

City Of Lake Jackson

Sanitation Services



The City of Lake Jackson provides sanitation services to all its residents. This service includes twice weekly garbage pickup and twice monthly trash pickup. A resident may take small loads to a sanitary landfill. This service is provided by Sea Breeze Environmental Landfill located on FM 523. For more information please call 979-864-4442. Here is an overview of our rules and procedures.

Garbage Pickup

This includes household garbage and does not include leaves and grass clippings. You will receive your garbage pickup on Mondays and Thursdays, or Tuesdays and Fridays. Call City Hall at 415-2430 if you need more information.

Section 82-68 (b) of the Code of Ordinances states that garbage cans may **not** be placed at curbside for collection. Garbage bags shall be securely tied and placed out for collection **no sooner than 5:00 a.m. and no later than 8 a.m.** on the day of collection. **No bags above 35 gallons will be picked up.** Please do not use blue bags. This color is reserved for our recycling services.

Apartment dwellers should place your bags in the dumpsters located throughout your apartment complex. Homeowners, please do not dump your garbage in the dumpsters located around town. Those who have dumpsters pay a special fee for them.

Sharp objects (broken glass, long light bulbs, needles, etc.) should be wrapped or boxed and placed in the middle of the bag.

Heavy Trash Pickup

Section 82-1 of the Code of Ordinances states that “**Heavy Trash means normal household discarded furniture and appliances, oversize household trash, yard trash, and tree and shrubbery trimmings.**”

Heavy trash shall be placed at curbside for collection no sooner than 5 a.m. on Saturday preceding the individual’s regular heavy trash pickup week unless prior arrangements have been made for a special pickup. Remember, there is no heavy trash pickup on any 5th Monday of any month.

If your *Household Garbage* Pickup is: **Monday and Thursday**
then your *Heavy Trash* Pickup begins the: **1st and 3rd Mondays.**

If your *Household Garbage* Pickup is: **Tuesday and Friday,**
then your *Heavy Trash* Pickup begins the: **2nd and 4th Mondays.**

Leaves and grass clippings must be bagged. No bags larger than 35 gallons will be picked up.

Tree branches and limbs must be cut into 5-foot lengths no greater than 4 inches in diameter and bundled so one worker can easily pick it up.

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Tree or shrubbery trimmings cut by commercial services must be hauled off by the commercial service.

Doors on refrigerators and other appliances must be removed or tied shut in order to protect our adventurous youth from hurting themselves!

Building materials, such as roofing shingles, concrete, bricks and other construction debris, will NOT be picked up. You need to make arrangements to take this to the landfill located at 10310 FM 523 or call City Hall for a special trash pick-up. The residential special pick-up fee is \$18.82 per cubic yard of trash. (\$30.00 minimum).

Other Options

To properly dispose of used motor oil, oil filters, paint, old refrigerators, etc., please take it to the Mulching Site at 103 Canna Lane. This service is provided for **Lake Jackson residents ONLY. A Texas Drivers License is required to show proof of residency. Utility Bills will not be accepted.**

Oversized Loads

An oversized load is defined as over 64 cubic feet of debris or over 12 bags of leaves or grass clippings, (approximately the size of the bed of a normal sized pickup truck.) This includes yard debris, and will be assessed a Special Pick Up Fee of \$14.05 per cubic yard for brush, and \$19.25 per cubic yard for household debris. (\$30.00 minimum). Special Pick Up fees will be billed on your next water bill.

You have several disposal options:

- 20 cu. yd. Construction dumpster - \$323.88
- 30 cu. yd. Construction dumpster - \$485.83
- 40 cu. yd. Construction dumpster - \$644.45
- Take small quantities to the dumpster at the Mulch Site (**does not include construction or remodeling material**).

Contact the Public Works Department for additional information on the construction dumpsters.

Residents may dispose of tree limbs and other brush free of charge at The Mulch Site - 103 Canna Lane, near the hospital. The Mulch Site is open Tues – Fri from 8:30 – 4:30 (closed 11:45am-1:15pm for lunch) and on Saturday from 8:30 – 3:30. It is closed on Sunday and Monday.

Your Special Pick Up Cost is \$_____.

Please call the Public Works Department
at (979) 415-2430 to authorize the pick up.

City Representative:_____