

Garbage Collection REMINDERS



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STANDARD HOUSEHOLD WASTE

- **CARTS ARE CITY PROPERTY** - Leave them behind if you move.
- **SET CART OUT THE NIGHT BEFORE COLLECTION**
- One 96-gallon cart provided per household.
- You can get additional carts for \$2.00 per month.
- Don't **overfill** cart (lid should be shut). Place additional garbage in 33-gallon trash containers, bags or bundles (must be 30 lbs. or less).
- **NO GARBAGE IN CARDBOARD BOXES**



BULKY ITEMS

- Only furniture and non-freon appliances are accepted.
- **ELECTRONIC ITEMS NOT ACCEPTED – TVS, COMPUTERS**
- Put furniture and appliances at the curb or alley with your garbage cart. They will be collected the same or following day.
- Move outs/clean outs should rent a dumpster for haul away.



CONSTRUCTION REMODELING DEBRIS

- **TOTAL LIMIT 60 lbs. PER WEEK**
- Must fit in cart with lid closed, or in two plastic garbage bags approximately 30 lbs. each.
- No countertops, sinks, toilets, doors, windows etc.



YARD WASTE

- Grass clippings should be bagged and placed in or beside cart (bags cannot exceed 30 lbs.)
- Branches must be bundled and cannot be longer than 3-feet or larger than 3-inches in diameter.
- **NO** rocks, dirt, sod or root balls from trees or shrubs.
- **DO NOT SET LEAVES OUT FOR GARBAGE COLLECTION**
- Annual fall leaf collection is October through December.



CART PLACEMENT

- Place carts 3-feet apart and away from trees, mailboxes, light poles.
- Place carts within 5-feet of the alley or curb.
- Carts must be accessible, **DO NOT** block with cars.

3 FEET APART



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GARBAGE TIP
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NEVER PUT THESE ITEMS IN THE TRASH OR RECYCLING CART

- Hazardous waste (oil or oil-based paints, household chemicals)
- Batteries
- Electronics/ TVs
- Tires
- Car parts
- Concrete, bricks, or rocks
- Countertops
- Basketball hoops/poles
- Patio or entry doors, windows
- Hot tubs/tanning beds
- Bathtubs/ toilets
- Swing sets



Questions?
Call 311