

To: Brightwater Residents

On **July 2nd, 2008**, WCA Waste (WCA) will be your new trash collection provider.

TRASH COLLECTION DAYS – WEDNESDAY & SATURDAY RECYCLE DAY IS WEDNESDAY

Please have trash out at curb by 7:00 am each pick up day.

On each regularly scheduled collection day, **WEDNESDAY** and **SATURDAY**, WCA will collect residential refuse located at the curbside; refuse must be either in containers or bags **not exceeding 40 gallons** or weighing over 40 pounds.

Trees, shrubs, brush trimmings and fencing must be bundled in lengths no greater than 4 feet with no branch diameter exceeding 3 inches. The bundling is required to allow quick pickup and size limitations are required to avoid damaging the equipment in the crushing process. All residential waste materials except tree and yard waste must be either in containers, bags or bundles not exceeding 40 pounds.

Items such as appliances, furniture, carpet (up to 1 room, rolled up four feet wide and less than fifty pounds), cardboard boxes (flattened), will be picked up either day. By Federal Law, refrigerators and freezers or any other items containing Freon must be drained of Freon and have an accompanying bill to validate such service was performed.

Items excluded from normal collection are dirt, rocks, bricks, concrete, tires, batteries, motor oil, cooking oil, waste generated by a private contractor or any materials or items deemed hazardous materials. WCA will leave a tag explaining the reason for non-collected item(s).

Other than normal amounts of residential refuse, yard trimmings or bulk items, if notified in advance, WCA will meet with a resident prior to collection day to determine a price. If a resident does not notify WCA of such a special pick-up before its scheduled day, then WCA will leave a notice for the resident to contact Contractor during normal office hours before the next scheduled pick up day.

WCA will clean up any spillage that occurs during the collection or recycling process; provided, however, that if gasoline, motor oil, paints, cooking oil, or any other liquid items in a container that is not visible to Contractor personnel results in spillage that causes a stain, WCA cannot be responsible.

RECYCLE DAY IS EVERY WEDNESDAY

WCA takes great pride in our recycling program and efforts. Ensuring the best recycle program for our customers takes time and effort on both sides. Please remove caps, liquids and food products from inside the containers. Please only use the recycle bins for recyclable materials, not as an extra trash container.

WCA will collect paper, plastics, aluminum and tin cans that are placed within the provided recycling bin. If items exceed container capacity, please place them adjacent to bin. See list below for acceptable and unacceptable recyclables.

WCA will provide each current residence with one recycling bin. WCA will replace any bins that are defective or otherwise become unusable due to normal wear and tear. Theft, lost or additional bins can be replaced at \$8.00 each.

If you find items left in your bin that are not recyclable, please dispose of these items in your trash container for the next scheduled pick up.

Holidays

When regular pick-up falls on a holiday -- New Year's Day, Memorial Day, July 4th Independence Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day or Christmas Day -- the pick-up will be made on the next regular scheduled pick-up day. If your recycling day falls on a holiday, it will be picked up the next week on your normal scheduled recycle day.

Contact Information:

Waste Corporation of Texas
15202 Dora Lane, Sugar Land, TX 77478
Ph: (281) 368-8397

RECYCLABLE MATERIALS THAT CAN BE ACCEPTED:

Paper– Dry & Clean; loose (not in plastic bags)

Newspaper and inserts	Magazines & catalogs
Junk mail, envelopes, file folders	Corrugated cardboard boxes
Paper bags and phone books	Office paper; white or color (staples & paper clips ok)
Wrapping paper (remove metallic paper, bows, etc.)	
Cereal/gift boxes that tear (brown or gray - remove liners)	

Containers– Empty & Clean; loose (not in plastic bags)

Aluminum cans (beer & soda)	Aluminum foil and foil plates, etc.
Metal food cans (tin/steel); metal lids	Metal pots and pans
Plastic bottles, jars, tubs and buckets, i.e., soda, water, milk, juice, liquor, shampoo, detergent, condiments, salad dressing, yogurt, margarine, pet food, etc. (anything coded 1 through 7)	

RECYCLABLE MATERIALS THAT CANNOT BE ACCEPTED:

Window glass, mirrors, light bulbs	Containers of hazardous or toxic materials
Tissue or paper towels, books	Tyvek envelopes, carbon paper
Paper cartons for milk or juice	Wax coated boxes
Toys, household appliances, coat hangers	Food waste, garbage
Ceramics, dishes, coffee cups, drinking glasses	Plastic bags, Styrofoam containers, packing peanuts
Glass cookware/bakeware (Pyrex, Vision Ware, etc.)	
Take out containers, plastic cups, and plastic tableware	