

# 2020 Williams Township Recycling Schedule

Holiday     Recycling collection

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# Williams Township Notification

Williams Township, in conjunction with Republic Services®, is pleased to announce a new expanded, curbside recycling collection program. Starting December 23, 2019, residents will have their first carted curbside recycling collection, and then this new recycling service will occur on an every other week basis thereafter. Please refer to the 2020 calendar included with this flyer for your recycling schedule. All other services and service days will remain the same.

## How will this system work?

Republic Services will continue to provide each household with one (1) 95-gallon waste container (black lid) that has the capacity of (3) 32-gallon trash cans and a new 95-gallon recycling container (light blue lid). On your collection day, simply place your containers at the curb with the handle facing your house. Make sure you have a minimum distance of four feet from other objects such as mailboxes, parked cars, and even your bulky items. A Republic Services collection truck will then pick up the container, empty it, and return it to its original location. It's that simple!

## Solid Waste Collection

The waste container should be placed at the curb **no later** than 6 a.m. on your collection day (Tuesday). If you have more waste than what your container can handle, please bag and place it **next to** the container, **not on top of the container**. The driver can easily empty the container, then refill it with the other bag(s) and empty again. Do you generate more than the contents of one container or need another container? Please contact Republic Services for details.

## Recycling Collection

Recycling containers should be placed at the curb **no later** than 6 a.m. on your collection day (Monday). The new recycling containers will be serviced on an every other week basis. Please refer to the new acceptable material guidelines below to find out what can now be recycled. Do you generate more than the contents of one container or need another container? Please contact Republic Services for details.

## Yard Waste Collection

There will be NO change to the yard waste collection schedule.

## Container Care

With the right care, your new containers will last for many years without needing maintenance. Please use trash bags to contain your waste inside the container. This will reduce the need for periodic cleanings. Your container has smooth surfaces that allow it to be easily cleaned with a regular garden hose and dishwashing soap. Do not place hot ashes, construction debris, and/or hazardous waste in the container, and please do not paint or write

on the container. If it is lost or stolen, please provide the serial number to the police then provide a copy of the police report to Republic Services. We will provide you a replacement at no additional charge.

## Moving

If you move, do not take the containers with you. The containers have been assigned to the property address along with the serial number and should be available for the next occupant/owner of the household.

## Prohibited Items

Items prohibited include dirt, sod or rock, hazardous waste of any kind, liquids of any kind including paint, flammable materials such as oil, or gas, concrete, hot ashes, yard waste of any kind, large amounts of remodeling or demolition materials, whole tires or any other material to be determined as prohibited by State statute.

## Holidays

When a holiday falls on or before your collection day, there will be no collection on that day, and the rest of that week's recycling and waste collection will be one day later than usual. Holidays observed include New Year's Day, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day and Christmas Day.

## Bulk Item Collection

Republic Services asks that bulk item pickup requests be called in for service and then placed curbside each week for collection. This includes items such as stoves, water tanks, washing machines, furniture and other large waste materials. Those containing CFC's (Freon-bearing appliances) will also be collected at no additional charge.

## Inclement Weather

In the event that Republic Services is unable to provide service due to inclement weather, collection will take place the next day following the scheduled collection day, or as soon as weather conditions allow. The Township will immediately be notified should service be interrupted due to bad weather conditions. Please feel free to contact Republic Services if you have any questions regarding service during inclement weather.



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# Empty. Clean. Dry.®

The new way to recycle.



Reduce. Reuse. Recycle. Anyone growing up in the 1970s, '80s or '90s learned the three Rs of recycling in school. We were taught to recycle everything we could. We added recycling containers to our homes, our offices and classrooms and recycling became a part of our culture.

In the 40 years since recycling was introduced, Americans recycle nearly 87 million tons per year. That means that each of us recycles approximately 1.5 pounds per day! However, the recycling model we all grew up with is changing, and we have to change with it.

Trying to recycle unclean or unrecyclable material increases sorting time and slows down the recycling process, damages the facility's equipment and causes contaminants in the bales of clean recyclables that decreases the value of the items. When this occurs, we have to put the ENTIRE load of recyclables into our landfills due to the contamination.



## Recyclable Items



### Paper

- Office paper
- Newspaper
- Envelopes
- Junk mail
- Phone books
- Brochures
- Magazines
- Catalogs



### Cardboard

- File folders
- Poster board
- Shipping boxes
- (folded flat)
- Frozen food boxes
- Cardboard boxes
- Milk cartons
- Empty, non-greasy pizza boxes



### Plastics

(#1, 2, 4, 5 and 7)

- Water bottles
- Take-out containers
- Soda bottles
- Detergent/containers



### Metal

- Aluminum beverage cans
- Food cans
- Steel food containers



### Glass

- Bottles (clear, green and brown)
- Jars

## Non-Recyclable Items

### Plastic bags or plastic wrap

- Aerosol cans
- Aluminum foil
- Batteries
- Food waste

### Electronic waste

- Mirrors or ceramics
- Paint
- Pesticides

### Medication

- Polystyrene foam
- Tissue, paper towels and napkins
- Syringes and needles



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## Please Recycle

### PAPER



paper (staples okay) newspaper, envelopes, junk mail, phone books, brochures, magazines

### PLASTIC



#1, 2, 4, 5 and 7 water bottles, take-out containers, soda bottles

### CARDBOARD



ream wrappers, file folders, poster board, frozen food boxes, cardboard boxes, empty pizza boxes

### METAL



## Please Do Not Recycle

- aerosol cans
- plastic bags
- CD cases
- aluminum foil
- batteries
- mirrors or ceramics
- food waste
- stickers & address labels
- polystyrene foam
- tissue, paper towels or napkins

### non-recyclable items that require special handling:

- incandescent light bulbs
- fluorescent tubes
- computers & electronics
- needles or syringes
- hazardous waste
- paint
- toxic material containers
- propane tanks

For more information,  
please call **800.438.0966**  
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