

# City of Safety Harbor Sanitation Division

## Responsibilities

The City of Safety Harbor Sanitation Division provides residential curbside collection once a week for garbage and once a week for recycling.

- If you live South of Enterprise Road your garbage collection is on Tuesday and recycling collection on Friday. Wednesday is yard waste collection city.

## Garbage Collection Regulations

- Residents are required to have the containers curbside no later than 6:30 a.m. on the scheduled day and removed from the curb no later than midnight of the collection day.
- All items must be placed in the City provided 90-gallon garbage barrel.
- Any bulk item (defined by any item that will not fit into the city provided 90-gallon barrel such as furniture, mattresses, etc.) or additional bags of leaves/garbage will be collected on your regular garbage day with a maximum of 10 items/bags.
- Any items not conforming to this will not be collected, and a special pick-up is required.
- Hazardous materials, fluorescent light bulbs, televisions, computers, and paint will not be collected. Please contact Pinellas County's HEC3 (Household Electronics and Chemical Collection Center) at 727-464-7500 located at 2855 109<sup>th</sup> Avenue North. View map or [get directions](#).
- Construction debris and building materials will not be collected. Please call 727-724-1550 to arrange a temporary dumpster.
- Large amounts of trash will require a scheduling a special pick-up for an additional charge. Please call 727-724-1550 to arrange those pick-ups.

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## Automated Garbage Collection

- Please place your container 3 feet from mailboxes, parked cars, utility poles or anything else that could obstruct the automated arm.

Cans should not block pedestrian access on sidewalks or impede traffic. This will ensure safe collection of your container and prevent damage to your property.

- Place the container within 2 feet of the curb, with the arrow marked on the lid, pointed towards the street by 6:30 a.m. on your regular collection day.



## Instructions

away from all trees, cars, utility poles or anything else that could obstruct the automated

## Large / Bulk / Bagged Items

Any bulk item (defined by any item that will not fit into the city provided 90-gallon can such as furniture, mattresses, chairs, table, etc.) or additional bags of leaves/trash will be collected on your regular garbage day, with a maximum of 10 items.

## Appliances

Appliance items such as washers, dryers, or refrigerators will also be picked up free of charge by a separate crew with the exception of appliances that contain Freon. Those items will only be collected after the resident confirms a special pick-up fee of \$23.50 per unit for certified Freon removal. Please schedule the collection by [emailing the department](#) or calling 727-724-1560.

## Yard Waste

Yard waste is **only** collected on Wednesdays and in 32-gallon cans or bundles at the curb. Please do **not** place recyclable yard waste in the 90-gallon barrel, recycling containers or various other totes/containers. Do **not** use plastic bags. All yard waste must be in 32-gallon cans or bundles.

## Materials

Yard waste materials, such as grass clippings and leaves must be

placed in unlined garbage cans no larger than 32 gallons, limited to 1.5 cubic yards in volume (1.5 cubic yards is equal to 8 cans or bundles), and curbside by 6:30 a.m. on Wednesday only.

**Bulky Yard Waste** Yard waste too bulky to be containerized such as branches and other vegetative materials must be cut into sections no longer than 4 feet in length and 6 inches in diameter, then bundled with twine in arm size manageable bundles. Please do **not** tape bundles or mix paper or plastic in as this will contaminate the recycling process for the entire load and will result in yard waste not being collected. Piles of yard waste in excess of 1 and a half cubic yards can be collected by special arrangement with the sanitation division for additional cost. Please make arrangements by calling 724-1550, ext 2002.

### **Responsible Parties**

Please note that it is the responsibility of all tree surgeons, nurseries, lawn care services and landscaping contractors, or any individual or company doing work on private property, to remove from the premises all/ residue and rubbish resulting from said work. These above mentioned items shall be disposed of at the expenses of the owner or contractor.

### **Mulch**

Yard waste is converted to a mulch material, which is available at the Public Works Complex located at 1200 Railroad Avenue between the hours of 7 a.m. and 2:30 p.m.

### **Building Materials**

Large amounts of building materials need to be placed in dumpsters that are available through the City. Call 724-1550 to arrange the dumpster. These dumpsters are available for up to a 30-day period.

### **Temporary Residential Dumpster**

The City offers 2-yard, 4-yard, and 6-yard dumpsters to residents for temporary use for the disposal of household items or yard debris.

- Residents may have the dumpster for up to 30 days.
- If dumpster has not been collected prior to the 30-day limit, it will be collected on day 30 and the full rate charged. The dumpster may be dumped as needed within the 30-day period in accordance with the rates listed below and continue to be

used for the entire 30-day period.

- If it is needed for longer than 30 days, an extension must be requested and will be granted if there is availability. Otherwise, the resident's name will be placed on the list for the next available dumpster.
- Dumpsters are scheduled and delivered to various residents throughout the city on a first-come, first-serve basis and as availability applies.

Please make arrangements through the Public Works office at 727-724-1550.

#### Temporary Dumpster Waiver

Send completed waiver to [pludington@cityofsafetyharbor.com](mailto:pludington@cityofsafetyharbor.com)

Size	Cost	Dimensions
2 Cubic Yards	\$62.97 Per Dump	6 feet wide 2 and 3/4 feet deep 3 and 1/4 feet high
4 Cubic Yards	\$70.84 Per Dump	6 feet wide 4 and 1/2 feet deep 4 and 1/4 feet high
6 Cubic Yards	\$78.71 Per Dump	6 feet wide 5 and 3/4 feet deep 5 and 1/4 feet high

#### CONTACT US

Sherri Kennedy Sanitation Supervisor

#### Physical Address

1200 Railroad Avenue

Safety Harbor, FL 34695 Phone: 727-724-1550

Fax: 727-724-1510 Hours

Monday - Friday

6:30 a.m