Virginia Beach, VA Sanitation Schedule

Hauler: City of Virginia Beach Department of Public Works (Waste Management Division) | Support Phone: 757-385-4650

REGULAR TRASH

Days: Tue, Wed, Thu, Fri

Frequency: weekly

Cart Out: By 5 PM

Container Placement:

- Use the official city-issued bla...
- All household trash must be bagg...
- The cart lid must be completely ...

RECYCLING GUIDE

Days: Same day as trash

Stream: single stream

Accepted in Bins (Clean & Dry):

[OK] Office paper, newspapers, maga...
[OK] Corrugated cardboard and chipb...
[OK] Plastic bottles and jugs with ...

Never in Bins (No Bags/Batteries):

[X] Plastic bags and plastic film ...
[X] Rechargeable batteries (Lithiu...

BULK & YARD WASTE

Bulk: Yes (6 items max)

Rule: Bulky and large items too big ...

Notice: call 757-385-4650

Curbside Yard Waste:

Days: Same day as trash

- Yard debris is collected on reg...

2026 OBSERVED HOLIDAY DELAY SCHEDULE

Delay Strategy: one day slide

HOLIDAY	2026 DATE	WEEKDAY	COLLECTION IMPACT & SERVICE SHIFT
New Year's Day	2026-01-01	Thursday	**Thu & Fri routes delayed 1 day**
Thanksgiving Day	2026-11-26	Thursday	**Thu & Fri routes delayed 1 day**
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.