

# Household Waste and Recycling Service for Hunters Creek Village

## Service Collection Schedule

Household waste must be accessible at your backdoor by 7:00 am.

Service Hours- No earlier than 7:00 A.M. & no later than 7:00 P.M.

GFL Customer Service: 281-368-8397

### Pickup Days

Monday/Thursday or Tuesday/Friday

### Service Days (Bulk/Heavy Trash)

Second service day of the week

### Recycle Service Day

Wednesday

## Holiday Schedule - GFL observes the following holidays:

New Year's Day, Thanksgiving, and Christmas

***If your service day falls on one of the observed holidays, you will be serviced on the next scheduled service day.***

## Tree & Yard Waste Collection Guidelines

Tree, shrub and brush trimmings must be securely tied together and forming an easily handled package not exceeding five (5) feet in length or fifty (50) lbs. in weight or include any tree branches or trunks exceeding six (6) inches in diameter.

**If you have any questions, please contact the city Phone: 713-465-2150**

**Web Site:** <https://gflenv.com/>

## Accepted Items for Bulk/Heavy Trash

Stoves, refrigerators, water tanks, washing machines, furniture, mattresses, wood doors, fence boards, televisions, lightweight bathtubs, and appliances, tree branches or trunks over six (6) inches in diameter, lumber, carpets and other large or bulky items that do not fit in a Bag or Container. Each item of Bulky Waste shall not exceed eight (8) feet in length or four (4) feet in diameter or weight more than 300 pounds. Appliances containing refrigerants must have a tag attached to it certifying that a qualified technician has removed the refrigerant.

**Does not include tornado, hurricane, flood, or other local disaster debris waste or cleanup.**

## Recycling Guidelines

Household recycling must be placed in a recycling bin and out by 7:00 am on Wednesdays.

## Accepted Items for Recycling

Rubbish that qualifies as Recyclables consist of glass, paper (including newspaper, magazines, phone books, catalogs, junk mail, envelopes, file folders, computer paper, construction paper, colored paper, corrugated cardboard boxes (flattened and bundled), cereal and soda/beer boxes, gift boxes, wrapping paper), containers including aluminum cans, aluminum foil, plastic bottles/jugs/buckets (#1-#7) (excluding Styrofoam), metal food cans, metal pots and pans, scrap metal like nails, screws and gutters and copper.



## GARBAGE, YARD WASTE, AND RECYCLING ORDINANCE

City Council adopted regulations regarding the placement of receptacles for the collection and disposal of solid waste and recycling, enforcing the “back door” pickup policy:

- The point of collection must be behind the front building line and within 50 feet of a driveway and shall be accessible on the dates of collection.
- The point of collection may be screened from view but may not be located inside a gated fenced or walled enclosure unless the enclosure is solely for the purpose of storing garbage.
- Garbage must be stored and delivered to the point of collection in rigid enclosed containers that are reasonably resistant to being opened or disturbed by dogs or other wild or domesticated animals.
- Yard and garden waste must be tied into bundles or placed in appropriate disposable or permanent containers. Sturdy plastic bags may be used as containers for yard and garden waste.
- Recyclable materials shall be placed in designated containers identified for recycling.

Heavy trash shall be placed at the curb in front of the residence not more than 24 hours before the date designated for heavy trash collection and it is not required to be placed in any form of container. **Heavy trash** means any rubbish or trash generated upon the premises of a single-family residence that is of such size or weight that it cannot be placed in a container, and includes major appliances and tree limbs or trunks with a diameter of three inches or more. The term does not include any rubbish or trash generated from construction or restoration or renovation activity on the premises.

Bundle - Tree, shrub and brush trimmings or newspapers and magazines generated by a Residential Unit in the normal course of maintenance and securely tied together forming an easily handled package not exceeding five (5) feet in length or fifty (50) lbs in weight or include any tree branches or trunks exceeding six (6) inches in diameter.

Mayor,  
Jim Pappas