



## TOWN OF CHARLESTOWN

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### Hours of Operation:

M-Th—7:30am-5:00pm  
F—7:30am-4:00pm

## DATES TO REMEMBER

**August 31**

**& September 1:**

Bulk Trash Collection

**September 3—12-6pm:**

Blast from the Past

**September 5:**

Labor Day  
Town Hall Closed

**September 6—7pm:**

Historic District  
Commission Meeting

**September 8—6pm:**

Planning & Zoning  
Commission Meeting

**September 13 & 27**

**—6pm:**

Town Commissioners  
Meeting

**September 24**

**—9am-2pm:**

Community Yard  
& Craft Sale

**October 1:**

Cecil Cares Day

## TRASH COLLECTION UPDATE

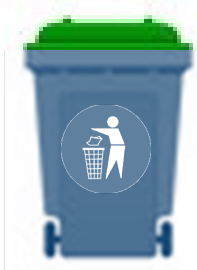
Recently, the Town advertised a Request for Proposal (RFP) for local trash collection companies to bid for a contract with the Town for the next three years. GFL and Trash Tech submitted proposals and the Town Commissioners voted to continue service with GFL, which was the lowest qualified proposal. After their



vote, the Town started communicating with GFL about the needs of our residents, which were not being fully met, according to the requirements agreed upon in the previous contract. Unfortunately, GFL was not able to meet these needs, such as providing trash

cans to residents and collecting overflow, and desired to no longer work with the Town. Trash Tech, on the other hand, was willing to accommodate these needs and the Commissioners voted to enter into a contract with Trash Tech, starting September 1st.

The last trash collection with GFL was yesterday, Monday, August 29th, and the first collection with Trash Tech will be on Wednesday, September 14th, and every Wednesday following. We understand the inconvenience this causes many residents, so our maintenance shop at 482 Frederick Street will be open next week for you to drop off your trash. We have set up two dumpsters that will be available from Tuesday, September 6th to Friday, September 9th, during the hours of 7am to 6pm. Unfortunately, we will not be able to accept recyclables during this time.



**TRASH**

Next week, Trash Tech will be delivering one (1) trash bin with a green lid and one (1) recycle bin with a blue lid to each residence that is located within Town limits. Utilizing these cans will ensure your trash and recyclables are collected effectively.



**RECYCLE**

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Town Hall during business hours and we will be happy to assist. Residents are also welcome to attend Town meetings on the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of each month at Town Hall or via Zoom. Meeting agendas are typically posted on our website the day before meetings and include instructions on how to join via Zoom.

Again, we appreciate your patience and understanding during this transition period.