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## City of Petersburg & Old Towne Petersburg

# Collection Guidelines

Meridian Waste is proud to be your environmental services provider! Refer to this overview for basic information about your services and visit MeridianWaste.com/Petersburg for the latest news and updates to guidelines and collection schedules.

## Prepare for Pickup

**City of Petersburg:** Garbage is collected once per week on your assigned collection day, utilizing a Meridian Waste provided 95-gallon cart.

**Old Towne Petersburg:** Garbage is collected three (3) times per week (Monday, Wednesday and Friday) utilizing a Meridian Waste provided 95-gallon cart and/or designated collection location.

**Set Out Time:** Properly prepared waste and carts must be **placed curbside the night before or no later than 7:00 AM** on your collection day to ensure service.

**Materials:** ALL waste **MUST be BAGGED** before being placed into or beside the Cart, to limit trash spillage during collection. To help with excess bags, customers can rent up to two additional carts for a fee — contact Customer Care for details.

**Limits:** Collection is limited to the content of the Cart plus up to five (5) cubic yards (roughly the volume safe to transport in a truck bed) of additional bagged waste placed neatly beside the Cart .

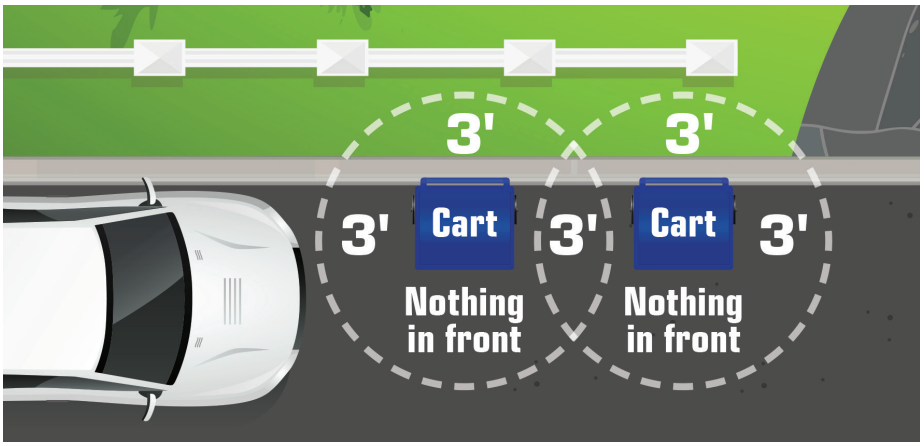
## Holiday Schedule

If the holiday falls on or prior to your regular collection day, pick-up will be delayed by one day through the end of that week.

**Holidays Observed:** New Year's Day, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day, and Christmas Day.

## Cart Placement

Carts MUST be **LESS THAN** three (3) ft. away from the curb and MUST be **AT LEAST** three (3) ft. away from any standing object (this includes mailboxes, automobiles, and other waste containers).




## Garbage Restrictions

### ACCEPTABLE Waste

- **YES** — Non-hazardous municipal solid waste
- **YES** — Food scraps and food packaging
- **YES** — Disposables
- **YES** — Clothing
- **YES** — Bottles, cans, newspapers & magazines
- **YES** — Glass

### NOT ACCEPTABLE In Your Garbage

- **NO** — Tires
- **NO** — Construction Materials
- **NO** — White goods (e.g. home appliances like stoves and refrigerators)
- **NO** — **Hazardous Materials:** Including but not limited to: batteries; automotive fluids (fuel, antifreeze, oils); paint and paint lacquer; stains, thinners, varnish and polishes; wood preservatives; and chemicals of any kind (i.e. pool chemicals, cleaners, solvents, adhesives; pesticides and weed killer)
- **NO** — **Empty Hazardous Material Containers**
- **NO** — **Radioactive Materials**
- **NO** — **Biological/Medical Waste**
- **NO** — **Electronic Waste:** Including but not limited to: televisions, computers, monitors, printers, VCRs, cell phones, telephones, radios and microwave ovens
- **NO** — Liquids or Water-Soluble Solids
- **NO** — Salt, borax, lye, caustics/acids
- **NO** — Septic Tank or Chemical Toilet Waste
- **NO** — Fluorescent Light Tubes and Ballasts
- **NO** — Automobile Parts
- **NO** — Dead animals over ten (10) lbs.
- **NO** — Batteries
- **NO** — Ammunition
- **NO** — Unemptied aerosol cans
- **NO** — Compressed gas cylinders

