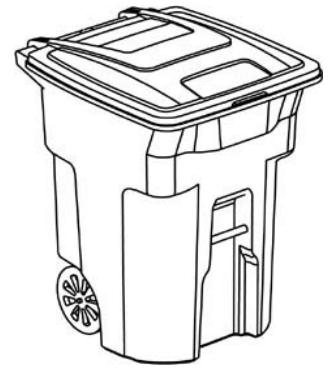


# City of Shelby

## Sanitation Division

### Curbside Rollout Services



#### **CURBSIDE ROLLOUT GARBAGE COLLECTION**

Starting the second week in May 2005 the City of Shelby will be delivering a rollout cart to each residential unit or business presently using cans. In each can will be a flyer explaining the program and some of the “do’s and don’ts”. The following information is some of the highlights of the program.

#### **WHY CURBSIDE?**

- Through a community partnership enhance the quality of life by reducing litter, improve waste handling procedures and combat the root causes of litter.
- The use of highly automated garbage pickup units will promote efficiencies and enhance the aesthetic appearance of the city.
- Utilizing curbside services will result in savings of approximately \$538,000 per year.
- Will assist in the protection of property values and attractiveness of neighborhoods by prohibiting solid waste/junk to be placed at curbside.
- Monthly costs will remain the same at the present time. While it’s impossible to assure that rate increases will not occur in the future, reducing labor costs and replacing out dated vehicles with highly automated equipment will help keep cost minimal.

#### **GUIDELINES FOR CART PICKUP OF GARBAGE & SOLID WASTE**

##### **Permissible ITEMS (everything must be bagged)**

- Household garbage
- Solid waste, e.g. clothing, small boxes, etc...
- Pet feces double bagged

##### **Non-Permissible ITEMS**

- No building materials
- No hazardous materials, such as: gas, oil, pesticides
- No appliances, furniture, carpeting
- No liquid waste
- No dead animals
- No tires
- No metal items such as lawnmower motors, etc...
- No yard waste including grass clippings

## **GENERAL CONTAINER INFORMATION**

- Container must be placed near street side away from vehicles, mailboxes, low hanging limbs, shrubbery or other obstacles.
- Damaged containers will be replaced at cost. Container damage caused by the City will be replaced at no cost.
- Residents who are physically unable to place their container at curbside may obtain a waiver from Public Works by calling 704-484-6846.

## **ADDITIONAL SOLID WASTE ORDINANCE INFORMATION**

- Placing of any solid waste material at curbside, is not permitted, e.g. furniture, carpeting, clothing, boxes. These materials must fit in the rollout container or disposed of by the occupant.
- The City will no longer pickup appliances (white goods) stoves, hot water heaters, refrigerators, at curbside. Residents or appliance vendors may dispose of these items at the landfill.
- Limb piles should be no larger than 3 feet wide x 3 feet high x 4 feet long. Limbs larger than 6" in diameter will not be picked up by the city. Only one pile per week may be placed on curbside for pickup.
- The City will provide special collections of bulky items, furniture, mattresses, chairs, etc. twice per year (fall and spring). Council may establish other special collections.
- Yard waste such as leaves, grass clippings must be street side between curb and sidewalk or behind street side if no curb. Materials from contractors must be disposed of by contractor or occupant and will not be picked up by the City.

## **COLLECTION DAY**

- Will remain the same and if changed occupant will be notified in advance.
- Holidays will cause pickup day to change and for further information call 704-484-6846 or go to the City's website at: [www.cityofshelby.com](http://www.cityofshelby.com).

## **QUESTIONS**

- Call 704-484-6846, Public Works City of Shelby