

Your residential guide to easy and green-friendly waste management in the City of Wentzville.

EFFECTIVE
MAY 1, 2026

DISCOVER YOUR SERVICES

Update 2026-A

residential trash - recycling - yard waste - large items and white goods - dumpster/roll-off container service

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

It is our goal to help make taking out the trash just a little bit easier!

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Meridian Waste Wentzville Administration Office:

151 Hamilton Industrial Ct.
Wentzville, MO 63385



Standard Monthly Rate

(May 1, 2026 – April 30, 2027)

Trash and Recycle

\$16.00 per month

Billed Quarterly

(May–Jul, Aug–Oct, Nov–Jan, Feb–Apr)

\$48.00 per quarter

Additional Charges

Monthly cost will be higher for residents who sign up for optional paid services (such as extra cart service or yard waste service) or have fees associated with nonstandard service needs.

For help with any questions or concerns, or to request an additional cart, please contact Meridian Waste Customer Care.

More Info/Service Requests: MeridianWaste.com/Wentzville

Customer Care (Wentzville): (636) 639-7599

Email: CustomerCareMO@MeridianWaste.com

Payment Remittance Address:

Meridian Waste Missouri, LLC

PO Box 24932

Miami, FL 33102-4932

Section I

Collection Schedule & How-To Guide

PREPARE FOR PICK-UP

Collection Day: To look up your specific collection day, please call Meridian Waste Customer Care or visit MeridianWaste.com/find-my-schedule.

Set Out Time: Place carts curbside **the night before** or **no later than 6:00 AM** on your collection day.

Materials: Please refer to full guidelines in **Section III**.

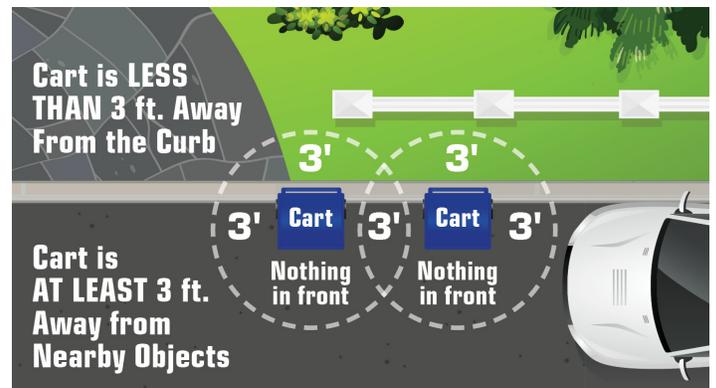
HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

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. If the holiday falls on a Saturday or Sunday, the collection schedule will **NOT** be affected.

Holidays Observed: New Year's Day, Memorial Day, July 4th (Independence Day), Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day

CART PLACEMENT

Carts MUST be **WITHIN three (3) ft.** of the curb and MUST be **at least three (3) ft. away** from any standing object (this includes mailboxes, vehicles, and other waste carts).



Section II

Cart Sizes/Colors

Containers:

95-gallon **BLUE** Wentzville cart for **TRASH**.

95-gallon **GREEN** Wentzville cart for **RECYCLING**.

95-gallon **BROWN** Wentzville cart for **YARD WASTE** service.

Additional Carts: Extra 95-gallon carts including weekly trash or recycling service are available at a rate of \$5 per cart per month.

Trash – 95 Gallon



Recycling – 95 Gallon



Yard Waste – 95 Gallon



Height: 46.1" Width: 24.8" Depth: 34.4"

Section III

Guidelines By Waste Type

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 Trash

- NO** – Lithium Batteries
- NO** – Tires
- NO** – Yard Waste
- 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; 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, media players like blu-ray/DVD/VCRs, cell phones, telephones, radios, 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 Bodies/Parts
- NO** – Improperly Prepared Fireworks

TRASH

Collection Schedule: Picked up **once weekly**. (Option of twice per week for additional fee of \$18.00 per month.)

