Raleigh, NC Sanitation Schedule

Hauler: City of Raleigh Solid Waste Services Department | Support Phone: 919-996-3245

REGULAR TRASH

Days: Mon - Fri (by zone)

Frequency: weekly

Cart Out: By 6 AM

Container Placement:

- Use the official city-issued dar...
- Bag all household trash before p...
- Cart lids must be closed flat an...

RECYCLING GUIDE

Days: Same day as trash

Stream: single stream

Accepted in Bins (Clean & Dry):

[OK] Plastic bottles, tubs, jugs, a...
[OK] Glass bottles and jars (food a...
[OK] Metal food and beverage cans (...

Never in Bins (No Bags/Batteries):

[X] Plastic bags, plastic wraps, a...
[X] Aerosol cans, automotive batte...

BULK & YARD WASTE

Bulk: Yes (4 items max)

Rule: Bulky load collection is sched...

Notice: call 919-996-3245

Curbside Yard Waste:

Days: Same day as trash

- Yard waste is collected weekly....

2026 OBSERVED HOLIDAY DELAY SCHEDULE

Delay Strategy: one day slide

HOLIDAY	2026 DATE	WEEKDAY	COLLECTION IMPACT & SERVICE SHIFT
Thanksgiving Day	2026-11-26	Thursday	**Thu & Fri routes delayed 1 day**

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.