rocky Hill | 18,808 | Will stay manual - will go to single stream -will go to a 32 gallon bin and keep the 18 gallon as well |
| Salisbury | 3,987 | Salisbury doesn't provide curbside service. It is private subscription with a private hauler |
| Simsbury | 23,659 | Private haulers are loooking at automated |
| South Windsor | 25,940 | Beginning in July 2009 |
| Southington | 42,142 | By private haulers |
| Stonington | 18,343 | All collection is contracted out. The Town has no preference on how it is collected. |

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Populations Taken From CT DPH July 2007 Populatin Estimates

Comments For Switching Or Not Switching To Automated Pick-up (Question 30)

| Municipality | Population | Comment |
|---------------|------------|---|
| Torrington | 35,451 | Cost for carts is of significant concern. For 15,000 carts at \$75 = \$1,125,000. |
| Vernon | 29,620 | Eventually it would be nice to be fully automated |
| Waterbury | 107,174 | If CRRA moves to single stream, we may look into automated recycling collections. |
| Windsor | 28,754 | We are "exploring" automated single stream program |
| Windsor Locks | 12,491 | We are looking into the possibility. It would have to be cost beneficial. |

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| Ansonia | 18,550 | | | | X | |
| Ashford | 4,453 | | | X | | |
| Avon | 17,333 | | | X | | |
| Barkhamsted | 3,665 | | | X | X | |
| Beacon Falls | 5,770 | | | | | |
| Berlin | 20,254 | | X | X | | small business |
| Bethany | 5,566 | | | | | |
| Bethel | 18,514 | | | X | | |
| Bethlehem | 3,549 | | | X | X | |
| Bolton | 5,116 | | | X | | |
| Branford | 28,984 | | X | X | X | Schools, a few non-profits, and grandfathered in small businesses, gov't buildings + parks & beaches. |
| Bridgeport | 136,695 | | | X | X | |
| Bristol | 60,911 | | | X | | Municipal buildings, public schools and libraries. |
| Brookfield | 16,413 | | | X | | |
| Brooklyn | 7,886 | | | X | | |
| Burlington | 9,143 | | | | | |
| Canaan | 1,094 | | | X | | School, Non-profits |

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| Canterbury | 5,100 | | | X | | |
| Canton | 10,086 | | | X | | |
| Cheshire | 28,833 | | | X | | |
| Chester | 3,834 | | | X | | |
| Clinton | 13,578 | | | X | | |
| Colchester | 15,495 | | | X | | schools |
| Colebrook | 1,529 | | | X | | Town School |
| Columbia | 5,331 | | | X | | small business |
| Cornwall | 1,480 | | | X | X | |
| Coventry | 12,192 | | | X | | |
| Danbury | 79,226 | | | X | | |
| Darien | 20,246 | | | X | X | |
| Deep River | 4,673 | | | X | | |
| Derby | 12,434 | | | X | | |
| Durham And Middlefield | 7,397 | | | X | | |
| East Granby | 5,122 | | | X | | |
| East Haddam | 8,852 | | | X | X | |
| East Hampton | 12,548 | | | X | | |
| East Hartford | 48,697 | | | X | | |
| East Haven | 28,632 | | | X | | |

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| East Lyme | 18,690 | X | | | | small businesses, schools |
| East Windsor | 10,617 | | | X | | |
| Easton | 7,366 | | | | | |
| Ellington | 14,426 | | | X | | Schools |
| Enfield | 45,011 | | | X | | |
| Essex | 6,753 | | | X | | |
| Fairfield | 57,548 | | | X | | |
| Farmington | 25,084 | | | | | schools, municipal buildings |
| Franklin | 1,891 | | | X | | |
| Glastonbury | 33,169 | | | X | X | |
| Granby | 11,215 | | | | | |
| Greenwich | 61,871 | | | X | | |
| Griswold | 11,390 | | | X | | |
| Groton | 42,324 | | X | | | |
| Groton, City Of | | | | X | | |
| Guilford | 22,373 | | | X | X | Public Schools, Municipal Buildings, Parks, Fire Stations, Libraries, Housing Authorities |
| Haddam | 7,800 | | | X | X | |
| Hamden | 57,698 | | | X | | Small businesses, schools, and non-profits |

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| Hampton | 2,118 | | | X | | |
| Hartford | 124,563 | X | | X | | |
| Harwinton | 5,564 | | | X | | |
| Hebron | 9,232 | | | X | | |
| Killingly | 17,710 | | | X | X | Schools |
| Killingworth | 6,443 | | | X | | |
| Lebanon | 7,354 | | | X | X | |
| Ledyard | 15,097 | | | X | | |
| Lisbon | 4,205 | | | X | | |
| Litchfield | 8,671 | | | X | | only for municipal entities |
| Lyme | 2,076 | | | | | |
| Madison | 18,793 | | | | | |
| Manchester | 55,857 | | | X | | |
| Mansfield | 24,884 | | | X | | All municipal buildings |
| Marlborough | 6,351 | | | X | | |
| Meriden | 59,225 | | | X | | Public buildings only |
| Middlebury | 7,252 | | | X | | |
| Middletown | 47,778 | X | | X | X | All within City Sanitation District |
| Milford | 55,445 | | | X | | |
| Monroe | 19,402 | | | X | | |

