

## Bulky Item Eligibility

What items are eligible for bulky waste collection?

Non-Recyclable Items Eligible for Collection:

- Artificial trees.
  - If longer than 6 feet, item should be cut in half.
- Baby and child car seats.
- Bags of extra garbage.
- Basketball goals.
  - Must remove concrete base.
  - If item is longer than 8 feet, item should be cut in half.
  - Concrete will not be collected.
- Bathtubs, jacuzzies and hot tubs.
  - No cast iron tubs.
  - If heavier than 75 pounds and/or longer than 8 feet, item should be cut in half.
- Bed frames.
  - Must be dismantled.
- Beds' metal
  - Must be dismantled.
- Bikes.
  - ONLY bicycles and foot scooters. NO motorized vehicles that require gasoline such as mopeds or some scooters.
- Boards.
  - Must remove or flatten nails and cut to 8 feet or shorter.
- Books.
  - See "Cardboard" keyword if books are in cardboard boxes.
- Box springs.
- Building materials resulting from homeowner repair.
- Carpet.
  - Must roll up.
  - If heavier than 75 pounds and/or longer than 4 feet, item should be cut in half.
- Carts' metal.
  - No grocery carts.
- Chairs.
- Chests.
  - Must be empty.
- China cabinet hutches.
  - Must be empty.
  - Any glass should have an X taped over.

- Couches.
- Desk.
  - Must be empty.
- Dog houses.
  - Must be broken down.
  - Must be less than 75 pounds.
- Doors.
  - Any glass should have an X taped over.
- Dressers.
  - Must be empty.
  - Must remove doors.
- Drums (oil drum).
  - Fifty-five-gallon drums that are for personal use will be collected if both ends have been removed and the drum is flattened.
- Entertainment centers.
  - Must be empty.
  - Any glass should have an X taped over.
- Fencing.
  - Must remove concrete.
  - If longer than 4 feet, item must be cut in half.
  - Must be rolled into sections no larger than 6 feet.
  - Chicken wire is accepted but chain link fencing is not.
- Fireplace inserts.
  - Must remove bricks.
- Floor coverings.
  - This only includes carpet, rugs, linoleum and padding installed by homeowners.
  - Must roll carpet and padding.
  - Carpet and padding should be no longer than 4 feet (except tiles).
- Garbage cans (personal).
  - Schedule bulky collection and leave note indicating to take the personal can.
- Garbage disposal.
  - Must be empty and clean.
- Generators.
  - Must remove gas.
  - Must be less than 75 pounds.
- Glass.
  - Mirrors, doors, windows, etc.; not broken shards of glass.
    - SWS does not collect broken pieces of glass because it is a hazardous item and safety issue.
  - Both sides should have an X taped over.
  - Must place in box labeled/marked "glass".
  - Glass shards should be bagged and placed in rollout container.

- Grills.
  - Must remove propane tank.
  - Must be less than 75 pounds.
  - No commercial grills.
- Gutters.
  - If longer than 4 feet, item must be cut in half.
- Gym sets.
  - Must be empty.
  - Must remove concrete base and dismantle.
  - Must remove or flatten nails.
  - No concrete hampers.
- Oil or kerosene heaters.
  - Must be empty (take out oil).
  - Must be less than 75 pounds.
- Ladders.
  - If longer than 5 feet, item must be cut in half.
- Landscape timbers.
  - If longer than 6 feet, item must be cut in half.
  - No railroad ties.
- Large toys.
- Linoleum.
  - Must be rolled up.
  - If longer than 4 feet, item must be cut in half.
  - Must be less than 75 pounds.
- Lumber/boards.
  - If longer than 8 feet, item must be cut in half.
  - Must remove or flatten nails.
- Mattresses.
- Metal pole.
  - Must remove concrete on base.
  - If longer than 4 feet, item must be cut in half.
- Microwaves.
  - Must be empty.
- Mirrors.
  - Any glass should have an X taped over.
- Oil/kerosene heaters.
  - Must be empty (take oil out, if applicable).
- Paint cans.
  - Must be empty and dried out.
    - To empty paint can, place cat/kitty litter in can of paint. Once dry, place paint mixed with cat/kitty litter in a double-bagged plastic bag and place the bag inside the rollout cart.

