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## **P R E S S     R E L E A S E**

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**Today's Date:** November 8, 2013

**Release Date:** For Immediate Release

**To:** All

**Topic:**            **RECYCLING COMMITTEE**

**For More Information:**

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There will be a vacancy due to a resignation in a 3-year term appointment; this appointment must preferably be a committed recycler who is concerned about the consumption of the Earth's resources.

The mission of the Recycling Committee is to provide the Town of Sherborn with convenient and cost effective waste reduction, reuse, and recycling programs; to encourage citizens to participate in these programs; and to promote environmental sustainability and preservation. The Committee tracks all waste coming in and going out of the Transfer Station, works with recycling vendors to make sure all materials from Sherborn are handled in an appropriate manner, and works with the DEP to make sure all regulations are followed. The Committee also interacts with other municipal and regulatory Recycling Representatives across the state through meetings and personal contact, whether sponsored by the Department of Environmental Protection, MassRecycles, Solid Waste Association of North America or other recycling organizations in order to stay informed about current best practices and new programs that could be implemented.

The Committee operates a Swap Shop 6 months of the year, conducts a drop-off food scrap collection at the Transfer Station throughout the year, collects fluorescent bulbs and tubes, scrap metal, books, textiles, tires, waste oil, electronics, paper and cardboard, and commingled glass, metal and plastic. All of these activities take place at the Transfer Station/Recycling Center throughout the year. The Committee also sponsors a Household Hazardous Waste Collection once a year, and has just instituted a paper shredding event once a year as well.

Please contact Diane Moores for an application to be considered for appointment

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