Recycling and Waste Cart Placement and Collection

- > All recycling and waste must be placed at the curb, unless you pay for backyard pickup.
- > Recycling collection will be every other week on the same day as your waste collection. A calendar is provided.
- > On your scheduled day of service, place your recycling and waste at the curb no later than 6 a.m. Late setout will be noted and may not be picked up.
- > The six major holidays may cause a one-day delay in your collection.
- > Waste should be in properly secured carts with lids (60 lbs. or less) or plastic bags (35 lbs. or less).
- > Hedge cuttings, limbs and branches should be securely tied and should not exceed 36" in length and not weigh more than 40 lbs. Branches should not exceed 4" in diameter.
- > Christmas trees will be collected in December, January and February.
- > Bulk items/appliances will be accepted curbside at no additional charge (limit of 15 bags of solid waste or 2 bulk items. If you exceed this, please contact customer service at 800.464.2120 to schedule a special collection.)
- Carpet should be rolled and tied in lengths not to exceed 48".
- · Tires will not be collected.
- Empty paint cans and/or dried paint is acceptable. Paint can be dried by air-drying or soaking up with newspaper or kitty litter. Lids should be left off.
- · Items such as refrigerators, freezers, air conditioners, dehumidifiers, water coolers or any other appliance containing refrigerant will only be picked up if the item has a sticker certifying the refrigerant has been removed. If there is no sticker certifying removal, we will not pick up the item due to laws prohibiting disposal without certification the refrigerant has been removed. It is suggested that you have the company delivering the new appliance dispose of the old appliance to save on the removal cost of the refrigerant.
- > All recyclable material should be empty, clean and dry. Please rinse all food and beverage carts completely prior to placing in the container (for example: no ketchup or mustard may be left in bottles).
- Recyclable items include newsprint, paper, plastic food and beverage carts, aluminum cans, steel cans, cardboard and corrugated boxes.
- Non-recyclable items include glass, drums, ashes, tires, batteries, car parts, medical waste, liquid waste of any kind, paint and contaminated (uncleaned) recyclables.

The current collection day is **Thursday**. There will be no changes to the pickup day. The quarterly rate for 2023 will be **\$67.44**. The backdoor service rate is **\$142.44**.

Republic Services[®] Customer Service number is 800.464.2120.



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Edgewood **Recycling &** Waste Guide





Sustainability in Action

Edgewood 2023 **Recycling & Waste Calendar**

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Recycling will be picked up on the same day as your solid waste on the shaded weeks. Solid waste will be collected every Thursday. All holidays are highlighted in **red**. Please note that collection days will be delayed one day because of the holidays.

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Bulk pickups can be scheduled by calling our Customer Service Department at 800.464.2120, by emailing customerfirst4264@RepublicServices.com or by visiting RepublicServices.com.

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Edgewood Household Hazardous Waste

Your hazardous waste and electronic waste can now be safely collected from your home by calling 800.464.2120. Look through your home for hazardous items that need discarding – everything from batteries and paint to computers and



chemicals – and feel secure knowing Republic Services[®] will handle these special items, protecting both you and the environment!

Residents who call will be asked to describe the items they want collected. They will be asked to use a special kit to collect the items, which will be delivered to them. Each kit includes a 42-gallon clear plastic bag and detailed instructions on how to safely package the items, along with a collection date. These items MUST be kept in a secure location, NOT at the curb, until collection. The only exception is a single item weighing 50 lbs. or more, such as a large TV, which must be placed at the curb.

On the collection day, Republic Services personnel will collect the specially packaged items and recycle them.

> Aerosols

lamps

> Mercury/mercury debris

> Light bulbs (fluorescents, compact

> High-intensity discharge (HID)

> Resins and epoxy

fluorescents [CFL])

> Batteries (lead-acid,

> Pool chemicals/cleaners

> Biological/infectious waste

> Pharmaceuticals/controlled

alkaline, NiCad)

(acidic and basic)

> Medical sharps

> Propane tanks

substances

> Fire extinguishers

Here is a list of items that Republic Services will collect (5 gallons or less):

- > Paint (latex and oil-based)
- > Paint thinners
- > Gasoline
- Solvents
- > Oil
- > Petroleum-based lubricants
- > Ethylene
- Glycol
- > Antifreeze
- > Pesticides/herbicides

Republic Services will NOT accept the following:

- > Radioactive compounds
- > Smoke detectors
- > Ammunition/explosives
- > Tires
- > Asbestos
- > Polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs)









Republic Recycles

All recyclables will be collected every other week on the same day as waste collection. All waste will be collected weekly (see calendar).

Acceptable Recycling Materials (Empty, Clean and Dry)



Cardboard (flattened), office paper, file folders, magazines, catalogs, newspaper and inserts, junk mail, telephone books, etc.



Milk and juice cartons and aseptic containers



Aluminum, tin or steel cans, foil and pie tins



Plastic bottles and containers (#1 and #2 only, remove and discard lids)

Recyclable materials cannot be set out in plastic bags of any kind and will not be picked up by the recycling truck if they are. A glass recycling container will be available for residents to dispose of glass at the municipal building. The glass must be placed in the container cleaned and unbagged.

Unacceptable Materials

- × Plastics #3-#7
- × Glass bottles or jars
- × Electronics
- × Food waste
- × Yard waste
- × Ceramics or dishes
- × Plastic grocery bags

- × Motor oil containers × Pizza boxes
- × Clothing
- × Polystyrene foam
- × Light bulbs
- × Window glass or mirrors
- × Construction waste
- × Take-out containers
- × Hazardous waste containers
- X Un-rinsed food X containers

NOTE: Carts containing unacceptable materials will not be collected.



* Broken glass contaminates other recyclable items, rendering them unrecyclable. To prevent this, glass is being removed from curbside recycling collection. A glass-only recycling container is located at the municipal building for those wanting to recycle their clean glass carts. Please do not place any other materials, including plastic bags, into the glass cart.