- Pallets.
  - Must be broken down with nails removed or flattened.
- Patio furniture.
- Patio umbrellas.
  - Must dismantle base.
  - Must empty out water.
- Pianos and organs.
  - Must be less than 75 pounds.
  - Must be broken down/dismantled.
- Ping pong/pool tables.
  - Must be broken down.
  - Must be less than 75 pounds.
- Plastic crates.
- Plumbing materials.
- Plywood and paneling.
  - Must be no larger than 1 inch thick by 4 feet by 4 feet.
  - Must be less than 5 feet.
- Pool covers.
  - Must be folded.
  - Must be less than 75 pounds.
- Pool table.
  - Must be dismantled.
- Recliner.
- Rug.
  - Must be rolled or neatly stacked.
  - If longer than 6 feet, item must be cut in half.
  - Must be less than 75 pounds.
- Rot-Tiller.
- Safes.
  - Must be empty.
  - Must be less than 75 pounds.
- Space heater.
- Styrofoam.
  - Must be in a bag.
- Table.
  - If longer than 5 feet, item must be cut in half.
- Trampolines.
  - Must be broken down.
- Toilets.
  - Must be clean and empty.
- Tires.
  - Automobile, motorcycle, van, mini-van and small pick-ups only.

- Must remove rims.
  - Eight tires are the maximum for one collection.
- Vacuum cleaners.
- VCRs.
- Weed eaters/weed whacker.
  - Must remove gasoline.
- Wheel barrel.
  - Must be empty.
  - Leave note if not to be collected.
- Water jugs.

#### Recyclable Items Eligible for Collection:

- Air conditioners.
  - Window units only.
- Cardboard.
  - Large amounts of cardboard related to move-ins that will not fit in the recycling cart and large furniture boxes that are too thick to cut down should be scheduled for bulky collection.
  - Other cardboard should be cut down – not folded – into small pieces that fit loosely in the recycling cart for regular residential collection.
- Computer accessories.
  - E.g., monitor, printer, fax machine, scanner, mouse, keyboards, etc.
- Dishwasher.
  - Must be empty.
- Electronics.
  - This includes, computers, printers, TVs and any computer accessories.
- Dryer.
- Freezer.
  - Must be empty.
  - Must remove door.
- Hot water heater.
- Lawnmowers (riding and push).
  - Remove battery and gas tank.
  - Must be less than 75 pounds.
- Personal computers/laptops.
  - Any glass should have an X taped over.
- Pressure washers.
- Refrigerator/wine cooler.
  - Must be empty.
  - Must remove door.

- Stove (stove top, door, vent hood).
- Televisions.
  - Must be less than 75 pounds.
  - Any glass should have an X taped over.
- Trash compactor.
  - Must be cleaned out.
- Washing machine.
- Water tank.
  - Must be empty.
  - Must be less than 75 pounds.

#### Items Not Eligible for Collection:

- Air compressor.
- Air/helium tanks.
- Ash/coals.
- Any materials resulting from work performed by a commercial contractor.
- Automobile parts.
  - This includes motors, tires on rims, doors, fenders, car seats, batteries, and bumpers.
- Boat parts.
  - This includes motors and seats.
- Bricks.
- Burnt items/fire-damaged items.
- Camper parts.
  - This includes seats, camper shells, and trailers.
- Cardboard boxes.
  - Please cut down (not fold) pieces small enough to fit loosely in the recycling cart for collection.
- Central air conditioning or heating units.
- Ceramic tile.
  - E.g., floor coverings and wall coverings.
- Chain link fencing.
- Cinderblocks.
- Commercial cement.
- Commercial copy machine.
- Commercial drink machine.
- Concrete/cement.
- Dirt.
- Drywall/sheetrock/siding.
- Duct or sheet metal materials.

- Fence posts with concrete attached.
- Fire extinguishers.
- Floor coverings are not accepted.
  - Exceptions are carpet, padding, and rugs.
- Furnaces/parts.
- Glass blocks.
- Go-carts/parts.
- Helium tanks.
- Insulation.
- Kerosene tanks.
- Marble or simulated marble countertops (includes granite).
- Motorcycle parts.
- Metal grocery carts.
- Nails or boards with protruding nails.
- Oxygen tanks.
- Paint and other hazardous waste.
- Plaster (compound).
- Propane/oxygen tanks.
- Railroad ties.
- Rocks.
- Roofing materials, shingles.
- Sand.
- Satellite dishes.
  - Contact your provider.
- Shingles (roofing material).
- Shopping carts.
  - Contact the store, a private waste hauler or landfill to discuss disposal of these items.
- Siding.
- Sheetrock/sheet metal materials.
- Tiles.
- Tree stumps.
- Utility trailers.
- Yard waste, plant materials.