

Recycling

Empty. Clean. Dry.®

Paper



Newspaper, inserts, magazines, catalogs and phone books



Advertising mail, envelopes, mixed paper



Paperback Books
Tip: donate to Goodwill or local senior center



Non-foil wrapping paper



Corrugated cardboard
(3'x3'x3' or smaller:
please flatten)



Cereal and dry food boxes
(remove liners).

Plastic



#5 plastic tubs
(no lids)



Plastic bottles
(no lids)



Plastic jugs



Pill bottles
(non-prescription tubes)

Glass (collected monthly in blue bin where available)



Bottles and jars (empty and rinse; labels OK)

Metal (loose in bin/no bags)

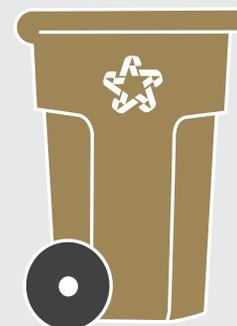


Clean aluminum, aluminum tins
& metal cans (empty, clean and dry)

CONTAINER SIZE: 64-gallons

How to prepare your recyclables

- All containers, bottles, cans and jars should be empty, clean and dry
- All recycling should go into the recycling container
- No food waste, liquid or plastic bags
- Do **NOT** bag or box recyclables; leave loose
- All recyclables should be fit in your recycling container with the lid closed (if you have large cardboard, bring it to our Recycle Depot).



Yard Waste/Organics



Holiday trees and greens
max of 6" diameter; no
flocking/decorations.
Check calendar or curbside
tree pickup.

Easy food scrap recycling

- Keep kitchen container near the sink
- Add food scraps
- When full, empty into your yard waste container



Grass clippings, weeds,
leaves, tree branches,
twigs, roots & garden
debris



Houseplants
(no pots)



Dairy products
(cheese, yogurt, etc.)



Coffee filters and grounds,
tea bags and tea leaves



Meat, fish, poultry
and bones



Fruit and vegetable
scraps; leftovers; pumpkins



Bread, pasta
and grains



Eggshells and
nutshells

NO:



Remember: If you don't want it in your garden, don't put it in your container.

- Plastics of any kind
- Compostable service ware
- Animal waste
- Animal carcasses
- Grease/oil
- Tissues
- Liquid
- Treated wood
- Dirt

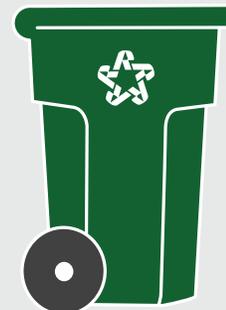
CONTAINER SIZE: 90-gallons

Be a Good Recycler!

- No plastic bags
- Food scraps can be placed loose in the container

TIPS:

- Place woody material in the bottom of the container
- If you do not like the mess, food scraps can be frozen until collection day
- If you do place food scraps in the container, please set out every week to prevent odors and pests



Waste/Trash

Paper

These items should never go in the recycling or yard debris container



Food-soiled frozen food boxes, wax & plastic coated cardboard



Dirty paper, shredded paper, facial tissue & disposable diapers



Ribbons & foil wrapping paper



Hardback books (recycle pages). Donate to local senior center

Plastic



Plastic hangers



Empty motor oil & antifreeze containers



Candy wrappers & chip bags



Styrofoam bakery & meat trays, take-out containers, clamshells, coffee/to-go cups (*reuse Styrofoam packing & peanuts. See "What Do I Do With" section for more details.)



Caps & lids



Empty prescription vials



Plastic plates & utensils

Glass



Mirrors, window glass, ceramic dishes, incandescent & halogen bulbs (no fluorescent tubes/bulbs), canning jars, Pyrex

Metal

**Tip: Donate hangers to a local charity or return them to your dry cleaner to be used again*



Oil containers, dried-out paint containers, aerosol spray cans



Caps, rings & lids



Metal hangers* & sharp or greasy metal

Miscellaneous



Vacuum cleaner bags



Cigarette butts & ashes (put in bag and tie shut)



CDs & CD cases



Double bagged pet waste & litter

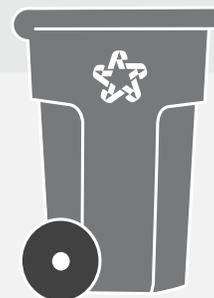
Do not place pet waste & cat litter in the yard waste container

Do not place in the garbage

- Recyclables
- Reusables
- Hazardous waste

Weight Limits

20 gallons.....	30 lbs.
32 gallons.....	60 lbs.
65 gallons.....	120 lbs.
90 gallons.....	180 lbs.



Special Item Recycling

Residents may recycle motor oil, cooking oil and CFL bulbs at the Recycle Depot located on Belvue between Circle 7 Walnut. Go to RepublicServices.com/corvallis for more details.

What Do I Do With...?

Bulk items



Mattresses, furniture, appliances. To schedule a pickup and get a price, call 541.754.0444

Clean Plastic bags



Reuse or recycle at your local grocery store

Foam blocks and packing peanuts



Take to mail store for reuse or recycle at First Alternate Co-op (fee applies)

Clothing and furniture



Donate, including nonusable clothing.

Construction materials



Simplify your work with a large container. Call 541.754.0444 for pricing.

