

## City of Moscow Mills

# Collection Guidelines

Meridian Waste is proud to be your environmental services provider! Refer to this overview for basic information about your services and visit [MeridianWaste.com/MoscowMills](https://MeridianWaste.com/MoscowMills) for the latest news and updates to guidelines and collection schedules.

## Prepare for Pickup

**Collection Day:** Garbage and Recycling collection is **WEDNESDAY**. All carts should be **curbside by 6:00 AM**.

**Materials:** All waste materials must be **INSIDE** the provided cart (garbage in the garbage cart, recycling in the recycling cart). Items placed outside the cart will **NOT** be collected. (Extra carts may be requested for an additional monthly fee.)

**Weight Limits:** Carts **CANNOT** exceed fifty (50) lb. each.

## Holiday Schedule

If the holiday falls on or prior to your regular collection day, pick-up will be delayed by one day through the end of that week.

**Holidays Observed:** New Year's Day, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day and Christmas Day.

## Cart Placement

Position carts in the driveway, with handles facing the street. Carts **MUST** be **LESS THAN three (3) ft.** from the curb and **MUST** be **AT LEAST three (3) ft. away** from any standing object (this includes mailboxes, vehicles, and other waste containers).



## Garbage

- Collected **weekly**
- 95 gallon cart
- Materials Accepted: Containerized, **non-hazardous** municipal solid waste

## Single Stream Recycling

- Collected **weekly**
- 65-gallon cart
- Materials Accepted: See next page or local website

## Yard Waste

- **March–November:** Collected **weekly** on Wednesday
- **December–February:** Call Meridian Waste to schedule
- Materials Accepted: Leaves, grass, small limbs and branches—you **MUST** containerize all loose material or tie with natural fiber twine.
- Maximum six (6) containers, bundled stacks, or biodegradable bags per week, no more than 50 lb. each.
- Size Limits: Total volume limited to 3 cubic yd. Bundles not to exceed 3 feet in length and 4 inches in diameter.

## Bulk Waste

- Call to **(314) 291-3131** to schedule.
- Up to two items are collected at no charge on the last Friday of the month.
- Materials Accepted: "Bulky" items are objects over fifty (50) lb and/or those too big for the garbage cart, such as toilets, sinks, bicycles, mattresses, carpet, fencing, and large household furnishings
- Weight Limit: Safe for two people to lift

**More Information:** [MeridianWaste.com/MoscowMills](https://MeridianWaste.com/MoscowMills)

**Email:** [CustomerCareMO@MeridianWaste.com](mailto:CustomerCareMO@MeridianWaste.com)

**Phone:** (314) 291-3131



**ATTENTION:** All materials must be **INSIDE** the appropriate cart provided by Meridian Waste. Any items placed outside the cart will **NOT** be collected.

## GARBAGE CART

### APPROVED Waste

- YES** — Non-hazardous municipal solid waste
- YES** — Food scraps and food packaging
- YES** — Disposables
- YES** — Clothing
- YES** — Compost
- YES** — Bottles, cans, newspapers & magazines
- YES** — Glass

### NOT ACCEPTABLE

- NO** — Tires
- NO** — Yard waste
- NO** — **Hazardous Materials:** Including but not limited to: batteries; automotive fluids (fuel, antifreeze, oils); paint and paint lacquer, stains, thinners, varnish and polishes; wood preservatives; and chemicals of any kind (i.e. pool chemicals, cleaners, solvents, adhesives; pesticides and weed killer)
- NO** — **Empty Hazardous Material Containers**
- NO** — **Radioactive Materials**
- NO** — **Biological/Medical Waste**
- NO** — **Electronic Waste:** Including but not limited to: televisions, computers, monitors, printers, VCRs, cell phones, telephones, radios and microwave ovens
- NO** — Liquids or Water-Soluble Solids
- NO** — Salt, borax, lye, caustics/acids
- NO** — Septic Tank or Chemical Toilet Waste
- NO** — Fluorescent Light Tubes and Ballasts
- NO** — Automobile Bodies

## Sign Up for Service Alerts

Stay in the know about your service—sign up for email and/or text alerts so we can notify you in the event of inclement weather, holidays, or other factors that might interrupt your service.

Sign up at:

[MeridianWaste.com/Service-Alert-Signup](http://MeridianWaste.com/Service-Alert-Signup)

## RECYCLING CART

**Materials Accepted:** Plastics labeled #s 1 and 2; aluminum, tin, and steel cans; flattened cardboard with tape removed; fiberboard; newspaper (including inserts); and mixed paper (magazines, office paper, mail, etc.)



**PLASTIC (Clear or Colored \*)**  
Label #s 1 and 2  
\* NOT Accepted: Black plastics



**ALUMINUM,  
TIN & STEEL CANS**



**CORRUGATED  
CARDBOARD**



**MIXED PAPER**

## NOT ACCEPTED FOR RECYCLING

The following items are considered contaminants to this type of recycling stream and **WILL NOT** be accepted: **Glass, Plastic Bags,** and **Food-contaminated Boxes or Packaging** (items such as greasy pizza boxes or peanut butter jars that aren't completely washed out).

## RECYCLING DROP-OFF

Mixed paper and cardboard (flattened) can be dropped off for recycling; these materials **MUST** be separated from other items and placed in the designated container set up at the drop-off location.

**Drop-Off Site:** **Moscow Mills City Hall**  
995 Main St.  
Moscow Mills, MO 63362

## We're Here to Help!

Contact Moscow Mills City Hall at **(636) 356-4220** with questions or concerns, and to let us know if your cart has been lost or damaged.

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