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### Green Team Roundtable: Redirecting Waste Streams

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**Previous Meeting: Reducing and Redirecting Waste Streams – Opportunities for B2B and Community Collaboration in Devens**  
Thursday, September 18, 2025

<https://devensforward.com/blog/352-green-team-roundtable:-redirecting-waste-streams>

# Devens Eco-Efficiency Center

- Nonprofit established in 2009 to build on success of a voluntary stewardship program
- Helps establishments make better use of resources, operate more sustainably by providing technical assistance, educational forums and community programs



# Community Recycling Programs

- The Great Exchange to repurpose supplies, furniture
- Free recycling of paper, cardboard, plastics at DPW
- Devens HHW for small quantity generators, local employees



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# Plastic Film – Coming Soon?

- Stretch film, shrink wrap, pallet wrap, polyethylene bags, clear, color or print
  - HDPE #2 - High Density Polyethylene Film
  - LDPE #4 - Low Density Polyethylene Film
  - LLDPE #4 - Linear Low Density Polyethylene
  - Residential - grocery bags, bread bags, paper towel/toilet paper overwrap, bubble wrap, dry cleaning bags, newspaper sleeves
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# How it Would Work

- Must be dry, clean, free of all residue: hard plastics, metal pieces, cardboard, strapping, twine, tape, rubber bands, trash or loose paper, hazardous materials, etc.
- Material to be delivered to central collection area at Devens DPW, 99 Buena Vista Street
- Film would be recycled by Trex, manufacturer of eco-friendly outdoor living products and wood-alternative decking

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# Next Steps

- **Confirm interest by February 2**
- Send point of contact, description of film(s), estimate of monthly generation, questions to:
  - **donaneely@tgedevens.com or 508-878-1728**



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*Thank You*

*Questions, Comments Welcome*

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