



# BOROUGH OF ROSELLE PARK

## 2021 RECYCLING & BULK WASTE CALENDAR

January 2021							February 2021							March 2021						
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
					H	2		1	RB	3	4	5	6		1	RB	3	4	5	6
3	4	RB	6	7	8	9	7	8	RP	10	11	12	13	7	8	RP	10	11	12	13
10	11	RP	13	14	15	16	14	15	RB	17	18	19	20	14	15	RB	17	18	19	20
17	18	RB	20	21	22	23	21	22	RP	24	25	26	27	21	22	RP	24	25	26	27
24	25	RP	27	28	29	30	28							28	29	RB	31			
31																				
April 2021							May 2021							June 2021						
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
				VE	VW	3							1			RP	2	VE	VW	PS
4	5	RP	7	VE	VW	10	2	3	RP	5	VE	VW	8	6	7	RB	9	VE	VW	12
11	12	RB	14	VE	VW	17	9	10	RB	12	VE	VW	15	13	14	RP	16	VE	VW	19
18	19	RP	21	VE	VW	24	16	17	RP	19	VE	VW	22	20	21	RB	23	VE	VW	26
25	26	RB	28	VE	VW		23	24	RB	26	VE	VW	29	27	28	RP	30			
							30	H												
July 2021							August 2021							September 2021						
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
				VE	VW	3	1	2	RB	4	VE	VW	7				1	VE	VW	4
H	5	RB	7	VE	VW	10	8	9	RP	11	VE	VW	14	5	H	RP	8	VE	VW	11
11	12	RP	14	VE	VW	17	15	16	RB	18	VE	VW	21	12	13	RB	15	VE	VW	18
18	19	RB	21	VE	VW	24	22	23	RP	25	VE	VW	28	19	20	RP	22	VE	VW	25
25	26	RP	28	VE	VW	31	29	30	RB					26	27	RB	29	VE		
October 2021							November 2021							December 2021						
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
					VW	2		1	RP	3	VE	VW	6				1	VE	VW	4
3	4	RP	6	VE	VW	9	7	8	RB	10	VE	VW	13	5	6	RB	8	VE	VW	11
10	11	RB	13	VE	VW	PS	14	15	RP	17	VE	VW	20	12	13	RP	15	VE	VW	18
17	18	RP	20	VE	VW	23	21	22	RB	24	H	VW	27	19	20	RB	22	VE	VW	H
24	25	RB	27	VE	VW	30	28	29	RP					26	27	RP	29	VE	VW	
31																				

**VEGETATIVE WASTE (4/1/2021 – 12/31/2021)**

VE → East Side Vegetative Waste  
 VW → West Side Vegetative Waste

**CURBSIDE RECYCLING**

RB → Borough-Wide Co-Mingled Bottles, Cans & Plastics  
 RP → Borough-Wide Co-Mingled Paper Products

**PAPER SHREDDING**

PS → Free Paper Shredding Event at Borough Hall

**HOLIDAYS (H):** Curbside Recycling pickup will take place on following calendar day; Vegetative Waste pickup will take place on next scheduled pickup day.

**2021 BULK WASTE PICKUP DATES\***

**EAST SIDE:** Thursday, June 17, 2021  
 Thursday, October 21, 2021  
**WEST SIDE:** Friday, June 18, 2021  
 Friday, October 22, 2021

\*Tentative at this time.

**SEE REVERSE SIDE FOR MORE INFORMATION & FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS!!!**

## **RECYCLING & BULK WASTE FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS**

### **Q: WHO SHOULD I CALL TO REPORT A MISSED PICKUP?**

**A:** To report a missed pickup of any kind (trash, vegetative waste, curbside recycling, or bulk waste) please call the Roselle Park Department of Public Works at 908-245-7676 between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. Monday through Friday, holidays excluded.

