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## Trash, Bulk Item, Yard Waste & Single Stream Recycling Collection Service Information



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# 1-800-432-1616

## Trash Collection

Trash collection will occur **twice (2) per week on your service days depending where you live in the Township**. Trash should be placed in red carts curbside no earlier than one day before scheduled pick up.

## Recycling Collection

Recycling collection will occur **one (1) time per week on your service day depending where you live in the Township**. Recyclables should be placed in red carts with blue lids curbside no earlier than one day before scheduled pick up.

## Bulk Item Collection

Bulk item collection will occur **once (1) per month on your last second (2nd) collection day of each month**. If needed you can request and schedule an extra bulk item to be collected for an additional \$50 fee. Bulk items are household furnishings, bicycles, stoves, washers, etc. If you dispose of old carpets/ rugs, you must cut them up into 3' or 4' sections and tie with twine for easy handling. Ten (10) rolls = one (1) bulk item, limit to ten. **New mattress & box spring disposal requirement:** All mattresses and box springs must now be wrapped in disposable mattress bags before collection as bulk pickup. These disposable mattress bags can be purchased at Walmart®, Home Depot®, Lowes® and Amazon®, etc. **Tires will no longer be collected.** Appliances that have freon such as refrigerators, freezers, and air conditioners, please call before collection to schedule an appointment: **484-518-7026**.

## Yard Waste Collection

Yard Waste collection will occur once (1) per week on Wednesdays throughout the Township. **There is a ten (10) bag or bundle limit to yard waste.** Yard waste, leaves and lawn clippings only may be placed in containers (with lids) or compostable paper bags (available at Walmart®, Home Depot® and Lowes®, etc). **Do not use plastic bags.** Twigs and tree branches should be cut to 3 foot lengths, tied in bundles weighing no more than 50 lbs. Christmas trees should be put out for the Wednesday yard waste collection. Vacuum leaf collection is offered as a premium service at an additional cost.

**UNACCEPTABLE YARD WASTE ITEMS:** No tree roots or tree stumps. Branches can be no longer than 3 feet in length or 3 inches in diameter.

## Trash & Recycling Service Line

A dedicated phone line and email address have been setup for service-related issues. Call **610-635-3599** or email [trash@lowerprovidence.org](mailto:trash@lowerprovidence.org). Please provide the following: Name, address and phone number, date the service issue occurred, and description of the problem.

## Service Suspension Program

Service and Bill pay suspension program is available when homeowners and families are away for an extended period (at least one month). For information call **1-800-432-1616**.

## Holiday Collection

If your trash collection day falls on a holiday, it will be skipped until the next collection day. If your recycling collection day falls on one of these holidays (Memorial Day, Independence Day July 4th, Labor Day or Thanksgiving), recycling collection will occur the following week as a double collection. When recycling collection day falls on Christmas and New Year's Day, recycling will be collected on Wednesday for those two weeks and there will be no yard waste collection during those weeks. **Holidays:** New Year's Day (January 1), Memorial Day, Independence Day (July 4), Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day and Christmas Day (December 25). Christmas trees (must be free of decorations and/or tinsel) will be collected on Wednesdays after New Year's Day in the month of January.

## Waste and Recycling Fees

**Lower Providence Township's contract requires J.P. Mascaro & Sons to bill each household directly. Effective March 1, 2024, residents will be paying \$150.33 four (4) or quarterly which equals \$601.32 for the year.** Payment is due in full upon receipt. Annual costs for the remainder of the contract (effective March 1 of each year) are: \$655.44 in 2025 and \$716.16 in 2026.

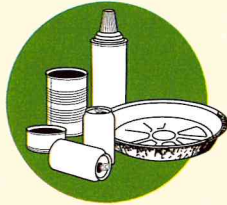
## No Hazardous Waste!

Car batteries, gasoline, motor oil, pesticides, oil-base paints and other toxic/hazardous materials are not accepted! The Montgomery County's Recycling Office Hotline is 610-278-3618 for information of disposing these materials or visit their website at [www.montcopa.org/637/Recycling-Information](http://www.montcopa.org/637/Recycling-Information). The Public Works garage accepts used motor oil and auto stores collect used car batteries.



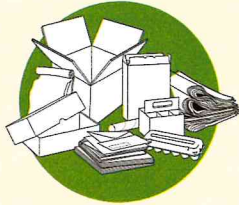
# Single Stream Recycling Collection is Here!

## Metal



**NO Materials in Plastic Bags**  
**NO Scrap Metal**

## Paper & Cardboard



**NO Books**  
**NO Contaminated**  
**pizza boxes**

## Glass



**NO Window glass**  
**NO Light bulbs**  
**NO Mirrors**

## Plastic



**NO Toys**  
**NO Ceramics**

## What to include for recycle collection?

### Metal:

- ♻️ Aluminum cans (beer and soda), aluminum foil and foil plates, etc. metal lids, metal food cans (tin/steel).

### Glass:

- ♻️ Glass bottles and jars (food and drink only, any color).

### Plastic Containers and Flexible Plastic Packaging:

- ♻️ Plastic bottles & containers labeled #1 through #7 (soda, water, milk, juice, liquor, shampoo, detergent, condiments, salad dressing, yogurt, margarine). Flexible packaging is any plastic packaging that is able to flex or wrap such as plastic pouches, wraps, and bags. See examples below.



