

Refuse Cart Program

The Town of Wadesboro will begin using a new method to collect your household refuse that

requires the use of a new refuse cart which is being provided to you. The new method of collection

utilizes an



automated truck to collect your cart and empty the contents into the truck. The process reduces the physical handling of trash.

Benefits include:

- Operating cost reductions through efficiency gains
- Reduced injuries of staff by reducing lifting and handling of garbage
- Reduction in litter by everything being in cart away from animals

All residents are reminded of the Town Ordinance:

“Rollout containers shall be placed curbside prior to 7:00 am on the designated pickup day and must be removed from curbside by the end of the day of pickup.”

Help keep your neighborhood looking clean and orderly. Your cooperation is most graciously appreciated by both the Town and your neighbors.

What to Do!

- All garbage must be bagged and placed inside the cart with the lid closed.
- If you have bulky items such as white goods (dishwashers, washing machines, etc.) please call the Public Services Department to arrange a special pickup.
- The capacity of your new cart is 96 gallons. If you find you need more than one cart, you may purchase a second cart.
- **Please have your refuse cart curbside by 7:00 am. In the event your cart is not curbside prior to the truck servicing your street, they will not be able to return to pickup until the next scheduled collection day.**
- If you currently receive Assisted Pickup due to a physical disability, you will continue to follow your same procedures.
- **Trash carts are the property of the Town of Wadesboro. Customer will be responsible for paying for missing or damaged carts not covered under warranty.**

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- Your cart must be positioned four feet (4') from any obstruction such as mailboxes, light poles, etc. Place the cart just off the edge of the pavement.
- Your cart must be positioned with the handle facing your house and the metal bar facing the road. Note the arrow on the lid.



What's wrong? All the trash is not in the cart and the cart is too close to the mailbox.



What's right? All the trash is within the cart and the cart is at least 4' from the mailbox.

Do's and Don'ts

Do:

- All garbage must be bagged
- Place all garbage in the cart.
- Keep the lid closed
- Place the cart as close to the curb as possible (front of can must be facing the curb) on collection day.
- Return cart to your home when it is empty.
- Notify us if your cart is damaged or lost.

Don't

- Put loose garbage in the cart!
- Put hazardous waste in the cart.
- Put building supplies in the cart.
- Put hot ashes in the cart.
- Overfill the cart. The lid must fit securely.
- Pack garbage too tightly.
- Paint or write on the cart.
- Remove the cart from your residence in the event that you move.
- Put yard debris in cart.

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