



## **CURBSIDE COLLECTION OF MATTRESSES AND BOX SPRINGS NO LONGER AVAILABLE AS OF NOVEMBER 1, 2022**

The state has implemented a **waste ban** on curbside collection of **mattresses and box springs** starting on **November 1, 2022** and they will no longer be collected at the curb with a bulk item label.

Most mattress and box spring components can be recycled, but Northborough does not accept these items for recycling at this time. Northborough hopes to develop a local option for residents to dispose of mattresses and box springs at some point in the future, but in the meantime, residents should contact a local private hauler such as <https://www.thedumpsterdivers.com> of Shrewsbury for assistance. Several area businesses and charities will also accept these items.

Please visit the Trash & Recycling page on the Town's website at <https://www.town.northborough.ma.us> for links to the Recycling and Collection Calendar as well as a link to "MassDEP Beyond the Bin Recycling Directory" which can help identify other nearby drop-off locations. The MassDEP Beyond Recycling Directory provides information about many various items, just type in the item you want to donate or recycle and click on search for a listing and map.