### **Q: WHAT IS CONSIDERED VEGETATIVE WASTE?**

**A:** Vegetative Waste is a type of recyclable material consisting of all dead plant life, flowers, wood chips and shavings, fruits from trees (i.e. apples and pears), small branches and twigs (up to two inches in diameter and not exceeding four feet in length, bundled and tied), grass cuttings, leaves or other vegetative plants or clippings; specifically excludes: large limbs (over two inches in diameter) tree trunks, stumps, and roots.

### **Q: WHAT IS A SUITABLE CONTAINER FOR VEGETATIVE WASTE?**

**A:** A container not larger than 32 gallons equipped with a pull handle or handles, or biodegradable paper bags, or otherwise bundled and tied. Plastic bags of any type are expressly prohibited!

### **Q: WHEN CAN I PLACE VEGETATIVE WASTE CURBSIDE?**

**A:** Any time after 7:00 p.m. on the evening before the scheduled pickup.

### **Q: WHAT IS CONSIDERED CURBSIDE RECYCLING?**

**A:** Curbside Recycling includes of two categories or materials. The first category is Co-Mingled Bottles, Cans, and Plastics which consists of plastics (coded #1 or #2), cans and lids made of aluminum and steel (tin), and glass bottles and jars. The second category is Co-Mingled Paper Products which consists of mixed paper (i.e. office paper, newspaper, magazines, junk mail, catalogs, phone books), cardboard (i.e. clean corrugated, cereal boxes, pizza boxes), and cartons (i.e. clean milk, juice, and other food storage cartons). Plastic bags are expressly prohibited!

### **Q: WHAT IS A SUITABLE CONTAINER FOR CURBSIDE RECYCLING?**

**A:** For Co-Mingled Bottled, Cans and Plastics: A container not larger than 32 gallons with a pull handle or handles, nor exceeding a total weight of 50 pounds. Plastic bags of any type are expressly prohibited!

**A:** For Co-Mingled Paper Products: Materials must be security bundled and tied together with all cardboard boxes collapsed and flattened to the greatest extent practicable. *Alternatively*, Co-Mingled Paper Products may be containerized in a receptacle not exceeding a total volume of thirty 32 gallons, nor exceeding a total weight of 50 pounds, with all cardboard boxes collapsed and flattened to the greatest extent practicable. Plastic bags of any type are expressly prohibited!

### **Q: DOES CURBSIDE RECYCLING NEED TO BE SEPARATED?**

**A:** YES. YES. YES! The Borough utilizes a dual stream system to garner the best market pricing from collection and disposal vendors. Co-Mingled Bottled, Cans and Plastics must be kept separate from Co-Mingled Paper Products.

### **Q: WHEN CAN I PLACE CURBSIDE RECYCLING CURBSIDE?**

**A:** Any time after 7:00 p.m. on the evening before the scheduled pickup.

### **Q: WHAT IS CONSIDERED BULK WASTE?**

**A:** Bulk Waste is a type of solid waste consisting of furniture, toys, mattresses (limited 2 per address), wood (limit of two – 32 gallon containers with pieces cut into 3 foot pieces except for wood doors, storm windows, storm doors, doors, windows, wood fences, lawn furniture and wood products generated during minor repairs nor requiring a zoning or construction permit). **BULK WASTE SHALL EXPLICITLY EXCLUDE:** rugs, carpeting, electronic waste, ashes, dirt, tree trunks, stumps, branches, brush, leaves, household garbage, pool filters, railroad ties, rocks, stones, asphalt, concrete, closed-top drums, automobile parts, appliances (i.e. refrigerators, washers, dryers), paint, chemicals, and materials resulting from demolition, alterations or repairs to buildings or other structures not generated by the homeowner and not generated from pickup sites requiring permits.

### **Q: ARE THERE LIMITATIONS ON THE BULK WASTE I CAN DISPOSE?**

**A:** Disposal is limited to 500 pounds (one-quarter ton) per property, per pickup.

### **Q: WHEN CAN I PLACE BULK WASTE CURBSIDE?**

**A:** Any time after 12:00 p.m. (noon) the day before the scheduled pickup.