### Dear Rochester resident,

Waste Management looks forward to continuing to service the residents of the City of Rochester to help your community be as clean – and green – as possible. We'd like to take this opportunity to provide you updated information related to your trash and recycling services.

### For more information

Department of Public Works: (603) 332-4096

Town website: www.rochesternh.net Waste Management: (800) 972-4545

Thank you and we appreciate your cooperation.

Sincerely,

Waste Management

### Schedule

Trash and recycling are collected weekly. All materials should be placed at the curb by 7:00 a.m. on your collection day. Please see the **2019** Calendar on an adjacent panel that indicates special collection dates like yard waste and bulky waste.

### Trash

All regular household refuse must be bagged and placed in your 64-gallon green cart only for collection. Materials may not protrude from the cart and the lid must securely close.

### Note: Do NOT place recyclables in the SOLID green cart.

The following items will NOT be accepted in the trash cart:

- Dirt, sod, concrete or rock
- Construction/demolition debris
- Household hazardous waste
- Hot ashes or flammable materials such as oil, gas or paint

If you have any normal household garbage that is not recyclable and does not fit into your cart, you can place the excess garbage in 30 gallon bags and affix a sticker on each bag. Stickers can be purchased at the Tax Office for \$1.75 each. Bags must be brought to the Turnkey Drop-off Center for disposal NOT to be placed curbside.

### Care and use of the cart:

- · Always keep the lid closed to keep rain, snow and animals out.
- Clean the cart periodically.
- Since automated waste collection requires clearance for the vehicle's lifting mechanism, any cars parked at the curb should be at least 5 feet from the trash cart.



objects and carts.





Place wheels of cart toward house.

The placement of the cart is very important as the collection vehicle's lifting arm requires clearance of at least 3 feet on both sides of the cart and 12 feet overhead. Carts should be no more than 3 feet away from the road's edge, with the arrow facing the road and handles facing the house.

close together.

Carts should remain on the property at all times and are the property of the City of Rochester. Please do not take the containers with you if you move. All carts should be labeled with your property address. Should your cart require repair, please call Waste Management at (800) 972-4545.

### Recycling

Recycling not only conserves precious natural resources, it also helps to reduce costs by decreasing the amount of materials that end up in the landfill.

- Only materials inside your recycling containers will be collected.
- Large cardboard boxes mus be broken down and placed inside the bin.
- Recycling containers should be placed curbside every week on the same day as your trash collection.
- All recyclables can be commingled in cart with yellow lid.
- See a list of all acceptable recycling materials on the adjacent panel.

### Leaf & Yard Waste

During the special Yard Waste collection weeks identified on the adjacent calendar, please put all leaves in paper bags for pickup on your regular trash day.







Great things happen when Rochester residents use **Recycle Often. Recycle Right**<sup>SM</sup>. When everyday items like those shown below are recycled, tons of raw materials, time, energy and money are saved. Plus the recycled materials become new products, and the cycle continues.

- Recyclables can be commingled in cart with yellow lid.
- $\boldsymbol{\cdot}$  Containers that held food should be rinsed free of food debris and liquid.
- Do not put recyclables in plastic bags.

Acceptable materials for curbside recycling include:

### Always recycle:







Plastic Bottles & Containers Food & Beverage Cans

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Flattened Cardboard & Paperboard Glass Bottles & Containers

### Do NOT include in your mixed recycling cart:



MedWaste Tracker® box.)



(Keep medical waste out of recycling. Place in

safe disposal containers like Waste Management's



**NO Plastic Bags & Film** (Find a recycling site at plasticfilmrecycling.org)



**NO Foam Cups & Containers** (Check Earth911.org for options.)

# To Learn More Visit: RecycleOftenRecycleRight.com

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## City of Rochester

## 2019 Waste and Recycling Collection Services

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## **Holiday Schedule**

When an observed holiday falls on a normal collection day, collections will be delayed by one day for the remainder of the week. Please note this applies to holidays marked by a blue square. For example, should a holiday fall on a Wednesday, those collections would be delayed until Thursday, Thursday's normal collections will move to Friday and Friday's to Saturday.

The following holidays will result in delayed collections:

New Years Day - 1/1/19 Memorial Day - 5/27/19 Independence Day - 7/4/19

Labor Day - 9/2/19
Thanksgiving Day - 11/28/19
Christmas Day - 12/25/19

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THINK GREEN.

### **Bulky Waste**

You may place your bulky items on the curb the 2nd full week of each month or you may bring to the Turnkey Drop-off Center. Please see the Collection Calendar on the inside panel for Bulky Waste pickup weeks.

No televisions or appliances containing CFC's will be accepted (refrigerators, freezers, air conditioners, dehumidifiers).

### **Turnkey Drop-off Center**

90 Rochester Neck Rd, Rochester NH 03839

Hours: Monday, Wednesday and Friday 8:00 a.m. -3:00 p.m. and Saturday 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Items Accepted at Turnkey Drop-off Center:

- Commingled glass, plastic, and metal
- · Cardboard, newspaper, junk mail
- Scrap metal, drain all liquids
- Computers, including hard drives and monitors
- Televisions
- Tires with or without rims, 8 per year per house
- Leaf and yard waste, no large stumps
- · Solid waste (must be delivered to the drop-off in maximum 30 gallon bags. City-approved stickers to affix to bags must be purchased at the City's Revenue Office for \$1.75 Each.)
- Bulky items (furniture, carpet, etc.)
- · Construction debris, small amounts
- Demolition debris, small amounts

## **Household Hazardous Waste Day**

On May 4, 2019 you may bring up to 10 gallons of the following to the Household Hazardous Waste day site:

House and Garden Products - weed killer and fertilizer, no-pest strips, bug spray, oven cleaners, batteries, pool chemicals, etc.

Garage Products - car wax, polish, fuel additives, antifreeze, brake fluid, transmission fluid, etc. Workshop/painting products - Oil or enamel-based paint stains and finishes, paint strippers

and removers, etc.

Items NOT accepted - latex paint, motor oil, tires, computers, zinc, carbon and alkaline batteries, recyclable batteries, car batteries & propane tanks.

## Frequently asked questions

I'm planning to clean out the garage and have a lot of refuse to get rid of right away. Where should I dispose it?

As a Rochester resident, you can bring trash outside of your normal day collection to the Turnkey Drop-off Center. Or the Bagster® Bag could be another solution. You can find the Bagster® Bag at any Home Depot, Lowes, or other local hardware stores for \$29.95. Once filled, call the Waste Management number on the package to get the Bagster® Bag collected.

Be sure to us the \$10 off coupon below for the collection of your Bagster® Bag for Rochester residents!

Please visit TheBagster.com to learn more about the Bagster® Bag and how much collection is in your area.

## Special Discount for the City of Rochester

## **HAVE A BIG CLEANUP PROJECT?**

Plan for the waste with the Bagster® bag from Waste Management.



Get started today at thebagster.com

Coupon Code: 111-ROCH6 **Expires 12/31/19** 

(1) Discount valid for the collection of one (1) bag. Discount applied to highest priced Bagster bag of an order. One coupon per person, household, or company per order. Coupon code must be given at the time of scheduling Bagster bag collection to receive discount. Coupon not valid where prohibited by law or not valid with other offers. Restrictions apply. Collection service not available everywhere; visit the bagster.com to find available service areas. For collection, yellow lifting straps must be able to connect above the bag.





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