



Solid Waste Disposal Guidelines

Residential Garbage

- Household garbage is collected once a week.
- Household garbage must be in carts provided by Republic Waste Services. Garbage placed outside of the cart is limited to 1 free item per week (includes a big item).
- Cart must not be heavier than 60 pounds.
- Vegetation can be mixed in with regular trash in cart.
- Rocks or concrete or other construction material will not be collected.
- Low volume residents can apply for bag service purchased at Revenue Collections in lieu of monthly billed service.

Recycling

- Recyclables are collected every week on the same day as your trash.
- All approved recycled materials can go in the 65-gallon cart provided.
- Cardboard boxes must be broken down and cut (not folded) to fit in recycling cart.
- No plastic bags, wet paper/boxes, or pizza/food boxes with grease or cheese residue.

Big Items

- Collected once a week on the same day as your trash day.
- Limited to one big item per week.
- Any and all mattresses and fabric furniture such as couches and chairs shall be wrapped in plastic or put in mattress bags available at local hardware stores or they will not be collected. This is due to the potential of bed bugs in the items.
- Items should not exceed 4 feet in length or 60 pounds in weight.
- Carpet shall be cut in pieces less than 4' in length, rolled and tied, and be less than 60 pounds in weight.

Household Hazardous Waste

- Accepted at the [North Central Ohio Transfer Station](#), 1600 Riverside Drive, 937-492-3470, mid-April to mid-October.
- Appointments are required.
- There is a fee for items brought for disposal.

Construction/Demolition Debris

- Construction and demolition debris are not included in curbside residential service. These materials include steel, brick, concrete, roofing materials, pipe, lumber and other materials from the



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construction or destruction of a structure as part of a construction or demolition project. See Excess Bulk Items section for disposal options.

Special Pick-Ups or Excess Bulk Items

- For pick-ups larger than normal service volumes, customers must purchase “Bulk Item” stickers to apply to the extra items. The stickers can be purchased at the Revenue Collections office.
- Moving boxes will be picked up at no cost one time only after moving to a new address in Sidney. You will need to contact Republic at 937-292-0656 to schedule this pickup.
- Off Route charges- If a pickup is requested on a day other than the regularly scheduled trash collection day, a \$25 off-route charge applies.
- Roll-Off Service- The refuse contractor can provide a roll-off container for a fee. Contact Republic Services at 1-800-601-1867 or online at www.RepublicServices.com or a resident can call any roll-off company in the area for service.

Vegetation

- Collected on the same day as your trash pick from May 1 through November 30. Collected the second full week of each month December 1 through April 30.
- Any vegetation left by lawn maintenance services or other contractors will not be collected. Contractors are required to remove their debris.
- Vegetation should not exceed 2 inches in diameter, 4 feet in length or 60 pounds in weight.
- Vegetation can be picked up if it is mixed with other garbage.
- Vegetation placed under a utility/power line or on a vacant lot will not be collected.
- Cut trees, limbs exceeding two inches in diameter, stumps, root balls, sod, dirt and landscaping rocks are not considered vegetation and should be hauled by a private contractor to be disposed of.
- All yard waste that can be containerized in either a container or biodegradable bag.
- Fruit is not considered vegetation and should not be disposed of with your vegetation. These items should be disposed of with your household garbage or composted.