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Pride Disposal Company Newsletter

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Calendars available online at:
www.pridedisposal.com

Click on the Schedules button on the homepage. Other features include:

- Weather related updates
- Up-to-date recycling info
- Holiday Collection information

Online Bill Pay

Pay your bill online using a debit/credit card and sign up for paperless billing.
It's easy and free to use. Look for your unique ID number to register (printed on your invoice).

Sign up for our e-newsletter:

pridedisposal.com/resources/enewsletter

Connect with us on social media

Find holiday collection reminders, recycling tips, service related updates, collection information, and other fun and helpful information.

X Username:
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Holiday Pickup Schedule

The only holidays that our drivers do not work are Christmas Day and New Year's Day. When these holidays fall on a weekday, pickups are delayed by one day from the holiday through the end of the week.

This year, the holidays fall on Friday, so Friday customers will only experience a one day delay. Please see below for details on schedules for the Christmas and New Year's holiday weeks:

If your regular pickup date is:	Then your pickup will be:
Monday	Monday
Tuesday	Tuesday
Wednesday	Wednesday
Thursday	Thursday
Friday	Saturday

There is no delay in collection the week of Thanksgiving.

2027 collection calendars available online after Dec. 31, 2026

The online calendar lookup on our website will be updated with 2027 calendars after December 31, 2026. If you scan this QR code, it will take you directly to our online calendar lookup.

As a reminder, we only mail out calendars by request. If you prefer to have one sent to you, please contact our office and we would be happy to mail or email one to you.

Christmas Tree Recycling

If you have yard debris service and would like your Christmas tree picked up, you can place your tree in your yard debris cart (or in place of your cart) on your regular scheduled yard debris day for no additional charge. If your tree is set out in addition to your yard debris cart, an additional fee will apply.

If you do not have yard debris service, please contact our office to make arrangements for the tree to be removed.

Follow these steps to make sure your tree or wreath are properly prepared before pickup:



- **Trees taller than 5 feet or wider than 4 feet must be cut in half.**
- Remove all lights, ornaments, and decorations before placing your tree at the curb.
- Wreaths and garland are accepted if the wire frame and decorations are removed.
- Flocked trees are not accepted as yard debris but can be picked up as garbage.

If you have a fake tree that needs to be disposed of and it won't fit in your reguar garbage cart, contact our office to arrange a bulky item pickup.

If you're having a non-profit organization pick up your tree, please avoid scheduling it on your Pride Disposal pick up day to avoid any confusion.

Do you know what holiday items are recyclable?

The holiday season can bring lots of gift bags, wrapping paper, boxes, ribbons, and bows into your home! So, what should you do with it all? Here are a few tips on what you can recycle, reuse, or toss in the garbage.

- **Cardboard Boxes**: If you can't save and reuse your boxes, break them down and place them in your recycling cart. Remember, cardboard pieces must be cut down to 3 feet by 3 feet or smaller.
- **Gift Bags**: Gift bags are great items to save and reuse! Place smaller bags inside a larger one and store them away for another gift-giving occasion.
- **Ribbons and Bows**: If they're still in good condition, save them to reuse later. If they're no longer usable, place them in the garbage.
- **Tissue Paper**: If tissue paper is reusable, try storing it with your gift bags and reuse at a later date. If it needs to be discarded, please place in your recycling. Tissue paper with metallic finishes, foil stamping, or glitter goes in the garbage.

Are you finding you have unusable Christmas lights that you need to get rid of?

Christmas lights do not belong in your curbside recycling cart as they can get wrapped around the sorting machinery. They can however be brought into our recycling depot and recycled at no charge! Small lights can be recycled as is. The strands with larger bulbs need to have the bulbs removed (discard in the garbage), then the wire can be recycled at the recycling depot. If you are a Recycle+ customer you can place your Christmas lights in your purple bin as part of the special collection during the months of December and January.