**Public Works Department**

**Weekly Reports December 31, 2021 & January 7, 2022**

**CHRISTMAS & NEW YEAR’S HOLIDAY HOURS: WE WILL BE CLOSED ON FRIDAY, DECEMBER 31ST & SATURDAY, JANUARY 1, 2022. If Friday is your scheduled recycling collection day, please note your recycling will be picked up on your next scheduled day. Thank you.**

**CHRISTMAS TREES ARE BEING COLLECTED CURBSIDE WHEN TIME PERMITS.**

**Sign posted on site:**

**Due to the increased volume being brought to the transfer station to be disposed of in the dumpster, all loads that fill a 6-foot pickup truck bed or larger will have to be delivered by the resident directly to the Androscoggin Valley Regional Refuse Disposal District (AVRRDD). Please note that a permit needs to be issued by the Public Works Garage in advance of going to AVRRDD. Household garbage (kitchen waste) will continue to be accepted. This policy will take effect as of Friday, March 27th. If you have a large volume of items to be disposed of, it is a good idea to call ahead to speak with Lisa at 603-466-5025 to be sure that it can be accepted, or to have an alternate time scheduled to bring it in.**

**REMEMBER: ALL GORHAM RESIDENTS & PROPERTY OWNERS ARE REQUIRED TO OBTAIN A TRANSFER STATION STICKER TO ENTER THE GORHAM TRANSFER STATION. STICKERS CAN BE PURCHASED AT THE TOWN CLERKS OFFICE IN GORHAM AT 20 PARK STREET. THANK YOU.**

**WORK PERFORMED:**

Daily cleaning and disinfecting all work vehicles and work areas to prevent sickness.

This time of year is spent on winter prep, maintenance, salting/sanding/and/or plowing.

Continue to collect Christmas trees

Transfer station remains very busy.

If time permits we have a yard guy on hand to work the building grounds and make trips to AVRRDD with fluorescent bulbs, batteries and various recycling items.

Total number of Permits for AVRRDD written for 2 weeks: 2.

**Cemeteries:** Nothing to report.

**MSW/Recycling/Sanitation:**

* Monday garbage and cardboard collected:
* Tuesday Trash collection and cardboard collection;
* Wednesday Trash collection and recycling;
* Thursday recycling;
* Friday recycling; businesses and school garbage collection;

[http://www.gorhamnh.org/Pages/GorhamNH PublicWorks/Recycle.pdf](http://www.gorhamnh.org/Pages/GorhamNH%20PublicWorks/Recycle.pdf)

**PLEASE REMEMBER: WE DO NOT ACCEPT TV’S OR COMPUTER MONITORS. THESE ITEMS NEED TO BE TAKEN TO AVRRDD IN BERLIN WITH A PERMIT THAT YOU CAN OBTAIN AT THE PUBLIC WORKS OFFICE, FREE OF CHARGE.**

**Mechanic/Shop:** Continued maintenance and repairs. Shop continues to be very busy.

**Transfer station Hours:**

Monday-Thursday – 7:00am - 3:30pm

Friday 7:00am- 3:00pm

Saturday 8:00am - 12:00pm YEAR ROUND