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| Montville | 19,744 | | | X | | |
| Naugatuck | 31,931 | | | X | Eldery housing units, municipal buildings, and public schools K-12 only. | |
| New Britain | 70,664 | | X | X | small businesses | |
| New Canaan | 19,890 | | | X | Schools | |
| New Fairfield | 14,100 | | | X | Schools | |
| New Hartford | 6,736 | | | | | |
| New Haven | 123,932 | | | X | schools, other municipalities | |
| New London | 25,923 | X | | | small business | |
| New Milford | 28,439 | | | X | X | small businesses and schools |
| Newington | 29,619 | | | X | | |
| Newtown | 26,790 | | | X | | |
| Norfolk | 1,652 | | | X | | |
| North Branford | 14,406 | | | X | | |
| North Canaan | 3,352 | | | X | | |
| North Haven | 24,002 | | | | Schools | |
| North Stonington | 5,212 | | | X | | |
| Norwalk | 83,456 | | | X | | |
| Norwich | 36,432 | | X | X | X | |
| Old Lyme | 7,384 | X | | | X | |

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| Old Saybrook | 10,539 | | | X | | |
| Orange | 13,813 | | | X | | Schools |
| Oxford | 12,527 | | | X | | |
| Plainfield | 15,450 | | | X | | |
| Plainville | 17,193 | | | X | | |
| Plymouth | 12,011 | | | X | | |
| Pomfret | 4,165 | | | X | | |
| Portland | 9,537 | | | X | | |
| Preston | 4,902 | | | X | X | |
| Prospect | 9,273 | | | X | | |
| Putnam | 9,292 | | | X | | Schools |
| Redding | 8,840 | X | X | X | X | schools , Town Hall RxR station |
| Ridgefield | 23,872 | | | X | X | |
| Rocky Hill | 18,808 | X | | X | | small business, schools |
| Roxbury | 2,319 | | | | | |
| Salem | 4,102 | | | X | | |
| Salisbury | 3,987 | | | X | X | |
| Scotland | 1,725 | | | X | | |
| Seymour | 16,240 | | | X | | schools |
| Sharon | 3,022 | | | X | X | |

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| Shelton | 40,011 | | | X | | schools, churches, grandfathered small businesses |
| Sherman | 4,110 | X | | X | | Public Works employee picks up recyclables (3 bins) from Sherman town parks and ballfields. |
| Simsbury | 23,659 | | | X | | |
| Somers | 10,850 | | | X | X | |
| South Windsor | 25,940 | | | X | | |
| Southbury | 19,678 | | | X | | |
| Southington | 42,142 | | | X | | |
| Sprague | 2,981 | | | | | |
| Stafford | 11,786 | | X | X | X | schools |
| Stamford | 118,475 | | | X | | Public school |
| Sterling | 3,725 | | | | | |
| Stonington | 18,343 | | X | | X | All large and small businesses, schools, non profits |
| Stratford | 49,015 | | X | | | |
| Suffield | 15,104 | | | X | | Schools and town offices. |

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| Thomaston | 7,818 | | | X | | municipal buildings including public schools and housing authorities |
| Thompson | 9,231 | | | X | | |
| Tolland | 14,631 | | | X | | |
| Torrington | 35,451 | | | X | | |
| Trumbull | 34,752 | | | X | | |
| Union | 751 | | X | | | small businesses, school |
| Vernon | 29,620 | | | X | | |
| Voluntown | 2,612 | | | | | |
| Wallingford | 44,679 | | | X | X | |
| Warren | 1,384 | | X | | | small businesses, schools and local government |
| Washington | 3,671 | | | X | | |
| Waterbury | 107,174 | | | X | | |
| Waterford | 18,775 | | | X | | |
| Watertown | 22,128 | | | X | X | |
| West Hartford | 60,486 | | X | X | | Churches, public schools town approved nonprofits |
| West Haven | 52,676 | | | X | | |
| Westbrook | 6,618 | | | X | | small businesses |

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| Weston | 10,200 | | | | | |
| Westport | 26,508 | | | X | X | |
| Wethersfield | 25,781 | | X | | | TOWN BUILDINGS AND SCHOOLS |
| Willington | 6,139 | | | X | X | |
| Wilton | 17,715 | | X | | | |
| Winchester | 10,748 | | | X | | |
| Windham | 23,678 | | | | | |
| Windsor | 28,754 | | | X | | schools and town offices |
| Windsor Locks | 12,491 | | | X | | Schools and municipal Buildings |
| Wolcott | 16,407 | | | X | | Schools,condos and recreational facilities. |
| Woodbridge | 9,201 | | | X | | |
| Woodbury | 9,654 | | | X | | |
| Woodstock | 8,188 | | | X | | |

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