



## IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR TRASH/RUBBISH PROVIDER



### WHAT IS CONSIDERED TRASH OR RUBBISH?

**Bulky Trash** - Items too bulky or heavy to fit in the garbage cart such as furniture, TVs, large household items, homeowner-generated remodeling debris, mattresses, water heaters, carpet, fencing, lumber, etc. Do not bag these items



**Yard & Woody Waste**- Such as brush piles, tree limbs and shrub pruning. Do not bag these items; place them loose at the curb for collection.



**Bagged leaves & Grass** - Bagged leaves and grass should not be mixed with bulky trash or yard and woody waste. Do not place in garbage carts. Also note that yard waste, leaves and grass left in old garbage cans will not be collected.



**Bulky White Goods** - Stoves, washers, dryers, refrigerators, other large appliances. CFC must be removed and tagged by a licensed company.



### HOW DO I PUT MY TRASH OR RUBBISH OUT?

Bulky trash, yard and wood waste, leaves and grass should be placed next to each other but not mixed together. No household garbage, loose or bagged, are included in trash pickup services.

Empty and dried up latex paint cans with the lids off can go into your garbage cart. Please dry out any liquid latex paint in cans first before placing in garbage cart.

#### How to dry out latex paint:

If there's an inch or less of paint in the can, remove lid and let paint dry. If there's more than an inch of paint in the can, mix paint with cat litter, stir and let dry before placing in the garbage cart.

### WHAT CANNOT BE PICKED UP?

**No Contractor's Trash** - Large trees and woody waste placed at the curb by a tree service or contractor will not be picked up. It is the responsibility of the tree service to haul away the cut trees and limbs. If the contractor refuses or fails to do so, the homeowner must haul away the material. Also, landlord renovations to rental property is a commercial waste activity. Pelican Waste & Debris will not pick up this type of waste. Landlords must contact a waste company and rent a dumpster for construction debris disposal.

**No Hazardous Waste or Tires Allowed** - No household hazardous waste can be placed in carts or at the curb (paint, chemicals, thinner, batteries, electronics, tires, etc.). Go to the HCUA website ([www.hcua-ms.us](http://www.hcua-ms.us)) for drop off events and downloadable charts of businesses that accept household hazardous waste year-round.

**No Oil Paint** - Oil paint cannot be put out for pickup, as opposed to latex paint that can be picked up (see above). It is hazardous and should be safely disposed of at monthly Household Hazardous Materials Collection Days, held the second Saturday of each month. Visit [www.hcua-ms.us](http://www.hcua-ms.us) for details.

**QUESTIONS? PLEASE CALL PELICAN WASTE AT 228.701.9086 (OPTION 2) OR HCUA AT 228.868.8752.**



## IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR GARBAGE & RECYCLING CARTS



We at Waste Management are thrilled to be your garbage and recycling provider. All carts will include RFID Chips that are specifically associated with the address where the cart is assigned. Waste Management will only pick up contents that are inside of your cart. Any excess household garbage sitting beside the cart will not be picked up.

### WHAT CAN & CANNOT GO IN YOUR GARBAGE CART?

**CAN:** Non-hazardous waste, including but not limited to, food, paper, clothing, consumer packaging, disposable diapers, office supplies, cosmetics, glass and metal food containers.

**CANNOT:** Hazardous waste, dead animals, bags of garbage located outside of the cart.



### WHAT CAN & CANNOT GO IN YOUR RECYCLING CART?

**CAN:** Clean pizza boxes, garden plastics, flattened cardboard boxes, empty containers, capped plastic bottles, and paper products.

**CANNOT:** Plastic bags, foam or Styrofoam containers, wire hangers, windows, mirrors, ceramic or Pyrex dishes, organic or food waste, electronics, paint, pesticides, cleaners, waxed cardboard, needles or syringes, scrap metal or hazardous waste.



### CAN I GET A SECOND CART?

**YES!** If you would like to order an additional garbage or recycling cart, please call Waste Management at 228.701.9086 (option 1). Waste Management will bill you annually for the extra garbage and/or recycling cart(s). The cost per cart per year is \$30.48 and must be paid in advance in order for additional cart(s) to be delivered.

### OTHER HELPFUL TIPS

Your garbage and recycling will be picked up on the same day. Place your carts out by 6AM on the day of your scheduled pick-up within four (4) feet of the road. Visit the HCUA website for full schedules and route maps, [www.hcua-ms.us](http://www.hcua-ms.us).

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