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Household Waste & Recycling Guide



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COLLECTION PLACEMENT

The collection trucks have automated arms used to pick up containers/items and directly dump into the truck. Staff is not getting out of the truck to collect containers/items.

Containers/items must be placed at the curb in front of your residence by 8 a.m. on your designated collection day. Per city ordinance, containers must be removed from the curb within 12 hours of collection.



DO NOT place containers/items:

- Closer than 4 feet from containers, mailboxes, vehicles, fire hydrants, trees, etc.
- Over sprinkler heads, water or gas meters, or cable/electrical boxes.
- Under low-hanging tree limbs or cable/electrical wires.
- On a sidewalk or in the street.

The following items CANNOT be collected:

- Soil, sod, concrete or rock.
- Oil filter, tires, or automotive parts.
- Flammable materials: oil, gasoline, petroleum products, or paint.
- Contractor-generated construction and demolition materials.
- Hazardous waste, liquids, or other materials prohibited at Twin Oaks Landfill.
- Freon-containing appliances without a sticker indicating proper removal by a licensed HVAC technician.

BEFORE YOU PLACE IN YOUR RECYCLING CONTAINER:



- Remove and discard plastic caps.
- Rinse and clean out all plastics, cans, bottles and other containers.
- Any visibly soiled items that cannot be cleaned should be discarded.
- Shredded paper is the only recyclable that should be bagged (clear plastic only).



RECYCLING: BI-WEEKLY

SINGLE-STREAM RECYCLING



EMPTY

+



UNBAGGED

+



CLEAN

ACCEPTED RECYCLABLES:



METAL FOOD/
BEVERAGE CANS



GLASS BOTTLES & JARS
(ALL COLORS)



MIXED/WHITE PAPER



MAGAZINES



JUNK MAIL &
ENVELOPES



NEWSPAPERS



CARDBOARD



♻️ & ♻️ PLASTICS

Additional:

- Brown Paper Bags
- Phone Books
- Shredded Paper (place in clear plastic bag).
- Paperboard (cereal, shoe, food boxes, etc.)
- Cartons (milk jugs/juice boxes)

NOT ACCEPTED RECYCLABLES:



CLOTHES HANGERS,
WIRES, HOSES, OR ROPE



AEROSOL CANS



BATTERIES OF
ANY KIND



CERAMICS OR POTTERY



FOOD WASTE



BROKEN GLASS



PIZZA BOXES OR
ANYTHING ELSE WITH
FOOD STAINS



TEXTILES
(USED CLOTHING)

Additional:

- #3-7 plastics
- Plastic film/wrap/bags/packaging or bubble wrap
- Styrofoam or packing peanuts
- Light bulbs or Christmas lights
- Aluminum foil or baking pans/trays
- Motor oil or anti-freeze containers
- Diapers
- Toilet paper, facial tissue, napkins or paper towels



GARBAGE: WEEKLY



- Bag, tie, and securely store garbage in your assigned container.
- **DO NOT** overfill your container or pile trash on top of or around it.
- Container lid should be closed at all times.



BRUSH & BULKY: WEEKLY



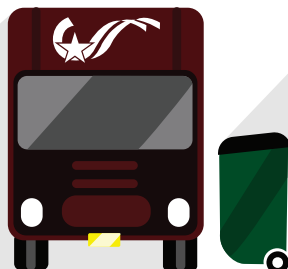
BRUSH includes tree limbs, shrubs, woody vines, other herbaceous or woody plants, bagged grass clippings and leaves. Please cut items down to less than 8-foot lengths and neatly stack within 3 feet of the curb.



BULKY items include furniture, appliances, and other items too large to fit in a garbage container. Consider donating items in good, usable condition to a local non-profit organization before placing at the curb.

DO NOT:

- Mix bulky & brush piles.
- Include bags of household garbage.



COLLEGE STATION
CURBSIDE

NEVER MISS A COLLECTION DAY!

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CITY RESOURCES

- Request an additional container.
- Report a container or collection problem.
- Request disability assistance for collections.

 [cstx.gov/PublicWorks](https://www.cstx.gov/PublicWorks)

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LANDFILL INFORMATION

Twin Oaks Landfill
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BVSWMA@bvswma.com
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FREE HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE COLLECTION EVENT

Brazos Valley residents can dispose of paint, medications, computers, televisions, gasoline, oils, pesticides, herbicides, light bulbs, cleaning agents, automotive fluids, and more for free!

Event is held on a Saturday
from 7 a.m.-2 p.m. each April and October.

[TwinOaksHHW.com](https://www.TwinOaksHHW.com)