

THE FACTS ABOUT TRASH AND GARBAGE COLLECTION IN FOSTERS MILL

BACKDOOR PICKUP* is between 7 a.m. and 7 p.m. Monday and Thursday.

- Household garbage must be in containers or in bags not over 40 gallons or 40 pounds.
- Recyclables must be in the container furnished by GFL or in paper bags or corrugated cardboard boxes.

***PLEASE** note that if your car is in the way of pickup, you must place your containers in front of your car because collectors will not take a chance on damaging your car in the collection process.

CURB PICKUP

- Tree and yard waste must be put out by the curb in containers or bags not over 40 gallons or weighing 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. These restrictions are necessary to accommodate quick pick-up and to avoid damage to the equipment in the crushing process.
- In addition, bulky items are to be placed at the curb area. Items, such as the following will be picked up on **EITHER** day: appliances, furniture, carpet (up to one room, rolled up 4 feet wide and less than 50 pounds), and cardboard boxes flattened. Items containing freon may not be put out unless there is written proof the freon has been removed.

- Items that WILL NOT be picked up are: dirt, rocks, bricks, concrete, tires, batteries, motor oil, cooking oil, hazardous materials and waste from private contractors.

***PLEASE** help the collection crews be consistent with backdoor pickup by your being consistent in following the guidelines above.

GFL can be contacted at 281-449-8500.

Items that can be collected at the curb either pickup day are: mattresses, box springs, bicycles, toys, car seats, grills (no propane tanks), televisions, sofas, chairs, tables