

SWOYERSVILLE BOROUGH

2022 GARBAGE AND RECYCLING CALENDAR

NORMAL GARBAGE/RECYCLING COLLECTION DAYS:

MONDAY, TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY

Jan 2022

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FEBRUARY

21 PRESIDENT'S DAY - ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICES CLOSED
- STREET DEPARTMENT OPEN

APRIL

4 YARD WASTE COLLECTIONS BEGIN THIS WEEK

18 GARBAGE/RECYCLING COLLECTIONS DELAYED 1 DAY
THIS WEEK DUE TO THE EASTER HOLIDAY

MAY

30 MEMORIAL DAY HOLIDAY - ALL OFFICES CLOSED
GARBAGE/RECYCLING COLLECTIONS DELAYED 1 DAY
THIS WEEK DUE TO THE HOLIDAY

JULY

4 INDEPENDENCE DAY - ALL OFFICES CLOSED
GARBAGE/RECYCLING COLLECTIONS DELAYED 1 DAY
THIS WEEK DUE TO THE HOLIDAY

SEPTEMBER

5 LABOR DAY - ALL OFFICES CLOSED
GARBAGE/RECYCLING COLLECTIONS DELAYED 1 DAY
THIS WEEK DUE TO HOLIDAY

OCTOBER

24 BAGGED LEAF COLLECTIONS BEGIN THIS WEEK

DECEMBER

5 MONDAY'S YARD WASTE/BAGGED LEAF COLLECTIONS
END

6 TUESDAY'S YARD WASTE/BAGGED LEAF COLLECTIONS
END

7 WEDNESDAY'S YARD WASTE/BAGGED LEAF
COLLECTIONS END

26 CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY OBSERVED
GARBAGE/RECYCLING COLLECTIONS DELAYED 1 DAY
THIS WEEK DUE TO THE HOLIDAY

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PLEASE DO NOT THROW AWAY!!!

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SWOYERSVILLE BOROUGH GARBAGE/RECYCLING COLLECTION GUIDELINES

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Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday

GARBAGE COLLECTION GUIDELINES
PUT GARBAGE OUT THE NIGHT BEFORE
OR BEFORE 6 AM IN ORDER TO BE COLLECTED

ALL GARBAGE BAGS MUST HAVE A SWOYERSVILLE BOROUGH GARBAGE
STICKER ON IT IN ORDER TO BE COLLECTED, REGARDLESS OF SIZE.

Weight limit for garbage bags is 50 pounds and 33 gallon capacity

- **PROPERLY DISPOSE OF ALL NEEDLES. DO NOT THROW NEEDLES IN GARBAGE BAG AS IS. PLACE NEEDLES IN AN APPROVED CONTAINER. GARBAGE WILL BE LEFT IF NEEDLES ARE DISCARDED WITHOUT BEING PROPERLY DISPOSED OF. THIS IS A SAFETY CONCERN FOR OUR WORKERS. PLEASE COOPERATE.**
- **ALL GARBAGE BAGS MUST BE SEALED OR IT WILL NOT BE COLLECTED. DO NOT USE LAWN OR LEAF BAGS FOR GARBAGE**

The following items will be collected only with the appropriate number of garbage stickers attached:

- Kitchen appliances including hot water heaters and microwaves- 5 stickers
- Chairs- 5 stickers
- 3 seat couches- 5 stickers; 2 seat couches- 5 stickers; Love seats- 5 stickers
- Small area rugs- 5 stickers
- Larger rugs must be cut into 4 foot wide sections with 5 stickers for each section
- Air conditioners- 5 stickers
- Mattresses/box springs- 5 stickers

WE DO NOT PICK UP TV'S OR TIRES ANYMORE

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**PUT RECYCLING OUT THE NIGHT BEFORE
OR BEFORE 6 AM IN ORDER TO BE COLLECTED**

