Salem Public Schools Recycling Equipment Inventory

Below are photos and inventories of the supplies purchased through the MA DEP School Grant. All supplies are stickered with a “Funded from a grant by MA DEP” label. Most of the supplies are currently being stored in the Salem High School basement and will be distributed throughout all the schools before the fall when schools starts. These will be very helpful for the custodial staff and will make recycling clean and easy.

5 Double Trash/Recycling Container with Dome Lid, Two 25GAL Black
24 Brute Tandem Dolly
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24 Vented Brute Recycling
8 Recycling Tilt Trucks

5 Double Trash/Recycling Container with Dome Lid, 25GAL Black





These executive style double containers will be put in the main lobbies of the schools since they have a nicer, cleaner look. They come with stickers that say, “mixed recyclables” and “landfill” to distinguish the two separate compartments to collect recyclables and trash. The “Funded by MA DEP” is visible on the side of the bin.

24 Brute Tandem Dollies
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Two different types of dollies were ordered to easily transport bins around the schools.

The tandem dollies will be used to connect trash and recycling bins into one unit to bring around to each classroom to collect and separate trash and recycling.

The single dollies can be used to easily transport bins around the schools or cafeterias.

24 Vented Blue Brute Recycling Bins



There was a lack of smaller recycling bins in the schools, so more were ordered. It was difficult for the custodians to pull the big 96-gallon recycling bins throughout buildings and classrooms. Some custodians used a smaller 44-gallon trash bin to empty all the smaller office and classroom recycling bins into. They received criticism that all the recycling was being thrown away – even thought it was not, it was just an easier bin to use. These bins will eliminate that issue and now the custodians can use the dollies to have both a trash and recycling bin.



8 Recycling Tilt Trucks





One of these recycling tilt trucks will be used at each school. They will be used to easily transport larger pieces of cardboard that may come in with big shipments and may be hard to squeeze into the smaller recycling bins.