



Keys to Unlocking the Mystery of Curbside “Trash”



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🔑 Mondays are the day for North Rosedale!

- The collection of Trash, Recycling, Yard, and Bulk alternates with the collection of just Trash.
- Text your street address to [\(313\)800-7905](tel:3138007905) and sign up for reminders on recycling, trash and bulk pickups. A text will come to your phone after 6 pm on Sunday evening. (It takes a bit of mystery out of it!)
- Or go to <https://detroitmi.gov/webapp/find-your-waste-pickup-schedule> to enter address and obtain schedule.

🔑 Recycling Cart (no garbage!):

- No plastic bags—as in Zed, Zilch, Zip, Nada, NONE! At all! Ever!! (No mystery here.)
- Flatten your boxes.
- Empty and rinse out bottle/jars.
- If you shred paper at home, put it into a **paper** bag, then into recycling cart.
- In doubt if something is recyclable—throw it into trash.
- Tissue papers, clean or dirty, are not recyclable.

🔑 Yard Waste (seasonal):

- In Brown Paper Waste bags ONLY, no plastic! Or put into 30-gallon trash bin that is boldly marked YARD WASTE.
- Bundle brush and limbs, in 4 ft lengths.

🔑 Bulk Waste:

- Up to 2 cubic yards per pickup.
- More than 2 cubic yds: Call DPW for a special paid pickup: 313-876-0004—it’s a good deal!

🔑 Hazardous Waste:

2000 E. Ferry Street, every Thursday from 7:30 am -2 pm and the 4th Saturday of each month, 8:00 am-2:00 pm. ID required to prove Detroit residency.

🔑 Recycle Styrofoam, batteries, light bulbs: No plastic bags—Cloth bags help solve that!

Recycle Here, 1331 Holden, open Mon & Wed 10am-6 pm; Sat 9 am-3 pm

🔑 Miss a pick-up of yard waste or bulk and can’t wait:

DPW Southfield Yard, 12255 Southfield Rd. Winter hours are M-Sat, 8:30 AM – 4 PM (closed from 12:30 – 1:30 PM). ID required to prove Detroit residency. Only one visit per day per resident