



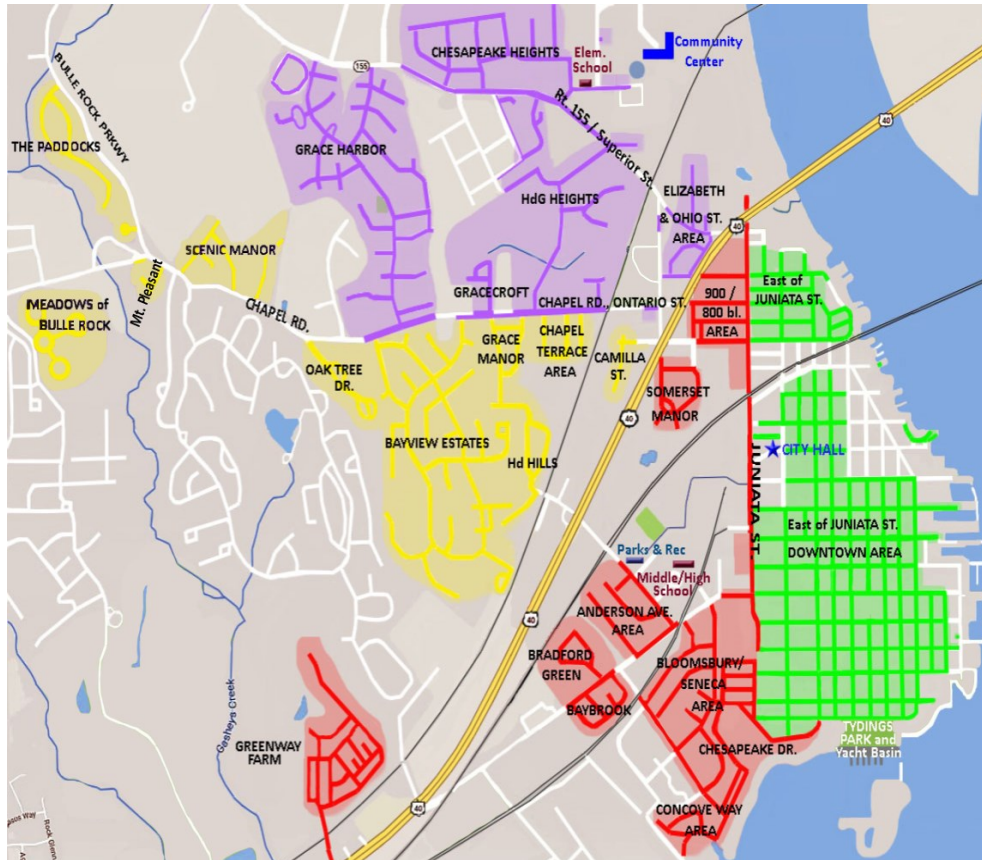
# 2024 Residential Curbside Collection Guide for City of Havre de Grace

Visit [www.havredegrace.org](http://www.havredegrace.org) for City Code, Chapter 162 Solid Waste

**Collections begin at 5:00 AM.** Please place containers curbside after 6pm the evening before your scheduled day, or no later than 5am the day of collection.

## Your Trash & Recyclable COLLECTION DAY by AREA\*

TUESDAYS WEDNESDAYS THURSDAYS FRIDAYS



## 2024 HOLIDAY DELAYS

**July 4<sup>th</sup>**, Thursday = 1 day delay  
Thursday Route collected Friday  
Friday Rte collected Saturday

**Thanksgiving Day** = 1 day delay  
Thursday Rte collected Friday  
Friday Rte, collected Saturday

**Christmas Day and New Year's Day**  
Wednesday Rte collected Thursday  
Thursday Rte collected Friday  
Friday Rte collected Saturday

**June 19, Juneteenth** - may cause a  
1 day delay Not known at this time.

## 2024 YARD WASTE CANCELED - for the week of these holidays:

Jan. 15	Dr. M. L. King, Jr. Day
Feb. 19	Presidents Day
May 27	Memorial Day
Sep. 2	Labor Day
Nov. 11	Veterans' Day

\* Residents in gated developments, apartments, condos, and commercial or business properties will need to check with their service provider.

## Good to Know about the Hauling Service

- 1,000+/- residential collections per day, per color-coded area
- Baltimore Co. Landfill:** This is where your garbage is transported to because the Harford County Landfill is no longer able to accept such large volumes of trash. (*Individuals can still take junk there.*)
- Yard Waste and Recyclables** however, are transported for disposal to Harford Co's Recycling Center. *No Fee for Disposal of Recyclables.*
- Load Denied:** Any non-recyclable items (*such as pizza boxes, plastic bags*) found in the hauler's load causes the entire load to be denied. This truck must then travel to Baltimore Co.'s Landfill and be emptied as trash... for a fee of \$117.00 per ton.
- Start time for collections is 5 am.** Why? The Baltimore County Landfill closes at 3 pm daily. In order to get all 1,000 households collected and emptied each day, the start time had to be adjusted.

