

Porter Trash Service

Residential Service Guidelines

Regular Service

Please set trash at the curb by 7:00 a.m. on Thursdays. We will be happy to provide front door pick up for the *elderly* or *residents with disabilities*. If your trash was set out by 7:00 a.m., and it is not picked up on your scheduled service day, please call our office by the next business day. An answering service is available after regular business hours to accept all calls.

No limit on bags, as long as it is your regular household trash. Can size should be no larger than 40 gallons. Plastic bags or trash cans should not exceed 50 pounds.

Additional Trash

Bulk items, remodel material, and extra trash will be picked up on your regular service day if prior arrangements have been made with our office. Please call our office at least one day in advance to schedule pick up. The cost for this service varies according to volume and item.

Special Pick Up

Please call our office to arrange special pick up of appliances, tires and yard waste.

Material We Can **Not** Pick Up

Due to landfill regulations and health and safety concerns we cannot pick up the following items:

- ▶ 55 gallon barrels, paint (in liquid form), ashes, burn barrels, motor oil, hazardous waste, automobile batteries, dead animals or parts of dead animals.

Please contact us if you have any questions regarding certain materials.

Holiday Route Schedule

Thanksgiving – On Saturday

Additional Services

- ▶ Poly Carts
- ▶ Temporary Container Service
- ▶ Roll-Off Service

Sort Material into 2 categories:

1. Paper
2. Trash
- 3.

Category 1: Paper- Dry Paper- Newspaper, cardboard, corrugated boxes, magazines, telephone books, catalogs, cereal boxes, computer paper, office paper, etc.

▶ **To prepare for recycling:** Keep clean and dry. Remove any plastic or waxed liner. Remove any metal larger than a staple. Flatten all empty boxes.

Category 2: Trash

Trash – Whatever is left after sorting out paper is trash.

On your scheduled service day:

- ▶ Set recyclables and trash at the curb by 7:00 a.m.
- ▶ Bundle paper together or place in a paper sack. Set paper beside your trash.
- ▶ Place trash in cans or bags.

Recycling Tip

▶ **When in doubt, throw it out.** If you have any doubt about whether an item is recyclable, call 660-582-9117 or 660-582-2069 for clarification. Or, throw the item into your regular trash. This will help prevent contamination of the materials.

Questions:

Call 660-582-9117 (Dennis) or the office at 660-582-2069

Office Hours: 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Mon-Friday

THANK YOU!