

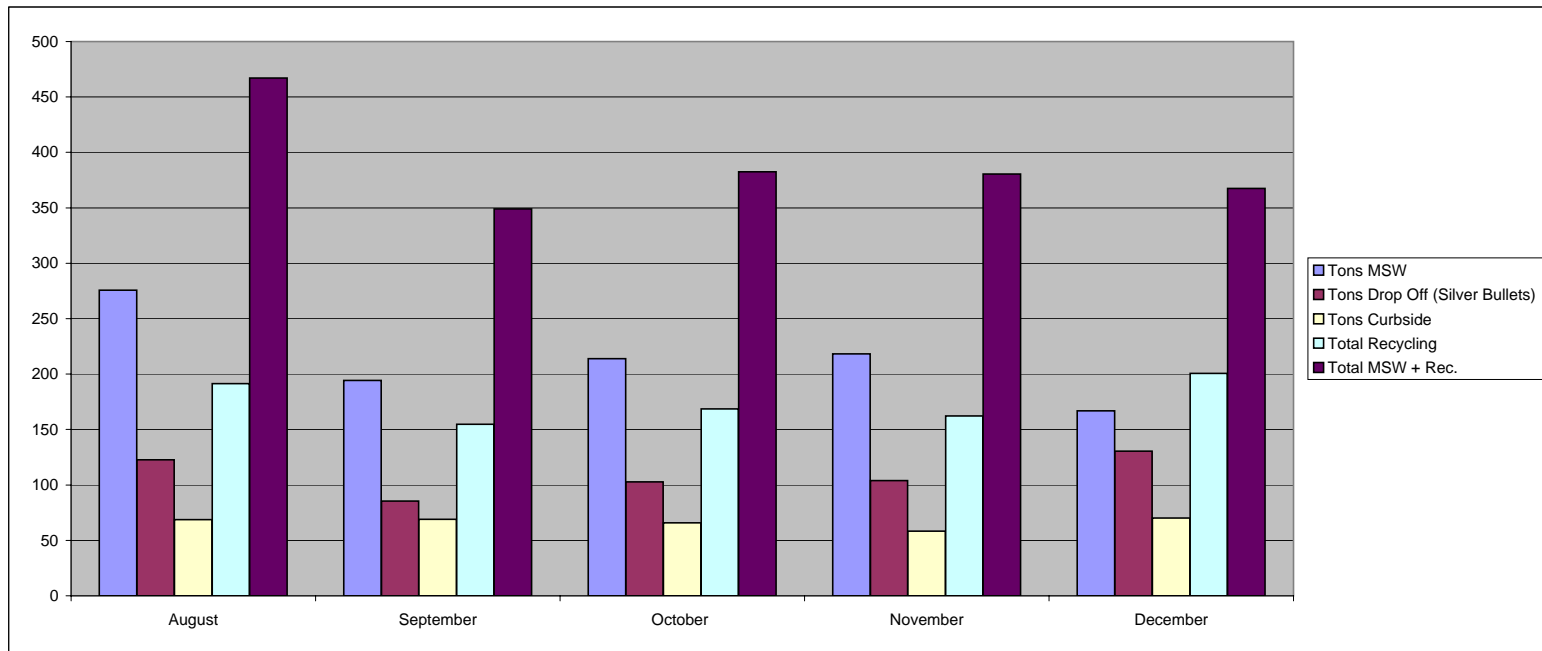
Recycling

January 10, 2008

Beginning August 15 , 2007 the Town of Falmouth instituted a curbside recycling program. The goal of the program was to increase Falmouth's recycling rate from 35% to 50%.

The following is the ECO Maine Neighborhood Recycling Monthly Totals:

2007	Tons MSW	Tons Drop Off (Silver Bullets)	Tons Curbside	Total Recycling	Total MSW + Rec.	Town % Recycling Per Month
August	275.64	122.71	68.63	191.34	466.98	40.97
September	194.42	85.56	69.13	154.69	349.11	44.31
October	213.94	102.75	65.71	168.46	382.4	44.05
November	218.19	103.91	58.29	162.2	380.39	42.64
December	166.93	130.45	70.11	200.56	367.49	54.58



Recycling at Schools:

Starting in November all schools except for the High School received 5 X 96 gallon Totes for recyclables. The High School has a Silver Bullet on site. The Town delivered 82 blue recycle bins to Plummer-Motz, Lunt and the Middle School which were placed in class rooms and common areas. Custodial staff empty the recycle bins into the 96 gallon totes which are then brought outside for emptying by Pine Tree Waste.

The Recycling Committee is scheduled to meet Monday, January 14, 2008. If necessary, a revised report will be sent to the Council after the meeting.