Baton Rouge, LA Sanitation Schedule

Hauler: City of Baton Rouge & East Baton Rouge Parish Environmental Services | Support Phone: 225-389-3000

REGULAR TRASH

Days: Mon - Sat (by zone)

Frequency: twice weekly

Cart Out: By 4 AM

Container Placement:

- City-Parish issued cart with ser...
- Twice-weekly collection of bagge...
- Extra carts available for an add...

RECYCLING GUIDE

Days: Same day as trash

Stream: single stream

Accepted in Bins (Clean & Dry):

[OK] Clean paper, newspaper, magazi...
[OK] Flattened corrugated cardboard...
[OK] Aluminum and steel food and dr...

Never in Bins (No Bags/Batteries):

[X] Plastic bags and plastic film ...
[X] Household hazardous waste, che...

BULK & YARD WASTE

Bulk: Yes (3 items max)

Rule: Crews collect a maximum of 10 ...

No prior booking required

Curbside Yard Waste:

Days: Same day as trash

- Yard waste is collected once we...

2026 OBSERVED HOLIDAY DELAY SCHEDULE

Delay Strategy: skip

HOLIDAY	2026 DATE	WEEKDAY	COLLECTION IMPACT & SERVICE SHIFT
New Year's Day	2026-01-01	Thursday	**Thursday canceled; resumes next cycle**
Thanksgiving Day	2026-11-26	Thursday	**Thursday canceled; resumes next cycle**
Christmas Day	2026-12-25	Friday	**Friday canceled; resumes next cycle**

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.