



You've been issued a new City of Tulsa trash cart (gray). Here are some important guidelines to know when setting out your household trash for collection:

If you find that you consistently have extra trash that does not fit in your cart, consider choosing a larger cart size.

- Only City of Tulsa trash carts will be serviced after October 1.
- All trash must be bagged and placed in your cart.
- No hazardous chemicals, car batteries, paints, medical waste, oil, or construction debris.
- Loose materials such as sawdust and cold ash must be bagged.
- Trash bags placed outside of your trash cart must be tagged with a collection sticker.
- Your cart lids must be completely closed.
- Do not set items on top of your carts.
- No modifications may be made to your carts.
- Carts must be set out before 6 a.m. on your collection day.
- Cart must be removed from curb within 12 hours after cart has been serviced.
- Place carts with lid opening toward the street.
- Please leave 3 ft. of space between trash and recycling carts, as well as any obstruction (i.e. light pole, landscaping, basketball goal, vehicles, mailboxes).

RECYCLING:

A 96-gallon recycling cart (blue) has been issued to all households. Recycling is NOT mandatory, but is included in all service plan rates.

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Keep in mind that up to 80 percent of your household waste is recyclable. The more you recycle, the less trash you throw out. The less trash you throw out, the smaller the trash cart you need. The smaller the trash cart, the less you pay.

Recycling item

Only City of Tulsa recycling carts will be collected.

- Place all recyclables loose in cart. No need to separate or bag.
- Your recycling cart lid must be completely closed.
- Recycling must be set out before 6 a.m. on your collection day.
- Cart must be removed from curb within 12 hours after cart has been serviced.
- Place cart with lid opening toward the street.
- Please leave 3 ft. of space between trash and recycling cart, as well as any obstructions (i.e. light pole, landscaping, basketball goal, trees, vehicles, mailboxes).
- Place cart with lid opening toward the street.

Dead Animal Removal

Dead animals will be removed from public streets or private property if the animals are placed on the curb for pickup. This service is provided at no extra charge. Call 918.596.9777 giving the exact location and specific directions to the pick-up site. All calls received on weekends will be serviced on the next working day.

Please leave 3 ft. of space between trash and recycling cart

Leaves, garden clippings, grass mower clippings, and branches can be bagged and placed inside your trash cart.

Additional green waste that does not fit in your trash cart will need to be placed into clear or transparent bags and tagged with stickers. Green waste stickers may be purchased at area convenience stores for 50 cents each.

November, December and January will be free green-waste collection months.

You may place green waste into clear or transparent bags next to your trash cart without a sticker.

Place leaves and grass clippings in transparent bags, tagged with green waste sticker.

Use trash cart.

Tree limbs and brush must be tied in 4-feet-by-2-feet bundles, tagged with sticker.

4 ft. Wide Maximum

2 ft.

Diameter

Maximum

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Christmas Tree Disposal

The City of Tulsa will offer complimentary collection of Christmas trees during the months of December and January. During this time no 'Green Waste' sticker will need to be applied to discarded trees.

- Christmas trees may be placed at the curb on the customer's primary collection day.
- Christmas trees may be no longer than 6 ft. in length. Trees longer than 6 ft. in length will need to be cut into lengths 6 ft. or smaller