Collection Day: To look up your specific collection day, please visit MeridianWaste.com/find-my-schedule or call Meridian Waste Customer Care.

Set Out Time: Place carts curbside **the night before** or **no later than 6:00 AM** on your collection day.

Materials Accepted: Non-hazardous municipal solid waste. **No construction materials** permitted.

Containers: 95-gallon **BLUE** Wentzville cart for trash. Only Meridian Waste provided containers will be serviced.

Additional Carts: Extra 95-gallon **BLUE** Wentzville carts will be provided and serviced for an additional monthly fee of \$5.00 per cart. To avoid blowing litter and to keep your carts fresh and minimize odors, please place securely bagged materials inside the cart (the cart lid **MUST** fully close). Additional bags can be collected when prepaid and scheduled in advance at a rate of \$3.00 per bag. If you regularly have more trash than one cart can hold, adding a second **BLUE** trash cart may be a more cost-effective option.

Proper Protocol: Recommend materials be securely bagged and placed inside the cart (the cart lid must fully close). Extra **BLUE** carts for large quantities of trash are highly encouraged versus scheduling bagged waste.

Quantity Limits: Base service includes one full cart (no overflow; lid must fully shut). When scheduled and paid for in advance, additional bags will be removed at a rate of \$3.00 per bag. Individual trash bags **CANNOT** exceed 40 lbs.

EXPLOSION DANGER!

Lithium-ion batteries (the kind in cell phones, laptops, tablets, etc.) easily catch fire or explode when crushed, even if they're "dead"!

NEVER put them in the Trash OR Recycling.

LITHIUM BATTERIES



RECYCLING

Collection Schedule: Picked up **once weekly**. (Option of twice per week for additional fee of \$18.00 per month.)

Collection Day: To look up your specific collection day, please visit MeridianWaste.com/find-my-schedule or call Meridian Waste Customer Care at **(636) 639-7599**.

Containers: 95-gallon **GREEN** Wentzville cart. Only Meridian Waste provided containers will be serviced.

Materials Accepted: Plastics labeled #s 1, 2, 3, 5, and 7; aluminum, tin, and steel cans; glass; corrugated cardboard (flattened); and mixed paper.

Instructions: **ITEMS MUST BE CLEAN**, with non-paper items rinsed and labels removed. **Do NOT bag recyclable materials.**

Proper Containerization: Recycling in Wentzville is curbside single stream, meaning all acceptable recyclable materials are collected in a single cart. **ONLY** the contents **WITHIN** the recycling cart are collected; **NO** items left outside the cart will be collected.

NOT ACCEPTED in Recycling Cart NO Glass, Plastic Bags, Plastic Films, or Construction Materials

Glass, plastic bags, and plastic films (such as cling wrap and plastic seals and sheets in packaging) are **NOT ACCEPTED** in the curbside recycling program due to the fact they cannot be separated out again and contaminate the processing of other recyclables, unfortunately rendering the entire batch unusable.

YARD WASTE

STANDARD 10-MONTH MINIMUM CHARGE PROGRAM

\$10.42 per month

Collection Schedule: Picked up **once weekly**. (March - December)

Collection Day: To look up your specific collection day, please visit MeridianWaste.com/find-my-schedule or call Meridian Waste.

Containers: Add a 95-gallon **BROWN** Wentzville cart for \$3.00 per month and/or use customer-provided paper lawn/leaf bags. Only Meridian Waste provided containers will be serviced. Cart movement and cleaning fees apply.

What's Included: A combination of fifteen (15) lawn/leaf bags and yard waste bundles. The fully contained content within one **BROWN** Wentzville cart is counted as one of the fifteen items. Each additional bag/bundle is an additional charge of \$2.50 per bag/bundle.