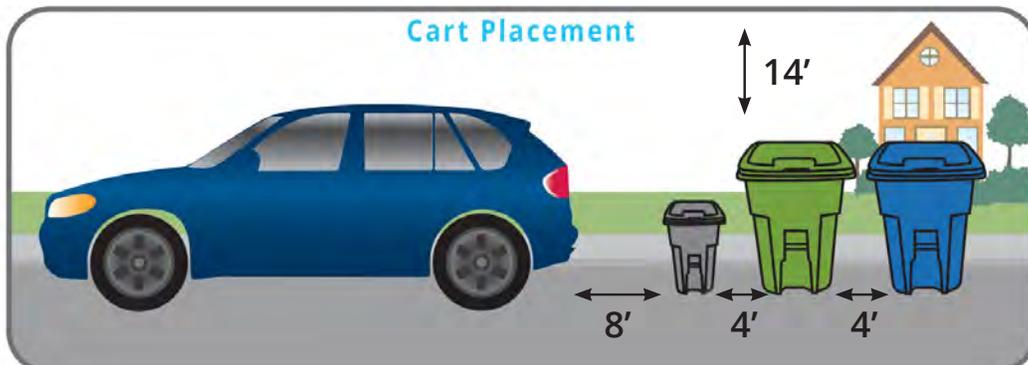
Metal appliances



Fee for special pickup. Call 541.754.0444.

Important to Know

Please have containers out by 7 a.m. Containers must be 4' apart and at least 8' from cars, bushes, mailboxes, etc. with at least 14' of overhead clearance. Place containers on the curb with handles towards house. Do not block cars, mailboxes, sidewalks or roadways. Remove containers as soon as possible after collection. Do not place carts in bike lanes.



Bad Weather & Dangerous Conditions. If your service is missed due to inclement weather, please leave carts out or place out doubles on your next scheduled collection day, at no extra charge.

Hazardous

Do not dispose in recycling, food and yard waste or waste containers

Electronics - These items can be recycled at the Recycle Depot on Belvue Street. Please sort into correct containers.



Televisions



Computers, laptops
& monitors



Cell phones



Printers, fax machines
& household electronics

As a participant of Oregon E-Cycles, please do not remove items.

2020 Residential Household Hazardous Waste Events – Feb 8, May 9, Aug. 8 and Nov. 14 – 9 a.m. – 2 p.m. – 110 NE Walnut Blvd (center from Belvue St.)**

Accepted Materials Include:

- Paints/stains
- Cleaners/degreasers
- Fluorescent tubes/bulbs
- Batteries
- Herbicides/insecticides
- Antifreeze
- Thinners/solvents
- Photographic chemicals
- Fertilizers/pesticides*
- Other hazardous products labeled flammable, toxic, poison, danger, warning or caution

Drug Take Back Events

Do you have old, unused, unwanted or expired medications? Don't flush them down the toilet. Dispose of them with **no questions asked**.

- No needles, sharps, injectables, Epi-pens or intravenous solutions
- No medical waste or chemotherapy medications
- No illegal drugs like cocaine, methamphetamine, etc.
- Be sure to mark out your name or any other identifiable information
- Individuals only. Sorry, businesses are not allowed to participate

The Corvallis Police Department regularly hosts drug take-back events for the community. If you can't make the event, you can drop off unwanted medications at a collection receptacle such as the Albany Police Department (1117 Jackson St., NE) or the Philomath Police Department (1010 Applegate Street).

Sharps

All syringes must be disposed of in approved containers. Please contact your local drug store for details or go to [RepublicServices.com/residents/sharps-and-needle disposal](https://www.republicservices.com/residents/sharps-and-needle-disposal). Sharps are never allowed in your recycling container.

Republic Services Recycle Depot

Republic Services Recycle Depot is located at 110 NE Walnut Blvd (Center & Belvue St.) and is open 7 days a week from 7 a.m. – 7 p.m.

These items can be recycled at our depot:

- Comingled recycling
- Corrugated cardboard
- Container glass
- E-waste (no household appliances - electronics only)
- Motor oil/cooking oil (in tightly closed bottle with screw-on lid - 5 gallons or less)
- Scrap metal
- Compact fluorescent bulbs (no tubes or other bulbs)

2020 Calendar Containers must be set out by 7 a.m.

Set containers out with handles toward the house; do not block cars, bike lanes, mailboxes, sidewalks or driveways; remove containers as soon as possible after collection.

HOLIDAY - No service. No collection on New Year's Day, Thanksgiving or Christmas. If collection falls mid-week, the collection day will shift one day the rest of the week (i.e. Tuesday collection will occur Wednesday).

GLASS RECYCLING - Glass is picked up one time per month. Please visit RepublicServices.com/corvallis or corvallisoregon.gov to check the city map to find out which color week your glass is collected.

LEAF COLLECTION - In these city limits only: Corvallis (October 19, December 11), Adair Village (October 26, November 9, December 7), Philomath (October 15, October 29, November 12, November 29, December 10).

SPRING RECYCLING EVENTS - In Corvallis on April 4; in Dallas on March 28; in Adair Village on May 16; in Philomath on April 18; in Tangent on April 25; in Falls City on June 6 and in Monroe on June 13.

HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE EVENTS - Household hazardous waste events for Corvallis, Dallas, Adair Village, Philomath, Tangent, Falls City and Monroe will be from 9 a.m. - 2 p.m. on February 8, May 9, August 8 and November 14.



CHRISTMAS TREE PICKUP - During these weeks, place your bare, unflocked Christmas trees (no ornaments or lights) next to your recycle and garbage carts at no extra cost. Trees will be collected on your regular service day.

Glass Collection Calendar

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