Fort Lauderdale, FL Sanitation Schedule

Hauler: City of Fort Lauderdale Public Works (contracted with Waste Management) | Support Phone: 954-828-8000

REGULAR TRASH

Days: Mon, Tue, Thu, Fri

Frequency: twice weekly

Cart Out: By 7:00 AM

Container Placement:

- Use the official black cart for ...
- Maintain 3 feet of clearance aro...

RECYCLING GUIDE

Days: Wednesday

Stream: single stream

Accepted in Bins (Clean & Dry):

[OK] Plastic bottles, jugs, and tubs
[OK] Plastic and paper to-go cups
[OK] Cardboard boxes flattened and ...

Never in Bins (No Bags/Batteries):

[X] Plastic grocery bags and plast...
[X] Household batteries and electr...

BULK & YARD WASTE

Bulk: Yes (8 items max)

Rule: Monthly designated curbside co...

No prior booking required

Curbside Yard Waste:

Days: Wednesday

- Yard waste and vegetative debri...

2026 OBSERVED HOLIDAY DELAY SCHEDULE

Delay Strategy: one day slide

HOLIDAY	2026 DATE	WEEKDAY	COLLECTION IMPACT & SERVICE SHIFT
Christmas Day	2026-12-25	Friday	**Friday routes delayed to Saturday**

CURBSIDE PLACEMENT & BEST PRACTICES:

- Space carts at least 3 to 5 feet apart from mailboxes, parked vehicles, and utility poles.
- Point cart handles toward your house and wheels against the curb or street pavement edge.
- Bag household trash to prevent windblown litter during automated side-loader truck collection.