RECYCLING COLLECTION GUIDELINES

- CORRUGATED CARDBOARD, CEREAL BOXES, REGULAR CARDBOARD BOXES, PAPERBOARD BOXES ARE COLLECTED AND ARE TO BE FLATTENED AND TIED. CARDBOARD WILL NOT BE COLLECTED IF BOXES ARE PUT OUT WITHOUT BEING FLATTENED AND TIED OR BOXES ARE PLACED IN ANOTHER BOX OR JUST PLACED ON TREE LAWN.
- PIZZA BOXES ARE NOT RECYCLED. THEY MUST BE THROWN OUT IN REGULAR GARBAGE BAGS DUE TO FOOD CONTENT IN BOXES ATTRACT RATS
- NEWSPAPERS ARE TO BE PUT IN A PAPER BAG OR TIED WITH STRING, NOT IN PLASTIC BAGS OR RECYCLING CONTAINER
- Newspapers are NOT picked up on days of rain or snow
- All cans and bottles are to be cleaned
- No window panes
- All plastic bottles and jugs should be crushed or flattened. Recyclables only, no newspapers are to be placed in the Borough recycling can or in an open container. DO NOT PUT RECYCLABLES IN BAGS. 1-7 plastics are collected. These numbers are at the bottom of the plastic item.
- Metal objects accepted shall consist of lawn mowers, gas grills and metal pipes (No longer than 3 feet in length). No auto parts, no glass in aluminum windows and no doors.
- Place recyclables on tree lawn by 7 AM or the night before. The exceptions being newspapers and cardboard; if it is forecast to rain do not put newspapers or cardboard out. Save it until next week.
- If you miss putting recycling out hold them until next week. We will not make a special trip to pick up your items.
- Styrofoam is not recycled. Must be thrown out in garbage.
- Clothing and shoes are not accepted for recycling.
- Electronics of any kind are not accepted for recycling.

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**PUT YARD WASTE OUT THE NIGHT BEFORE
OR BEFORE 6 AM IN ORDER TO BE COLLECTED**

YARD WASTE COLLECTION GUIDELINES

**YARD WASTE WILL BE COLLECTED FROM THE WEEK OF
APRIL 4 TO WEEK OF DECEMBER 5**

See Calendar for your beginning and ending dates

- A current year recycling sticker is needed to have yard waste picked up.
- Yard waste is picked up on regular garbage collection day.
- All Yard Waste can be in an Open Container or in Biodegradable bags.

**THERE IS A 6 CAN/BUNDLE LIMIT OF YARD WASTE
THIS WILL BE STRICTLY ENFORCED**

Bundles or containers cannot exceed 35 pounds. Please separate yard waste into other containers if necessary. Heavy containers can cause injury to the workers.

**THE FOLLOWING IS CONSIDERED YARD WASTE AND WILL BE COLLECTED
UNTIL WEEK OF DECEMBER 5 - SEE CALENDAR FOR YOUR BEGINNING
AND ENDING DATES**

- Grass clippings – Will NOT be collected if put into biodegradable bags or plastic bags
- Shrubs and tree branches- Tree branches must be in 36 inch lengths and tied or bundled – 6 bundle limit
- Vegetable and flower garden waste
- Apples, pears, etc.

The following is NOT considered yard waste and will NOT be collected:

- ANIMAL WASTE AND CAT LITTER
- Sod
- Rocks and dirt
- Logs/stumps
- Construction materials, wood, dry wall, plaster and lathe, concrete or cinder blocks, shingles and tar paper, asphalt, wooden doors
- WHOLE TREES

Bagged leaf collections will run from the week of October 24 to the week of December 5*

***USE BIODEGRADABLE BAGS FOR BAGGED LEAF COLLECTION ONLY
WITH UNLIMITED BAGS COLLECTED. THE BOROUGH WILL NOT TAKE LEAVES IN
PLASTIC BAGS; YOU CAN PLACE LEAVES IN AN OPEN CONTAINER
WITH A 6 CAN LIMIT EACH WEEK OUTSIDE BAGGED LEAF COLLECTION PERIOD**