Curbside Collection Tips* from Waste Management Know BEFORE you THROW!



*For unincorporated Brevard County customers only



Cart Collection Reminders

- Ensure your cart (garbage or recycling) is **curbside by 6:00 A.M.** and **remains curbside until 8:00 P.M.** on your collection day.
- The **cart handle** and **wheels** should be **facing your home**. This will allow for proper collection by our collection vehicles.
- Items outside your cart will **NOT** be collected on your regularly scheduled carted garbage or recycling collection day as those items are considered bulky waste.
- Carts should be placed **3 feet from obstructions** such as cars, mailboxes, bushes/trees, fire hydrants and other carts.
- Help prevent truck fires and **DO NOT** place items such as batteries, oil, pool chemicals, propane tanks or hot coals in your cart.

Bulky Waste Collection

- Bulky waste includes items such as household furnishings (couch, mattress, table), white goods (household appliances) or other items too large to be placed inside your cart.
- Customers are **REQUIRED** to contact Waste Management's Customer Service Department to schedule collection for bulky waste.
- Wood, such as fencing and other construction and demolition debris, is **NOT** included in Brevard County's curbside collection contract. Customers may contact Waste Management's Customer Service Department for collection disposal options and pricing for such items.

Holiday Collection Schedule

There will be **NO collection** on the following holidays: **Memorial Day**, **Fourth of July, Veterans Day**, **Thanksgiving Day** and **Christmas Day**.

Unincorporated Brevard County residential customers will be serviced on their **next regularly scheduled collection day**.

Yard Waste Guidelines

- **Containerized** yard waste and **small piles** are serviced on your regularly scheduled yard waste collection day and must be curbside by 6:00 A.M.
- Large, loose yard waste piles (anything bigger than the size of a washing machine) are collected on a separate day by a different type of collection vehicle.
- Customers are **REQUIRED** to contact Waste Management's Customer Service Department to schedule collection for a large, loose yard waste pile.
- Please **DO NOT** bag yard waste. Bagged yard waste is **NOT** accepted at the Brevard County Landfill.
- **Brevard County Ordinance NO 94-49** states hired landscaping, land clearing or tree trimming contractors must remove any vegetative waste they generate on residential property. Waste Management is **NOT** required to collect yard waste generated by a contractor.

Recycle Right

DO NOT BAG RECYCLABLES OR INCLUDE LOOSE PLASTIC BAGS

- Plastic Bottles, Jugs and Tubs TIP: The recycle symbol is NOT a reliable indicator if something is an acceptable recyclable item. Recycle plastics that are bottles, jugs & tubs.
- Paper and Cardboard

TIP: Items such as office paper, newspaper, magazines, junk mail and flattened cardboard **MUST BE DRY**. Ensure your recycling cart lid is closed so rain does not impact the quality of your recycling.

- Aluminum, Tin and Steel Cans TIP: Items must be EMPTY.
- Glass Bottles and Jars TIP: Items must be EMPTY.

To learn more, visit wm.com/recycleright

Waste Management Customer Service Department

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