

Curbside Collection Guidelines

City of Freeport

RECYCLING PREPARATION GUIDELINES

- Recycling totes with tan lids may be set out every other week the night before your pick up day. Recyclable items can be loose and co-mingled together in your recycling toter.
- Please do not dispose of plastic bags, Styrofoam, and blister packaging. These are not recyclable and should be set out with your trash.
- All recycled items in your toter must be empty and free of food, drink, or any residue. Larger items should be broken down so that they can be easily dumped out of the toter. Labels do not have to be removed.

METAL PRODUCTS

Tin & Aluminum: Cans, formed aluminum and tin containers including old pie and cake tins. Place lids inside of cans.

GLASS PRODUCTS

Glass Jars & Bottles only: ketchup bottles, mason jars, beverage bottles, etc.

PLASTIC PRODUCTS

Plastic Jugs and bottles: Containers with numbers 1 or 2 on the bottom (Except blister packaging). Laundry detergent containers, soda bottles, cooking oil bottles, milk jugs, shampoo bottles, etc.

PAPER PRODUCTS

Newsprint: All newsprint is acceptable.

Junk Mail: Includes envelopes, fliers, brochures, advertisements, old papers, white & colored papers.

Other Paper Items: Catalogs, magazines, phone books, soft cover books (hard cover books need covers removed).

Brown Kraft Paper Bags: Grocery and shopping bags, etc.

Corrugated (Cardboard Boxes): Printer paper boxes, shipping boxes, etc.

Other Cardboard: Boxes from food products, clothing, shoe boxes, toy & game boxes, beverage cartons, etc.

Holidays: All pick up is delayed one day when these holidays fall on a weekday that is on or before your normal day.

New Year's Day	Labor Day	Memorial Day
Thanksgiving Day	Independence Day	Christmas Day

NOTE: OWNERS OF RENTAL PROPERTIES ARE ASKED TO MAKE THIS OUTLINE AVAILABLE TO TENNANTS.

RECYCLING SCHEDULE

Monday A: Jan 6,20; Feb 3,17; Mar 2,16,30; Apr 13,27; May 11,26 (Tue); Jun 8,22; Jul 6,20; Aug 3,17,31; Sep 14,28; Oct 12,26; Nov 9,23; Dec 7,21

Monday B: Jan 13,27; Feb 10,24; Mar 9,23; Apr 6,20; May 4,18; Jun 1,15,29; Jul 13,27; Aug 10,24; Sep 8(Tue),21; Oct 5,19; Nov 2,16,30; Dec 14,28

Tuesday A: Jan 7,21; Feb 4,18; Mar 3,17,31; Apr 14,28; May 12,27 (Wed); Jun 9,23; Jul 7,21; Aug 4,18; Sep 1,15,29; Oct 13,27; Nov 10,24; Dec 8,22

Tuesday B: Jan 14,28; Feb 11,25; Mar 10,24; Apr 7,21; May 5,19; Jun 2,16,30; Jul 14,28; Aug 11,25; Sep 9 (Wed),22; Oct 6,20; Nov 3,17; Dec 1,15,29

Wednesday A: Jan 8,22; Feb 5,19; Mar 4,18; Apr 1,15,29; May 13,28 (Thu); Jun 10,24; Jul 8,22; Aug 5,19; Sep 2,16,30; Oct 14,28; Nov 11,25; Dec 9,23

Wednesday B: Jan 2(Thu),15,29; Feb 12,26; Mar 11,25; Apr 8,22; May 6,20; Jun 3,17; Jul 1,15,29; Aug 12,26; Sep 10(Thu),23; Oct 7,21; Nov 4,18; Dec 2,16,30

Thursday A: Jan 9,23; Feb 6,20; Mar 5,19; Apr 2,16,30; May 14,29 (Fri); Jun 11,25; Jul 9, 23; Aug 6,20; Sep 3,17; Oct 1,15,29; Nov 12,27 (Fri); Dec 10,24

Thursday B: Jan 3(Fri),16,30; Feb 13,27; Mar 12,26; Apr 9,23; May 7,21; Jun 4,18; Jul 2,16,30; Aug 13,27; Sep 11(Fri),24; Oct 8,22; Nov 5,19; Dec 3,17,31

Friday A: Jan 10,24; Feb 7,21; Mar 6,20; Apr 3,17; May 1,15,30(Sat); Jun 12,26; Jul 10,24; Aug 7,21; Sep 4,18; Oct 2,16,30; Nov 13,28 (Sat); Dec 11,26 (Sat)

Friday B: Jan 4(Sat),17,31; Feb 14,28; Mar 13,27; Apr 10,24; May 8,22; Jun 5,19; Jul TBA,17,31; Aug 14,28; Sep 12(Sat),25; Oct 9,23; Nov 6,20; Dec 4,18

GARBAGE PREPARATION GUIDELINES

- Trash totes with chocolate brown lids must be set out the night before your pick up day each week or no later than 4:30 a.m. on your pick up day and taken back from the curb by 5:00 p.m. Trash collection days will remain the same as the previous program.
- All trash must be contained in the 95 gallon toter. No additional bags will be taken and stickers are no longer accepted. After the program starts, stickers may be returned to stores that previously sold them or the Freeport Recycling Center.

- Bagging your items (especially perishable items) whenever possible will keep toters clean and prevent blowing of loose material on windy days.

SUBSCRIPTION YARD WASTE INFO

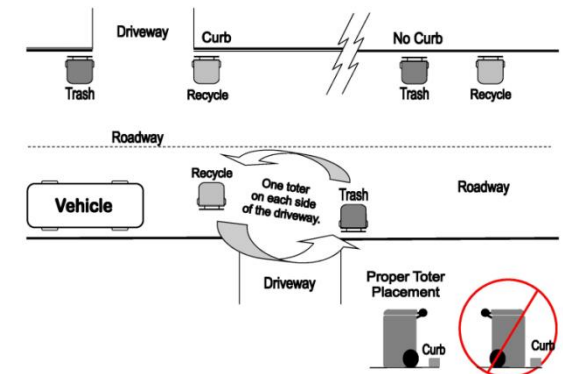
- Residents should call their trash hauler to sign up. Payment each season includes weekly service and rental of one 65 gallon landscape toter. Additional toters may be rented and pre-paid for each season.
- Yard waste needs to be placed ONLY in the provided toters. Landscape bags, cans, bundles or any other containers besides the supplied toters are prohibited.

Yard Waste Schedule: Wednesday weekly collection from mid April to mid November, weather permitting.

- Residents should place yard waste at the curb by 4:30a.m. Any yard waste placed at the curb after the truck has gone by will not be picked up until the following week's collection day.

TOTER FILLING GUIDELINES

- Lids should be closed upon arrival of the garbage truck.
- Toters should be set with the number facing the street and the lid closed. There will be no alley collection.
- Where possible, the trash toter should be placed on one side of the drive with the recycling toter on the opposite side or at least 5 feet apart.
- Streets with curbs and gutters should place the toter in the road 8-12 inches out from the curb where possible.
- Toter access should be unobstructed. In cases where vehicles are parked in the roadway, toters must be set out even with the driver's side edge of the vehicle and placed at least 5 feet away from vehicles.



Questions can be directed to:
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