

Curbside Waste & Recycling Collection Program begins March 1, 2021



Here's What You Need to Know:

The City's new contracted waste and recycling collection hauler is County Waste of Pennsylvania. Residential service is County Waste's specialty. The company serves more than 500,000 residential customers throughout Pennsylvania and Virginia, and is fully equipped and excited to begin service in the City of Pottsville. To report a missed pickup, or to schedule a special pickup, the company can be reached at **1-800-832-1332**, or you can utilize the company's website at www.county-recycling.com for weather updates or to chat with a customer service representative.

SERVICE INFORMATION

Collection Days of the Week

Collection schedules for both trash and recycling will remain the same. You will be notified of any changes, should they occur, in the future.

Trash

Trash should be bagged, even when placed in a container. Bagging helps keep your container clean and reduces windblown litter.

Single Stream Recycling

As under your previous contract, all recyclables (except yard waste) can be mixed in the same container. Household recyclables including aluminum and steel cans, newspaper, junk mail, cardboard, mixed paper, and plastics with the numbers 1,2,3,4,5,6,7 on the bottom. No need to bundle, bag, or tie, but flatten or cut cardboard if needed to facilitate an easy release from the container. Do not place electronics, food waste, mirrors, ceramics, windows, any glass that is not a bottle, light bulbs, films, plastic wrap, plastic shopping bags, Styrofoam, or any kind of food contaminated materials including pizza boxes into your recycling container.

New Recyclables!

We can now recycle rinsed food and beverage cartons including milk, cream, egg substitutes, juice, soup, broth, wine and juice box cartons and shredded paper placed in clear plastic bags!

2021 Additional Special Collections

Bulk Waste Collection – Residents are permitted one bulk item per month. Bulk items should be of a size and weight which may be reasonably lifted by two persons and can be placed curbside with their regular trash.

2021 Holiday Trash and Recycling Schedule

There will be no collection on each of the holidays listed below, and the remainder of the week following the holiday will be on a one-day delay.

January 1, 2021, Friday, New Year's Day
May 31, 2021, Monday, Memorial Day
September 6, 2021, Monday, Labor Day
November 25, 2021, Thursday, Thanksgiving

For more and updated information contact City of Pottsville at **570-622-1234**, or visit www.city.pottsville.pa.us/. To report a missed pickup or to schedule a special pickup, contact County Waste at **1-800-832-1332**.