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# City of King
# Collection Guidelines

Meridian Waste is proud to be your environmental services provider! Refer to the guidelines below for essential information about your services and visit MeridianWaste.com/KingNC 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!

## Prepare for Pickup

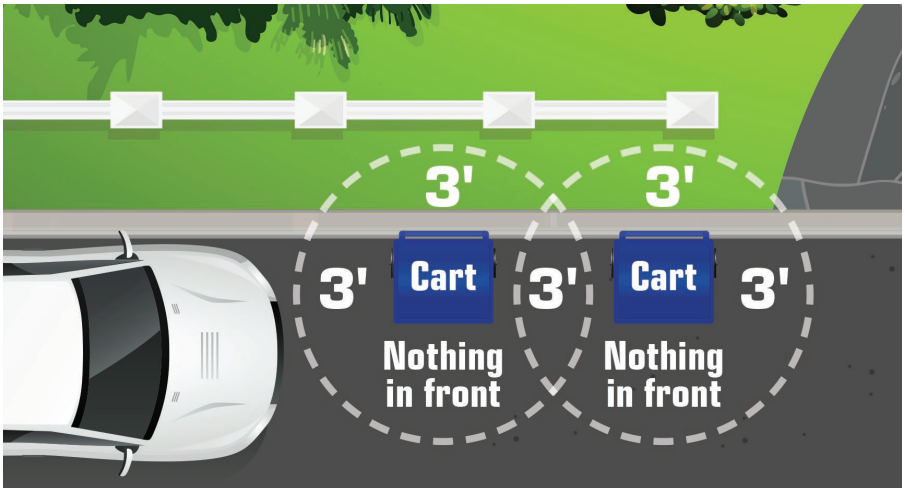
**Collection Day:** Garbage collected weekly on **MONDAY, TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY**.

**Set Out Time:** **Place cart curbside the night before** your collection day.

**Materials:** All waste materials must be **BAGGED** and **INSIDE** your garbage cart at the designated collection location, in a spot that is readily accessible. If an extra cart is needed, please contact Customer Care for more information and pricing details.

## Cart Placement

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




## Sign Up for Service Alerts

Stay in the know about your service—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

**All services are available by subscription. Call for details & pricing.**

## Garbage

- Collected **weekly on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday.**
- 96-gallon cart included with subscription.
- **Materials Accepted:** Bagged & containerized non-hazardous municipal solid waste.

## 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 Years Day
- Memorial Day
- July 4th/Independence Day
- Labor Day
- Thanksgiving Day
- Christmas Day

**More Information:** MeridianWaste.com/KingNC
**Email:** CustomerCareKingNC@MeridianWaste.com
**Customer Care Phone:** (336) 871-4055

**ATTENTION:** All waste materials must be BAGGED and placed INSIDE your cart in the designated collection location. All recycling must be placed in the recycling cart.

# GARBAGE

## 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

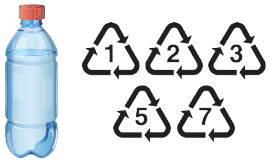
**NO** — Tires
**NO** — Yard waste
**NO** — **Hazardous Materials:** Including but not limited to: batteries; automotive fluids (fuel, antifreeze, oils); paint and paint lacquer, stains, thinners, varnish and polishes; wood preservatives; and chemicals of any kind (i.e. pool chemicals, cleaners, solvents, 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

**As much as possible, please try to recycle these materials instead of placing them in the garbage.*

# RECYCLING CART

The following are accepted for curbside recycling: plastics (#s 1, 2, 3, 5, and 7); aluminum and tin cans; glass; newspaper, magazines, junk mail, office paper, paper shopping bags, tissue or cereal boxes, and other clean cardboards.

**NOTE:** Items must be clean, with non-paper items rinsed and labels removed.




**PLASTIC (Clear or Colored*)**
**Label #s 1, 2, 3, 5 & 7**
* NOT Accepted: #4, #6 & black plastics



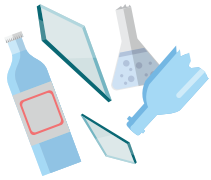
**ALUMINUM and TIN CANS**



**CORRUGATED CARDBOARD**



**MIXED PAPER**



**GLASS**

## NOT ACCEPTED CURBSIDE: PLASTIC BAGS

PLASTIC BAGS are not accepted in the curbside recycling program because they are common contaminants in the recycling stream.

## We're Here to Help!

Contact us anytime with questions or concerns, and to let us know if your cart has been lost or damaged.

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