

New Household Garbage & Recycling Carts

The new household garbage and recycling carts are designed to easily be collected by automated collection vehicles. These vehicles use mechanical arms, operated by the driver in the cab of the truck, that grab, lift and empty the cart and return it to the ground.

Do NOT use the carts until the start of the program on Oct. 1, 2015

To help the collection stay on schedule, follow these simple steps:

1. Place items at the curbside by 6 a.m. the day of the scheduled collection service.
2. Place the wheels of the carts toward the house and the arrow on the cart pointed toward the street.
3. Place the carts four (4) feet from one another and objects like mailboxes and parked vehicles.

What can be recycled with this new program?



Paper Products

All paper/fiber products (junk mail, newspapers & magazines)
Corrugated cardboard
Boxboard cardboard



Plastic Containers:

All household plastic containers marked with the recycling symbol (with or without caps)



Metal Containers:

Aluminum containers
Steel cans
Tin cans



Glass Containers:

All clear and colored glass (with or without lids)

ITEMS NOT RECYCLABLE: Styrofoam, batteries, light bulbs, plastic bags & items contaminated with food.

Disposal of Yard Waste

- Beginning October 1, 2015, yard waste will be collected at the curb once every week on the second day of the week of your garbage collection. For example, a household receiving Monday/Thursday garbage collection, yard waste will be collected on Thursday
- Residents are required to tie, bag or bundle yard waste. Yard waste can be placed at the curb loose, in a biodegradable bag, in a homeowner-provided container or plastic bag.
- Branches and limbs should be no longer than four (4) feet in length, and six (6) inches in diameter, and must be less than 50 pounds and stacked uniformly.
- Items not considered yard waste include wood fencing, landscape timbers, flower pots, yard decoration, mulch and dirt.

Bulk Waste & White Goods

Large, bulky items such as a sofa or a range, can be placed at the curb for collection. Residents can also contact WCA at 800-535-9533 to schedule a pickup. Allow up to 72 hours (excluding Sundays or holidays) to fulfill the request.



Trash & Recycling Schedule

Beginning Oct. 1, 2015, trash collection schedule will not change. Trash will be collected in this 96 gallon cart.



Recycling will be collected every Wednesday. Recycling will be collected in this 65 gallon container.



Additional Carts

Additional Carts: Additional household garbage carts are available to residents for an additional annual fee of \$100 per year per cart. If residents are interested in purchasing additional garbage carts, please contact WCA to set up service at 800-535-9533.

NEW Curbside Collection Services

New residential curbside garbage collection services are beginning October 1, 2015.

Each household in Mascotte is receiving one new trash cart and one new recycling cart, free of charge. Maintenance of the carts is also included at no charge.

All residents need to start using these carts beginning on October 1, 2015.

Curbside Collection Service Provider

Mascotte has contracted with
WCA

to service your area. For more information about WCA, visit
www.wcawaste.com.



Holiday Schedule

If a household's collection day falls on a holiday, collection will occur on the next scheduled collection day. For example, a household receiving Monday/Thursday garbage collection and Monday is a holiday, garbage collection will occur Thursday of that same week. If a holiday falls on the same day of recycling collection, then recycling will not occur for that week. For example, a household receiving recycling collection on Wednesday and Wednesday is a holiday, recycling will be collected the following Wednesday. There will be no collection services on the following holidays:

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

If a household's trash collection day falls on a holiday, residents may dispose of excess trash in plastic bags outside of their trash cart on their next scheduled collection day. For example, a household receiving Monday/Thursday garbage collection and Monday is a holiday, a resident may dispose of excess trash in plastic bags outside of their carts on Thursday.



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Guide to Mascotte's Curbside Collection Services