## IMPORTANT DAYS/TIMES TO REMEMBER

- Cans out:** After 6pm night before or by 5am day of collection.
- Cans in:** Remove from curbside by 8pm of collection day.
- Yard Waste:** Collected Mondays - all year round.
- Metal Item Collected Fridays** - by City staff - reservation only. Call to schedule **410-939-5009** 8am-3pm Monday - Thursday.

## HOUSEHOLD TRASH



**SIZE** - When full, container cannot weigh over 50 lbs.

**Per City Code:**

All trash must be bagged & placed in approved containers as shown.

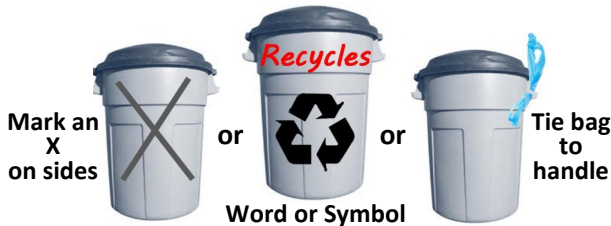
**NO LOOSE KITCHEN BAGS**

- Collected one day a week. (see map for your collection day of both trash & recycles)  
**Bag your trash then place bags in rubber, metal or plastic trash cans with handles and secure, tight-fitting lids.** Barrels are not permitted.  
 Cracked or broken cans must be replaced by owner.

Garbage ACCEPTED	NOT ACCEPTED
Non-hazardous items such as: Food scraps, food contaminated containers and cartons Paper towels, kitchen wastes, wipes, tissues, napkins, diapers Old clothing/towels/sheets that cannot be donated or reused	Hazardous waste Mattress/box spring, carpets, toilets, doors, windows, wood, pallets, furniture, car parts, wet latex paint cans, vacuums <b><i>Excessive amounts of trash, and trash placed out for evictions or home clean-outs will not be collected by the residential hauler</i></b>

**RECYCLABLES** - Collected same day as trash.  
 Containers must have a secure lid or weight placed on top to prevent animals or wind from causing a mess.

Container must be marked as shown to make it easy for hauler to recognize can.



**Plastic bags of any type must not be used to set out recyclables or yard waste for collection.**

**WHY?** Plastic bags jam the machinery at the sorting facility.

**If plastic bags are in the load, the hauler gets turned away. The entire load is considered "trash" and must go to Baltimore's Landfill to be dumped...at a cost.**

PAPER ACCEPTED		NOT ACCEPTED	
drink boxes cartons cereal boxes cardboard	office paper junk mail newspaper greeting cards	facial tissues wipes napkins paper towels plates/cups photo paper	laminated or waxed cardboard or paper contaminated food boxes, <b>pizza boxes</b>
PLASTICS ACCEPTED		NOT ACCEPTED	
buckets coolers cups - disposable plastic flower pots laundry baskets toys trash cans	<b>bottles, jugs</b> milk, water, detergent, shampoo salad dressing <b>wide-mouth containers</b> peanut butter, yogurt, margarine	plastic bags bread bags bubble wrap cutlery - forks, spoons CD cases electronics - alarm clock, coffee maker "K cups"	bakery/salad bar containers medical syringes motor oil bottles Styrofoam - cups, plates, packing material Straws
METAL & GLASS ACCEPTED		NOT ACCEPTED	
aluminum, tin, steel cans foil foil bakeware	<b>EMPTY</b> aerosol cans bottles jars	ceramics dishes drink glasses mirror windows	light bulbs, tube LED, fluorescent pots & pans propane cylinder

**YARD WASTE** - Collected Mondays, year round\*



**BAG** in Paper bags only - **no plastic bags**  
**BIN** - Place loosely in a trash-free container  
**BUNDLE** branches & hedge clippings.  
 Tie the bundles.

Yard Waste ACCEPTED	NOT ACCEPTED
Grass Clippings, Leaves Hedge Trimmings and Tree Limbs <b>up to 3ft L</b> bundled and tied with twine or string. Bundles up to 2ft W. Christmas Trees - whole	Tree limbs over 5" round and over 3ft L Dirt, Mulch, Rocks, Wooden Stakes & Pots <b><i>The following items must be taken to the Harford County Disposal Center or prepared as regular garbage disposal - secure in a bag and placed in can, not to exceed weight limit.</i></b> Bamboo Noxious Weeds, Poison Ivy, Oak or Sumac Diseased or Infested Plant Material



## HOW DO I DISPOSE OF ITEMS NOT ACCEPTED as Regular Household Trash, Recyclables or Items No Longer Useable?

*Bulky Items such as:*

FURNITURE, MATTRESS, BOX SPRING,  
HOT TUB, TOILETS, TUBS, SINKS, WINDOWS, DOORS,  
SIDING, TILE, FENCING, PALLETS, WOOD, TIRES,  
ELECTRONICS - COMPUTER MONITORS AND T.V.'s ?

