

RECYCLE MORE

New black recycle carts will not be emptied until your first designated start date in October. Please refer to your solid waste calendar or visit www.monroenc.org for more information. Reduce the amount of waste going to the landfill by recycling as many items as possible.

(Please rinse all food, drink, or other residues from items first.)

NEW! BEGINNING October 1, 2012, PLEASE RECYCLE THESE ITEMS

- Empty Aerosol Cans (no paint cans)
- All Plastics 1-7
(no Styrofoam, bags, or wrap)
- Wide-Mouth Plastic Containers & Lids
- Rigid Plastic Containers & Small Hard Plastic Toys
- Milk & Juice Cartons, & Juice Boxes
- Shredded Paper *(placed in clear bag)*



PLEASE CONTINUE TO RECYCLE THESE ITEMS

- Aluminum Cans
- Metal Food Cans & Lids
- Glass Bottles & Jars
- Cereal & Food Boxes
- Cardboard Boxes Flattened
- Mixed Paper, Newspapers with Inserts, & Junk Mail
- Paperback Books
- Magazines & Phonebooks
- Spiral Paper Cans
(with plastic lids detached)



NOT TO BE RECYCLED

- Pizza Boxes
- Styrofoam
- Paint Cans
- Plastic Bags

CART PLACEMENT

Automated collection requires special attention when setting out your carts!

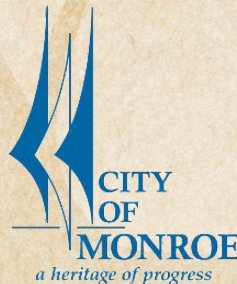
Be sure your recycling and garbage carts' wheels are facing the house within 3 feet of curb.



Leave a 2-foot space between your two carts and between the carts and obstructions like mailboxes, parked cars, utility poles, etc. All garbage must be bagged and fit inside your cart with the lid fully closed.

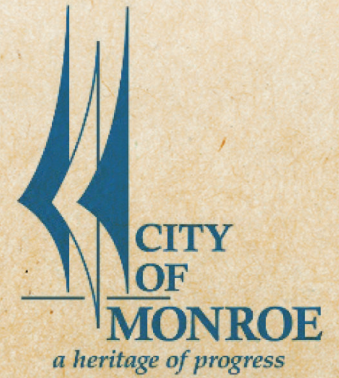


Never block streets, sidewalks, mailboxes or driveways.



For more information please visit,
www.monroenc.org or call 704-821-7578.

COMING SOON



**We're
Rolling-Out
Improvements**
Starting
October 1, 2012!



REDUCE

NEW CARTS

Two new 96-gallon carts (*1 for solid waste, 1 for recyclables*) will be delivered to each resident during the month of September.



Continue to use your current recycle bin until your first designated service day in Oct. New black carts will not be emptied prior to that start day, so it is important not to use them until that time.

AUTOMATED COLLECTION

New, automated collection service for garbage and recycling begins: **October 1, 2012**

New, more efficient trucks help keep our air a little cleaner!



RECYCLING

Waste Pro's new, fully automated collection vehicles will collect your recycling every-other-week. Please reference your calendar for collection week or visit www.monroenc.org for more information.

GARBAGE

Garbage will be picked up every week.

REUSE

CURBSIDE YARD WASTE COLLECTION

- Yard Waste means grass, leaves, limbs, trimmings, or other plant or vegetative material.
- Collected curbside weekly on your regular service day. Material must be bundled and tied or put into **clear** plastic or **paper** bags.
- Limbs must be no longer than 4 feet in length and 2 inches in diameter.
- Expanded loose leaf pick up will be collected by City of Monroe Parks and Recreations from October to February. Residents will need to bag their leaves between February and October.



WHY CLEAR PLASTIC BAGS?

Clear bags allow the service crew to verify contents, and confirm that no garbage or other prohibited items are inside the bag.

REMEMBER

- Yard Waste is prohibited from municipal landfills in the State of North Carolina.
- Please do not put any yard waste material in your household solid waste cart.

CUSTOMER CARE

For residential service questions, cart repairs or replacements please contact **Waste Pro 704-821-7578** or by using the **TracEZ system found on the City of Monroe's website, www.monroenc.org**

RECYCLE

CURBSIDE BULK & ELECTRONIC WASTE PICKUP

City of Monroe offers every other week curbside bulk pick-up Please refer to your solid waste calendar for your scheduled pick-up week or visit www.monroenc.org for more information. Bulk pick-up will occur on your normal service day of that week.

BULK WASTE

Bulky waste refers to items too large to fit into recycle or garbage carts. Bulky items will be picked up every other week. *(appliances, furniture, bicycles, tires, scrap metal, etc.)*



E-WASTE



Electronic waste is anything with a computer circuit board. *(cell phones, computers, radios, televisions, etc.)* E-waste will be picked up by appointment.

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