

Holiday and Special Collection Schedule

2020-2021



New Year's Day	Friday, January 1	CLOSED: Residential garbage collection will be delayed by one business day. Both Friday and Monday routes will be collected on Monday, January 4, 2021.
Yard Waste & Live Christmas Tree Collection Week	The week of January 11-15	YARD WASTE & REAL CHRISTMAS TREE COLLECTION: Yard waste and real Christmas trees (free of ornaments or lights) will <i>only</i> be collected during the week of January 11-15, 2021. This collection occurs one time during the month of January on the residents regularly scheduled garbage collection day. All yard waste should be un-bagged and placed curbside for collection. Yard waste carts are available upon request.
Martin Luther King Jr. Day	Monday, January 18	CLOSED: Residential garbage collection will be delayed by one business day. Both Monday and Tuesday routes will be collected on Tuesday, January 19, 2021.
Free Excess Household Trash Week	The week of March 22-26	FREE EXCESS TRASH COLLECTION: Excess household trash will be collected at no charge <i>only on the</i> residents regularly scheduled garbage collection day. (Fees will apply to tires, electronics, and/or appliances collection.)
Easter (Good Friday)	Friday, April 2	CLOSED: Residential garbage collection will be delayed by one business day. Both Friday and Monday routes will be collected on Monday, April 5, 2021.
Memorial Day	Monday, May 31	CLOSED: Residential garbage collection will be delayed by one business day. Both Monday and Tuesday routes will be collected on Tuesday, June 1, 2021.

Independence Day	Monday, July 5	CLOSED: Residential garbage collection will be delayed by one business day. Both Friday and Monday routes will be collected on Tuesday, July 6, 2021.
Labor Day	Monday, September 6	CLOSED: Residential garbage collection will be delayed by one business day. Both Monday and Tuesday routes will be collected on Tuesday September 7, 2021.
Free Excess Household Trash	The week of September 20-24	FREE EXCESS TRASH COLLECTION: Excess household trash will be collected at no charge <i>only on the</i> residents regularly scheduled garbage collection day. (Fees will apply to tires, electronics, and/or appliances collection.)
Leaf Season Begins	Thursday, October 15 through February 15	LEAF SEASON: Residential leaf vacuuming will begin curbside. Please rake your leaves to the curb and leave unbagged and out of storm drains and gutter lines for leaf vacuuming. Please place yard waste debris separately from leaf piles for collection.
Yard Waste Collection Week	The week of November 1-5	YARD WASTE COLLECTION: Yard waste is <i>only</i> collected during the first full week of this month during leaf season. All yard waste should be placed curbside and left unbagged.
Veteran's Day	Thursday, November 11	CLOSED: Residential garbage collection will be delayed by one business day. Both Thursday and Friday routes will be collected on Friday, November 12, 2021.
Thanksgiving Holiday	Thursday, November 25	CLOSED: Residential garbage collection will be delayed by one business day. Thursday routes will be collected the following day, Friday, November 26, 2021.
Designated Day	Friday, November 26	CLOSED: Residential garbage collection will be delayed by one business day. Both Friday and Monday routes will be collected on Monday, November 29, 2021.
Yard Waste Collection Week	The week of December 6-10	YARD WASTE COLLECTION: Yard waste is <i>only</i> collected during the first full week of this month during leaf season. All yard waste should be placed curbside and left unbagged.
Christmas Eve	Friday, December 24	NORMAL COLLECTION SCHEDULE

Christmas	Saturday, December 25	CLOSED: Residential garbage collection will be delayed by one business day. Both Monday and Tuesday routes will be collected on Tuesday, December 28, 2021.
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Gaston County Solid Waste Services (Recycling and Hazardous Waste)

www.gastongov.com/government/departments/solid_waste/index.php

Keep Gastonia Beautiful events such as Shred Day(s) & Black Gold Day(s)

<https://www.cityofgastonia.com/keep-gastonia-beautiful-1.html>