



CITY OF BURLESON RECYCLING FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

- 1. What day of the week will my recycling be picked up?**
 - A. The recycling collection is based on zones.
Zone 1 – Monday/Thursday garbage collection with Monday recycling
Zone 2 – Tuesday/Friday garbage collection with Tuesday recycling
Zone 3 – Monday/Thursday garbage collection with Thursday recycling
Zone 4 – Tuesday/Friday garbage collection with Friday recycling
[See the recycling zone map.](#)

- 2. Do I really have to use a brown paper bag to put all my newspaper and paper products in?**
 - A. No you don't have to use the brown paper bag, but it is an option. Brown paper bags are a very good way to keep the paper materials from blowing out of the container. [See example.](#)

- 3. Are there lids available for the recycling bins if someone wants one?**
 - A. Yes, you can pick one up at the Municipal Service Center, 1675 John Jones Rd., at no charge.

- 4. What time do I have to set the recycling bin at the curb?**
 - A. Set out your garbage and recycling no later than 7 a.m. on the day of collection or within twelve (12) hours prior to your collection day.

- 5. What items will be collected in the recycling program?**
 - A. Plastics #1 through 5 & #7, unbroken glass bottles and jars of all colors, tin cans, aluminum cans, empty aerosol cans, dry newspaper, phone books, catalogues, magazines, writing paper, mail and cardboard will be accepted through CWD's curbside recycling program.

- 6. What items are NOT collected?**
 - A. Plastics #6 , bags marked #2 HDPE and #4 LDPE, styrofoam and styrofoam cups, to-go containers (including pizza boxes), lids, caps and sprayers, aluminum foil and pie plates, wet or yellowed newspaper, books, cookware, ceramics, utensils, cups, dishes and glasses, light bulbs and window glass, toys and batteries will not be accepted through CWD's curbside recycling program.

- 7. How do I report a missed recycling collection?**
A. Contact the Public Works Department at 817-426-9832 to report a missed recycling collection.
- 8. Will the Recycling Drop Off Center (124 S.W. Haskew) remain open?**
A. The Recycling Drop Off Center on Haskew Street will remain open. If you have more recycling than can be placed in the bin(s), the Recycling Drop Off Center will maintain its current hours of Tuesdays and Fridays from 2 p.m. to 6 p.m. and Saturdays from 8 a.m. to noon. The City encourages apartment and multifamily residents to utilize this site for their recycling. The City's recycling center accepts newsprint (no phone books), aluminum, tin and glass.
- 9. Who is collecting the recyclables?**
A. Community Waste Disposal (CWD) is under contract with the City of Burleson to collect recyclables in the neon green bins left next to the curb.
- 10. What if my recycling bin is lost or stolen?**
A. A replacement recycling bin may be purchased for \$10, however, if the bin is damaged due to collection operations, CWD will replace the bin at no cost.
- 11. What holidays will be observed by the City of Burleson where there is no garbage or recycling collection?**
A. Below are the holidays:

New Year's Day
Memorial Day
Independence Day
Labor Day
Thanksgiving Day
Christmas Day