
Sec. 220.04. Duties of RDU owners.

It shall be the responsibility of every owner of an RDU to:

- a. Choose a trash cart size (and frequency if choosing a small cart) and utilize the base level solid waste services from the designated hauler as contracted by the city. An RDU who fails to choose a trash cart size will be assigned a medium trash cart.
- b. Follow the city's guidelines and instructions for storing and setting out residential solid waste materials, including placement of their residential trash and yard waste in designated carts for each type of waste with the lid fully closed.
- c. Place the trash, bulky waste, yard waste cart and any overflow bags, compostable bags, and yard waste bundles at the collection location no more than eighteen (18) hours before, but no later than 6:00 a.m. on the day of collection and remove the cart(s) the same day as the scheduled collection day unless the RDU receives walk-up collection.
- d. Make certain that no yard waste is placed out for collection unless in a designated yard waste cart, compostable bag, or in a yard waste bundle.
- e. Make certain that all bulky items placed out for collection are empty of all food and liquids.
- f. Make certain that no bulky waste or, for an RDU who does not purchase yard waste subscription, compostable bags containing yard waste or yard waste bundles is placed out for collection unless the RDU notifies the designated hauler at least forty-eight (48) hours prior to the collection day.
- g. Make certain that no unacceptable materials are placed out for collection within any trash cart, yard waste cart, overflow trash bag, compostable bag, or yard-waste bundle. Haulers will not knowingly pick up unacceptable materials.
- h. Provide at least two (2) weeks advance notice to the designated hauler that the RDU will not require services for at least four (4) consecutive weeks because of an extended leave so as to obtain a pro-rated charge on the next coordinated collection invoice. An RDU may be on an extended leave suspension no more than twice per calendar year and the total suspension time in any calendar year shall not exceed twenty-six (26) weeks.
- i. Properly maintain trash and yard waste cart in a secure location and be responsible for the cleanliness and safekeeping of the cart(s). An RDU who, through negligence or intentional acts, causes damage to a cart shall be charged for the repair or replacement of the cart.
- j. Contact the city for all customer service requests or inquiries.
- k. Make certain that the RDU has a street address number on the dwelling and garage, if applicable, of the RDU in a manner and place that is easily and readily discernible from the collection location by the designated hauler as indicated in SPLC Chapter 71.02 (4).

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