## Mix Paper and Cardboard (Flatten Cardboard):

- ♻️ Placed loose in the recycle toter. Material such as newspaper and inserts, magazines and catalogs, junk mail, envelopes, file folders, office white, colored and computer paper (staples and paper clips ok). Corrugated cardboard must be flattened and no larger than 2' x 2', boxes, cereal, tissue, gift boxes, etc. (remove liners), paper bags, phone books, wrapping paper (remove metallic paper, bows, etc.) cartons like milk, juice, soup, flavored drinks and aseptic cartons are accepted as recyclables.

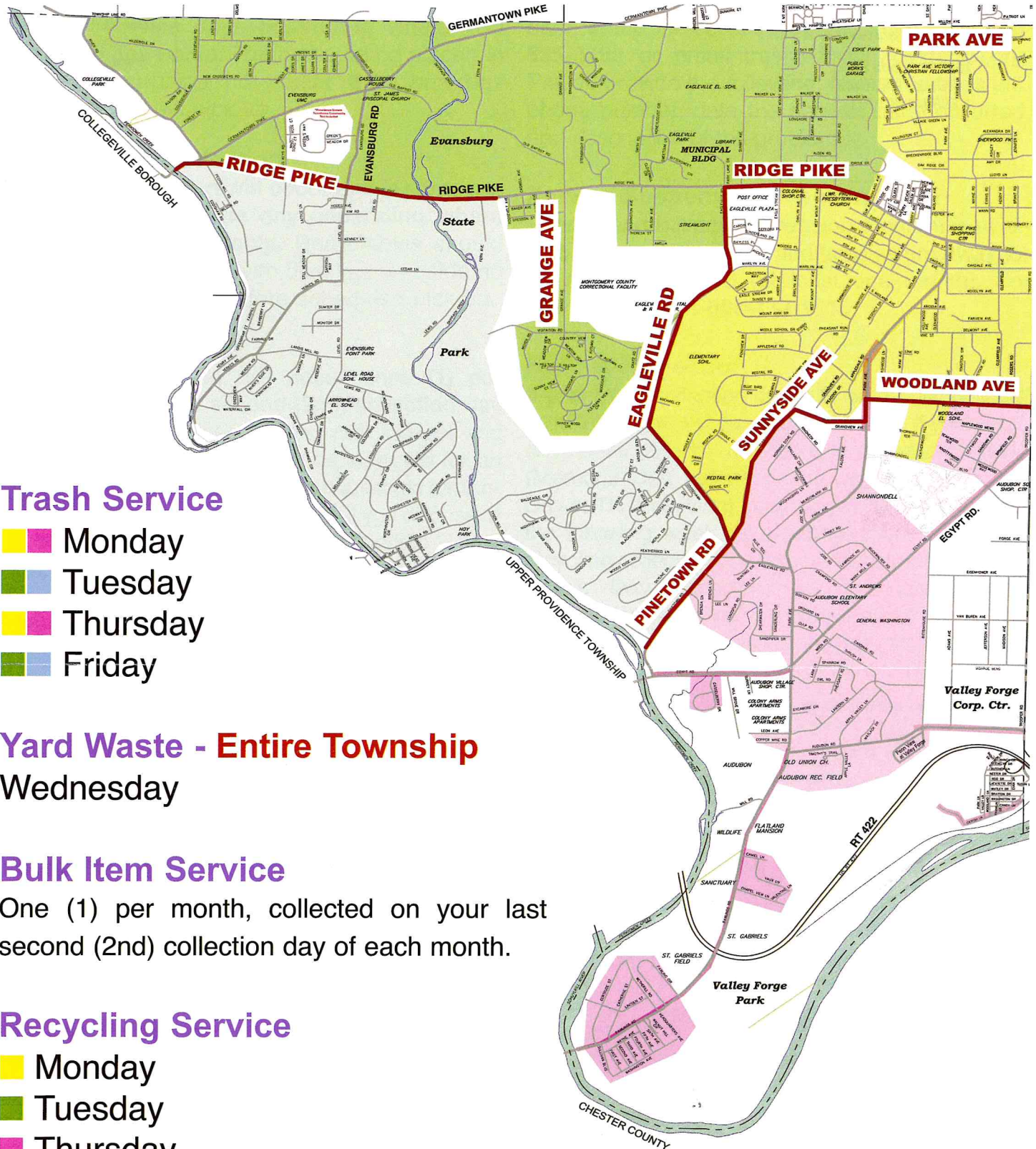


## UNACCEPTABLE MATERIALS

Ceramics, dishes, coffee cups, drinking glasses, glass oven ware, Pyrex, VisionWare, window glass, mirrors, light bulbs, plastics without #1-#7 labeling, styrofoam packaging, tissue or paper towels, coated paper, books and toys. Food contaminated cardboard (i.e. pizza boxes) and paper towels.



# Lower Providence Township Trash & Recycling Zone Map



## Trash Service

- Monday
- Tuesday
- Thursday
- Friday

**Yard Waste - Entire Township**  
Wednesday

## Bulk Item Service

One (1) per month, collected on your last second (2nd) collection day of each month.

## Recycling Service

- Monday
- Tuesday
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## No Electronic Waste (E-Waste)

State law prohibits residents from disposing electronic devices such as televisions, desktop and laptop computers, monitors, keyboards (anything that connects to a computer or has a plug) out for disposal. For information on electronics recycling and disposal options, visit [www.lowerprovidence.org/trash-recycling](http://www.lowerprovidence.org/trash-recycling) or [www.montcopa/637/Recycling-Information](http://www.montcopa/637/Recycling-Information) Call the Montco Recycles hotline at 610-278-3618.

## Per Bag Program

The "per-bag" option for those generating very little trash. The program is **\$72.96 per quarter**. Residents must buy the bags at a rate of **\$80 for 20 bags**. For information call **1-800-432-1616**.