Materials Accepted: Leaves, grass, limbs, and branches (securely bundled with twine) **LESS THAN** six (6) inches in diameter and **LESS THAN** five (5) feet in length. Bundles should be less than 18 inches in diameter and **MUST NOT** weigh more than 50 lbs.

Proper Protocol: All yard waste materials **MUST** be contained **WITHIN** the **BROWN** Wentzville cart, in paper lawn/leaf bags, or secured in bundles with twine. No overflowing cart — cart lid must be fully closed.

Your cart should contain
ONLY these recyclables:
Items **MUST** be clean!



PLASTIC (Clear or Colored *)
Label #s 1, 2, 3, 5 & 7

* NOT Accepted: #4, #6 & black plastics



**ALUMINUM,
TIN & STEEL CANS** **MIXED PAPER**



**FLATTENED CORRUGATED
CARDBOARD**

LARGE ITEMS AND WHITE GOODS / APPLIANCES

Quantity Limits: Residents are permitted up to three (3) items collected at no additional charge per calendar quarter, to be picked up on your regular service day. Additional large items / white goods can be scheduled for a fee of \$18.00 per item.

Collection Arrangements: Collection of **ALL** large items and white goods/appliances **MUST be scheduled in advance**. For more information and to schedule a pick-up, please call Meridian Waste Customer Care at **(636) 639-7599**.

IMPORTANT: Items WILL BE COLLECTED if they are PROPERLY contained, bundled, packaged, and placed. Anything that IS NOT prepared correctly WILL NOT BE COLLECTED until the issues are fixed.

Many times, large items are more efficiently handled with DUMPSTER SERVICE. See Section IV. Dumpster/Roll-Off Container Service.

ACCEPTABLE Large Items & White Goods

Popular Large Items: Bicycles, BBQ grills, cabinets, vanity tops and bases, carpet rolled into strips no wider than four (4) feet, sofas, sectionals, mattresses, box springs, tables, chairs, other miscellaneous furniture, televisions, doors (cut in half), sheet glass such as shower doors, windows, mirrors, etc. (MUST be duct-taped across its full surface with strips making a large asterisk pattern — strips going corner to corner, side to side, and top to bottom)

White Goods/Appliances: Stoves, washers, dryers, freezers (with doors removed), refrigerators (with doors removed), dishwashers, water heaters (drained)

UNACCEPTABLE Items and Materials

- NO** — Tires
- NO** — Oil, Grease, Liquids, Liquid Paint, Sludge
- NO** — RV, UTV, automobile, motorcycle, boat, or trailer parts
- NO** — Combustion Engines
- NO** — Hazardous materials or empty hazardous material containers
- NO** — Biohazardous/biomedical materials or empty containers that held biohazardous or biomedical waste
- NO** — Radioactive materials
- NO** — Fertilizers, Pesticides, Herbicides, or Soil



Section IV

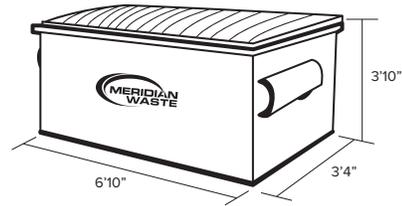
Dumpster/Roll-Off Container Rental

DUMPSTER SERVICE

Collection Arrangements: For more information and to place an order, contact Meridian Waste at **(636) 639-7599** or email CustomerCareMO@MeridianWaste.com.

Dumpster and roll-off container sizes and dimensions:
MeridianWaste.com/residential/roll-off-container-rental

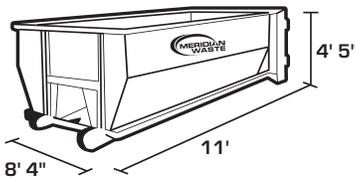
Materials Accepted: Home remodeling debris, garage and/or basement clean-outs, special events, including, but not limited to: construction materials such as flooring, ceilings, shingles, lumber, countertops, cabinets, composite decking, plywood, drywall, and similar assorted items, excluding yard waste and concrete or similar materials.