**Customer Care:** (804) 748-8324
**Local Guidelines:** MeridianWaste.com/Petersburg
**Email:** CustomerCareRichmondVA@MeridianWaste.com

## Yard Waste

Please visit **MeridianWaste.com/Petersburg** for additional guidelines, or contact Customer Care via the contact options below.

**Included Service:** Once weekly collection of properly prepared vegetative yard waste materials placed curbside or at designated collection location.

**Materials Accepted:** All leaves and small debris must be bagged or containerized. Limbs meeting the size restrictions must be neatly stacked and/or tied. No tree trunks or stumps will be collected.

**Limits:** Maximum five (5) cubic yards (roughly the volume safe to transport in a truck bed). Items must be no longer than 4 ft. in length, 18 inches in diameter, and weigh no more than 50 lb.

## Sign Up for Service Alerts

Sign up for email and/or text alerts so we can notify you in the event of inclement weather, holidays, or other factors that might interrupt your service.

Sign up at: **MeridianWaste.com/Service-Alert-Signup**

## Bulk Waste Collection

Bulk Waste includes household objects too big to fit in the garbage cart, such as toilets, sinks, bicycles, mattresses, and large household furnishings. Does not include construction or demolition waste. Size should be safe for two people to lift.

**Included Service:** Once weekly collection of Bulk Waste placed curbside or at designated collection location.

**Limits:** Maximum five (5) cubic yards (approximately the volume of bags that are safe to transport in the bed of a truck).



## Commercial Solid Waste Collection

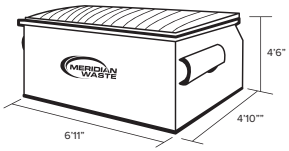
**Commercial Collection:** Meridian Waste offers Solid Waste collection, removal, and disposal service to all Commercial Establishments within the corporate limits of the City. Please contact Customer Care at **(804) 748-8324** for details.

**Temporary Dumpster Roll-off Services:** Contact Customer Care at **(804) 748-8324** for more information and to schedule. Temporary services of this type will be billed to the Customer and paid to Meridian Waste in advance of the collection.

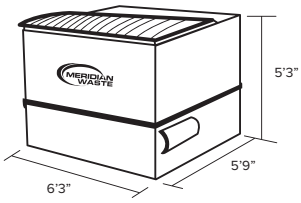
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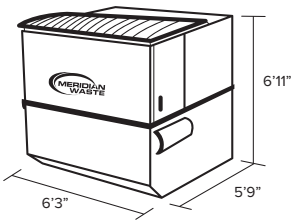

**2 Yard**




**4 Yard**

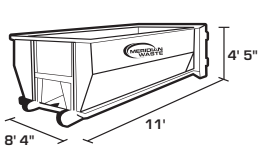



**6 Yard**

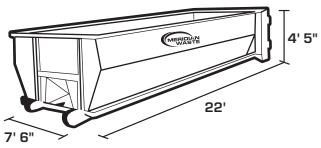



**8 Yard**

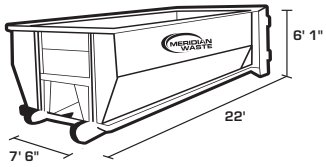
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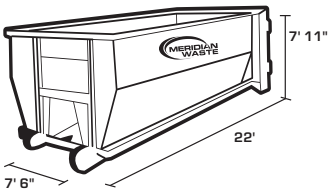

**10 Yard**




**20 Yard**




**30 Yard**




**40 Yard**

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