

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR NEW TRASH/RUBBISH PROVIDER



What Is Considered Trash or Rubbish?

Bulky Trash - Items too bulky or heavy to fit in the garbage cart such as furniture, TVs, large household items, homeowner-generated remodeling debris, mattresses, water heaters, carpet, fencing, lumber, etc. Do not bag these items.



Yard & Woody Waste - Such as brush piles, tree limbs and shrub pruning. Do not bag these items; place them loose at the curb for collection.



Bagged Leaves & Grass - Bagged leaves and grass should not be mixed with bulky trash or yard and woody waste. Do not place in garbage carts. Also note that yard waste, leaves and grass left in old garbage cans will not be collected.



Bulky White Goods - Stoves, washers, dryers, refrigerators, other large appliances.



How Do I Put My Trash or Rubbish Out?

Bulky trash, yard and wood waste, leaves and grass should be placed next to each other but not mixed together. No household garbage, loose or bagged, are included in trash pickup services.

Empty and dried up latex paint cans with the lids off can go into your garbage cart. Please dry out any liquid latex paint in cans first before placing in garbage cart.



How to dry out latex paint: If there's an inch or less of paint in the can, remove lid and let paint dry. If there's more than an inch of paint in the can, mix paint with cat

litter, stir and let dry before placing in the garbage cart.

What Cannot Be Picked Up?

No Contractor's Trash. Large trees and woody waste placed at the curb by a tree service or contractor will not be picked up. It is the responsibility of the tree service to haul away the cut trees and limbs. If the contractor refuses or fails to do so, the home owner must haul away the material. Also, landlord renovations to rental property is a commercial waste activity. Pelican Waste & Debris will not pick up this type of waste. Landlords must contact a waste company and rent a dumpster for construction debris disposal.

No Hazardous Waste or Tires Allowed. No household hazardous waste can be placed in carts or at the curb (paint, chemicals, thinner, batteries, electronics, tires, etc.). Go to the HCUA website (www.hcua-ms.us) for drop off events and downloadable charts of businesses that accept household hazardous waste year-round.

No Oil Paint. Oil paint cannot be put out for pickup, as opposed to latex paint that can be picked up (see above). It is hazardous and should be safely disposed of at monthly Household Hazardous Materials Collection Days, held the second Saturday of each month. Visit www.hcua-ms.us for details.

**QUESTIONS? PLEASE CALL PELICAN WASTE AT (228) 232-0850
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