

# Collection Guidelines

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## Prepare for Pickup

**Collection Day:** Garbage and Recycling collection is **WEDNESDAY**. All carts should be **curbside by 6:00 AM**.

**Materials:** All materials must be **INSIDE** the provided cart (garbage in the Garbage cart, recycling in the Recycling cart). Waste placed outside the cart will not be collected.

**Weight Limits:** Carts **CANNOT** exceed sixty (60) lbs. each.

### Cart Placement:

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

## Bulk Waste

Up to two items are collected at no charge on the last Friday of the month. Bulk collection must be scheduled in advance by calling **(636) 566-8367**. *Bulky items are objects too big for the garbage cart, such as toilets, sinks, bicycles, mattresses, carpet, fencing and large household furnishings.*

## ALERT

## Recycling Services Have Changed

Due to a nationwide crisis in the recycling industry, Resource Management's Earth City Materials Recovery Facility notified Meridian Waste that they will no longer accept certain recyclables collected curbside from residential customers. Please note the following changes.

**Recyclables ACCEPTED Curbside:** Plastics labeled #s 1, 2, 3, 5 and 7, and aluminum, tin & steel Cans

**GLASS IS NO LONGER ACCEPTED** for recycling.

*As a reminder, materials NOT acceptable for curbside recycling include: glass bottles & jars, garbage; yard waste; anything containing food waste; plastic bags of any kind; ceramics; mirrors; window glass; hard books; scrap metal; soiled foil or trays; tissues, toilet paper or paper towels; styrofoam or disposable utensils.*

## Drop-Off Sites: Mixed Paper ONLY

Drop-off sites have been set up to accept mixed paper for recycling. Paper **MUST** be separated from other items and placed in the designated containers.

**Winfield Transfer Station & Recycling**  
751 South Highway 79  
Winfield, MO 63389

**Moscow Mills City Hall**  
995 Main Street  
Moscow Mills, MO 63362

**Fairgrounds Park parking lot**  
in Troy by Monroe Street



## Garbage Content

### APPROVED Waste

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

### NOT ACCEPTABLE

- NO** — Yard waste
- 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 Bodies

## Holiday Schedule

If an observed holiday occurs on your scheduled collection day, services will be delayed by one day throughout the remainder of that week.

We observe the following holidays:

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