



Rubbish Rules and Regulations- Olmsted Township 2025

What to put in the Trash Container:

All household generated garbage that will fit in the container with the lid closed. All household garbage must be bagged when placed in the container.

What not to put in the Trash Container:

Hazardous waste, paint, chemicals, motor oil, liquids, dead animals, hot ashes, car parts, tires or car batteries.

Recycling rules and Regulations:

- Recyclable material should be placed loosely into the recycle container. Please rinse out any and all containers listed below

Acceptable materials:

- Entire newspaper including inserts
- Aluminum, Steel and bi-metal cans, food and beverage cans only
- Glass: Bottles and Jars , food and beverage bottles only
- Plastics: Food and beverage containers marked #1 thru #7
- Plastic Detergent and soap containers: containers marked #1 thru #7
- Miscellaneous paper: Magazines, junk mail, cardboard and paperboard (cereal and clean pizza boxes)
- All kinds of cartons: Milk, Juice, etc...

Non-Recyclable Material:

- Containers with excessive food or liquids still in the container
- Containers that contained hazardous materials such as oil, pesticides, herbicides or anti-freeze
- Styrofoam, aluminum foil, pie tins, etc...
- Window glass, mirrors, drinking glasses, light bulbs, ceramics, china, etc...
- Plastic bags, plastic wrap, flower pots, toys etc...
- Scrap metal, car parts, batteries etc...
- Do not put any **Yard Waste** in recycle container

What if I have more trash than will fit in my Trash Container:

If you are taking advantage of the Recycling program in your community, most household trash will fit into the container provided. If necessary, you may have an option to have an additional container(s). There may be an additional fee for this increased service. Please contact Republic Services to discuss.

Yard Waste Regulations:

Grass clippings and other yard waste should be placed in brown paper bio-degradable bags, clear plastic bags or loose in 32gallon plastic cans clearly marked with "yard waste" or "YW" and not to exceed 35lbs. **Small branches must be cut and bundled not to exceed 4ft in length or 35 lbs.** Plastic bags, dirt, stone or branches larger than 6 inches in diameter will not be collected with yard waste. Yard waste will be collected weekly.

PLEASE NOTE OUR DRIVERS WILL NOT BE SENT BACK TO A RESIDENCE FOR YARD WASTE THAT WAS NOT PLACED AT THE CURB PROPERLY.

Bulk Regulations:

Consider bulk as items that cannot be broken down and placed into Trash or Recycling containers IE: Household Furniture, Washer/Dryers, TV's, tables, swing sets, mattress/box springs, chairs etc...

Limit of 4 large items.

- Appliances: Refrigerators and freezers, DOORS REMOVED – FREON REMOVED and tagged by certified technician
- Any other Freon bearing appliance: Freon must be removed and tagged by certified technician
- Carpet and wood should be cut to 4ft lengths, no more than 35lbs and be rolled and tied/bundled together
- Boxes should be broken down, no longer than 4ft in length, weigh no more than 35lbs and must be tied/bundled
- Please ensure to completely wrap any mattress or box springs in plastic
- Bulk collection includes up to 4-35 gal extra bags or 2-35 gal cans of miscellaneous trash
- Christmas trees will be picked up weekly with bulk. Trees larger than 4 ft must be cut in half.

Please have all items to the curb no later than 6:00am on your service day of **Thursday**.

Please place containers on opposite sides of your driveway if possible. Please ensure containers are 3 feet away from any stationary objects for servicing by the automated trucks

2025 bulk calendar schedule: **weekly** on regular service day **Thursday -4 item limit**

Republic Services Holiday Schedule:

Services will be delayed by a day if your service day falls on or after the holiday.

New Year Day	Wednesday	January 1, 2025
Memorial Day	Monday	May 26, 2025
Independence Day	Friday	July 4, 2025
Labor Day	Monday	September 1, 2025
Thanksgiving Day	Thursday	November 27, 2025
Christmas Day	Thursday	December 25, 2025