

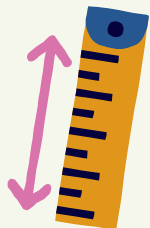
TIPS FOR SUCCESSFUL WASTE COLLECTION

FROM PELLITTERI WASTE SYSTEMS



Set carts out the night before or by 6 a.m.* on your collection day. Find your collection calendar on your community page at **pellitteri.com** under residential trash pickup or recycling.

**Some communities have later times, but we recommend 6 a.m. to be safe.*



Place carts 4 feet from each other and cars, mailboxes and trees. Do not place carts in the street. The best placement is on opposite sides of the driveway or on the grass within two feet of the street. In the winter, shovel out an area for the carts and do not place them in the street or on snowbanks.



Be sure carts are not overloaded and lids are closed. This helps reduce windblown litter and prevents materials from falling out when carts are emptied using the truck's automated arms. Closing lids also helps prevent rain and snow water from contaminating paper recyclables.



Be aware of the materials that are acceptable in your recycling cart. For example, not all plastics can be recycled in your curbside cart. Look up materials at **pellitteri.com/recycleright** to verify if items are recyclable or for proper disposal instructions.



We recommend bagging your trash to help reduce windblown litter and for easier cleanup if the carts tip over. It also helps ensure the cart empties completely. If you choose to bag your recyclables, use clear bags and don't tie them shut. The recycling facility needs to see that there are recyclables inside so they can be sorted correctly. Clear bags can be found at most grocery and hardware stores.



If you have more waste than your trash or recycling cart can hold with the lid shut, contact us about:

- Placing extra bags next to your cart
- Getting a larger cart or additional cart

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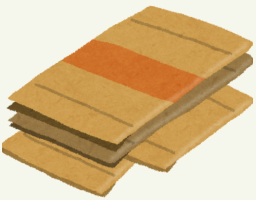
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Call us for pricing and scheduling of large item pickups like furniture, appliances, etc. Find Bulk Item pricing on your community's page at pellitteri.com. Also ask us about renting a temporary dumpster if you have large amounts of materials to discard.



Hazardous materials, such as batteries, propane tanks, chemicals, solvents, gases, and poisons, must be taken to designated drop-off sites; they should not be placed in carts. View proper disposal instructions for hazardous or landfill-prohibited materials at pellitteri.com/hazardous.



Flatten cardboard boxes to save space in the recycling cart and help ensure it empties completely. If you have more cardboard than can fit in the cart with the lid shut, please contact us to schedule a pickup of extra bags next to the cart on your next collection day. Trash carts containing recyclable cardboard will not be collected.



Return plastic bags to grocery stores. Never place them in your recycling cart. They get tangled in the sorting equipment at our recycling facility, shutting down operations. Other tangles that should not go in the recycling are ropes, hoses, cords, chains and strings of lights.



Do not crush or flatten plastic or metal items. These materials must remain in their original 3D shape so that the recycling facility's automated equipment can properly sort them.



Never place batteries, brush, yard waste or electronics in your trash or recycling carts. They should not be disposed of in curbside collection. Get proper disposal instructions at pellitteri.com/hazardous.