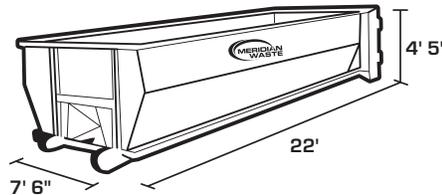
2 Yard



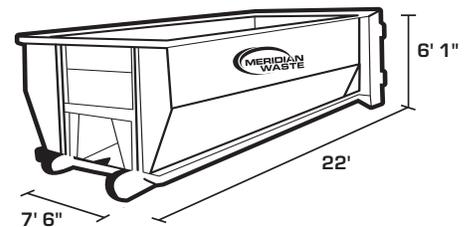
4 Yard



10 Yard



20 Yard



30 Yard

Container Size (Cubic Yards)	2 yd.	4 yd.	10 yd.	20 yd.	30 yd.
Initial Setup/Delivery Fee	\$45	\$45	\$60	\$60	\$60
Fee Per Each Removal/Return	\$97	\$97	\$165	\$175	\$200
MINIMUM Total Cost for One Load Serviced	\$142	\$142	\$225	\$235	\$260
Disposal Ton Weight Allowance INCLUDED in Removal/Return Fee	0.25	0.25	2	2	3
Additional Disposal Fee Per Ton for Tons IN EXCESS of Disposal Weight Allowance	\$45	\$45	\$45	\$45	\$45
MAXIMUM WEIGHT (Tons)	1	1	4	6	8
Additional Fee for Weight IN EXCESS of Maximum	\$200	\$200	\$500	\$500	\$500

Dumpster usage is maximum of 14 days. After 14 days, additional fees will apply.

We're Here to Help!

Contact the Meridian Waste Customer Care Team with any questions or concerns.

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Meridian Waste Wentzville Administration Office:

151 Hamilton Industrial Ct.
Wentzville, MO 63385

Send Mailed Payments to:

Meridian Waste Missouri, LLC
PO Box 24932
Miami, FL 33102-4932

SPECIAL NEEDS COLLECTION SERVICE

Special Needs Collection Service is available when all adults at a residence have special needs or disabilities that prevent them from setting their trash, recycling or yard waste cart(s) at the curb for collection.

If a request for Special Needs Collection Service is approved, Meridian Waste will collect the cart(s)/yard waste bags at or near the garage door at no additional charge to the resident.

For more information or to request Accommodation for Special Needs Collection Service, please call **(636) 639-7599**.

NEED MORE INFORMATION?

Please visit the custom City of Wentzville - Meridian Waste local guidelines webpage for information specific to Meridian Waste and the City's service levels and details. Go to MeridianWaste.com/Wentzville for additional information.

For help with any questions or concerns, or to request an additional cart, please contact Meridian Waste Customer Care at **(636) 639-7599** or visit MeridianWaste.com/Wentzville.

Summary of Fees – Basic and Optional Program / Additional Services

Basic Service

(May 1, 2026 – April 30, 2027)

Trash and Recycle Bundled:

\$16.00 per month

Optional Program

Yard Waste 10-Month Program:

\$10.42 per month (Mar - Dec);
\$3.00 additional per month with
cart; additional bags over 15 bag
limit – \$2.50 per bag

Additional Services / Fees

- Additional trash or recycling cart – \$5.00 per month
- Second weekly service (trash or recycling) – \$18.00 each per month
- Return pickup – \$15.00 per occurrence per waste stream
- Scheduled trash bags – \$3.00 per bag
- Additional Large Items – \$18.00 per item
- Yard Waste by Appointment – \$4.00 per bag (3 bag minimum charge). Not to exceed 15 bags per week.
- Cart removal/cleaning fee – \$15.00 per cart
- Additional cart delivery fee – Waived
- Service Interruption Fee – \$35.00 per occurrence