

# Important Information for Edgewood Residents

## Your trash service day is changing to **Friday**.

Dear Edgewood Resident,

We are excited to announce that Edgewood has contracted with Republic Services as the exclusive trash hauler in the Borough beginning Jan 1, 2016. We will be replacing your previous hauler at that time. It's important to know that your day of service will be FRIDAY. But due to the New Year's Day holiday, your actual first day of collection will be Saturday, January 2.

You will be billed \$48.66 each quarter.

Many of your questions can be answered if you read the information below. However, please feel free to contact our customer service department if you have additional questions. We're very pleased to be your contractor and want you to know how much we appreciate your business.

Matt Spencer, General Manager,  
Republic Services Pittsburgh Hauling

### **GUIDELINES FOR COLLECTION:**

Garbage should be in properly secured containers with a capacity of up to 32 gallons and weighing no more than 60 pounds – or in plastic bags that do not exceed a 32-gallon capacity and not weighing more than 50 pounds. Bulk material (brush, tree or shrub trimmings, including Christmas trees, boards, fencing, paneling, carpeting, etc.) should be cut into 3-foot lengths and tied in 18-inch bundles, weighing not more than 40 pounds. Tree branches cannot exceed 4 inches in diameter. Christmas trees are picked up December-February. Small shrubs will be collected in one piece if they are within the specified limitations.

Republic Services will collect leaves, grass clippings or decomposable natural yard waste if placed in bags or other suitable containers and placed at the point of collection on your service day. Loose material must be bagged or placed in trash containers and is also subject to the above weight restrictions.

Furniture, appliances or other listed items will be collected the regular collection day, if they are in one piece. Appliances containing refrigerant such as refrigerators, freezers, air conditioners, dehumidifiers, water coolers, or any other appliance containing refrigerant, will be collected ONLY if the item has a STICKER certifying the refrigerant has been removed.

Cardboard must be broken down so it is flat and no more than 3 feet in length or width, and tied in a bundle. Empty paint cans

and/or dried paint is acceptable. Paint can be dried by air drying or absorbed by newspaper or kitty litter. Lids should be left off.

**COLLECTION SCHEDULE:** Residents are required to have their waste placed at curbside for collection by 6 a.m. each Friday.

### **HOLIDAY SCHEDULE:**

We will be closed on six major holidays:

**NEW YEAR'S DAY – MEMORIAL DAY –  
FOURTH OF JULY/INDEPENDENCE DAY – LABOR DAY –  
THANKSGIVING DAY – CHRISTMAS DAY.**

If your trash service falls on or after a holiday during the week, your collection will be delayed 1 day. If one of these holidays falls on a Saturday or Sunday, all collections for the following week will be performed on the normal collection day without delay.

**ITEMS NOT COLLECTED:** We will not collect asbestos or material containing asbestos; lead acid batteries; automobile parts; infectious or bio-hazardous waste, ashes, steel drums; hazardous waste; oil; liquid paint; solvent liquids; medical waste; flammable and toxic waste; tires; large batteries; large dead animals; rocks; bricks; stone; dirt; any items in excess of 50 pounds; appliances containing CFC or Freon; unsecured bundles of material that are unsafe for collection or anything over 3 feet in length; tree limbs over 3 inches in diameter and over 3 feet in length; televisions; desktop and laptop computers, including monitors and computer peripherals; construction debris; truck parts; major household equipment, such as furnaces, furnace parts and radiators; firearms; ammunition and explosives.

**CUSTOMER SERVICE:** Residents inquiring about pricing or have general questions can call 1-800-464-2120 or 412-429-2600 Monday-Friday, between 8 a.m.-5 p.m., or email us at [EdgewoodBoroughPA@republicservices.com](mailto:EdgewoodBoroughPA@republicservices.com)

**RENTAL CONTAINERS:** Customers can rent temporary roll-off containers for cleanup and construction projects. Standard container delivery, collection and disposal charges apply.





# Recycling Collection Program

Please place all of your recyclable materials loosely in your recycling bin. Do NOT put items in plastic bags. NO separating or sorting is needed. We'll do it for you! Here are examples of what you can put in your bin.

## Acceptable Materials:

- Aluminum Cans
- Corrugated Cardboard – broken down so it is flat and no more than 3 feet in length or width and tied in a bundle
- Bottle Glass – all colors & shapes
- Newsprint & Inserts
- Office Paper
- Plastic Containers #1-7
- Steel Cans
- Magazines & Catalogs
- Phonebooks
- Paperback Books
- Junk Mail & Envelopes
- Clean Pizza Boxes
- Plastic Milk Containers, Juice Boxes, etc.
- Dry Food Boxes
- Tissue Boxes

## NOT Acceptable Materials:

- Aerosol Containers
- Waxed Box Containers
- Styrofoam Materials
- Tires
- Electronics
- Plate Glass, Pyrex or Window Glass
- Diapers
- Plastic Bags
- Plastic Wrapping Film
- Ceramics or Dishware
- Mirrors
- Light Bulbs
- Plastic Utensils
- Boards
- Grass Clippings
- Leaves
- Branches

## 2016 Recycling & Trash Schedule

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Recycling services are color-coded in light blue above and will be done on the week designated on your regular trash pickup day.

Recycle pickup due to holiday.

Holidays are color-coded in YELLOW. If your pickup day falls on the observed holiday or after during that week, pickup will be 1 day later than your scheduled pickup day.



We'll handle it from here.™