**Residents can:**

1. Take to The **Harford County Disposal Center**  
**410.638.3018**  
**\$8.00** a car load, **\$11.00** a pick-up truck\* load.  
\*Size restrictions apply. No commercial vehicles  
**Mondays - Saturdays, 7am to 3pm,**  
3241 Scarboro Rd, Street, MD 21154  
Must show proof of Harford County residency

2. Contact a private hauler

## HOW DO I PREPARE THESE ITEMS for Disposal into Regular Trash?



### Latex (water-based) Paint -

Paint must be dry.

Remove lid to allow wet paint to air dry  
**OR** add sand or kitty litter to absorb it.

When dry, place can in regular trash.

Make sure lid is off.



**Shredded Paper** - place it in your  
backyard compost bin - **OR** put it in  
a securely tied bag and then put it  
in your regular trash can.



**Medical Sharps** - place them in a can -  
**pointy side down**, close the screw-on  
cap **tightly**, tape the cap to secure it,  
write "CONTAINS SHARPS" on the can,  
then put out with regular trash.

**Soiled bandages, disposable sheets, and medical gloves**  
must be placed in **securely fastened plastic bags** before  
you put them in the regular trash can.

## HOW DO I DISPOSE OF HAZARDOUS WASTE?

### HAZARDOUS WASTE ARE NOT PERMITTED IN REGULAR HOUSEHOLD GARBAGE.

Special dates are scheduled throughout the year  
for residents to bring their **Hazardous Waste** to  
the **Harford Co. Disposal Center**  
located at 3241 Scarboro Rd, Street, MD 21154.  
For upcoming dates, call: **410-638-3018**

### **Examples of Hazardous Waste are:**

Aerosol cans (*hairspray, cleaner, spray paint*)  
Fluorescent bulbs  
Anti-freeze, Motor Oil  
Oil-based paint  
Pesticides  
Propane cylinders  
Solvents, Gasoline

**GOOD to KNOW: Motor Oil & Anti-Freeze** can be  
disposed of in **Havre de Grace** at **4 Jerry Foster**  
**Way**, at the entrance to the City's **Waste Water**  
**Treatment Plant.**

Directions: from Revolution St. to Seneca Ave,  
right on Wilson St., right on Jerry Foster Way.



# Avoid the Landfill

## RECYCLING SUGGESTIONS & DISPOSAL SERVICES

### For GENTLY USED ITEMS

For **Free, Curbside Collections**, call:

**GOODWILL** 410.297.9136  
**Greendrop** 1.888.944.3767  
**ReSTORE** 443.567.7698  
**Salvation Army:** 800.728.7825

**GOOD to KNOW:** *Facebook Marketplace* is just one example of an easy way to offer your gently used items to others in need.

<b>GOODWILL</b>	<a href="http://www.goodwill.org/locator/">http://www.goodwill.org/locator/</a>
<b>GREENDROP</b>	<a href="https://www.gogreendrop.com/pick-up">https://www.gogreendrop.com/pick-up</a>
<b>ReSTORE</b> (Habitat for Humanity)	<a href="https://www.habitat.org/">https://www.habitat.org/</a>
<b>SALVATION ARMY</b>	<a href="https://satruck.org/donate/choose">https://satruck.org/donate/choose</a>
<b>AMVETS</b>	<a href="http://amvets.org/thrift-stores/">http://amvets.org/thrift-stores/</a>
<b>THE ARC</b>	<a href="https://donate.thearc.org/">https://donate.thearc.org/</a>
<b>PICKUP PLEASE</b>	<a href="https://pickupplease.org/donation-pickup/">https://pickupplease.org/donation-pickup/</a>
<b>PICKUPMYDONATION</b>	<a href="https://www.pickupmydonation.com/">https://www.pickupmydonation.com/</a>

**For easy drop off**, consider the following sites: (Please Call Ahead for Details)

<b>ALWAYS RECYCLING</b> 410.939.9201 here in HdG (Get \$ back for metal items)	<b>GOODWILL</b> <b>Aberdeen &amp; On-line</b> 410.297.9136	<b>ReSTORE</b> <b>Aberdeen</b> 443.567.7698	<b>TARGET Aberdeen</b> Recycling Stations are located inside the store for:
<b>ALL METAL ITEMS</b> such as: APPLIANCES EXERCISE EQUIPMENT GRILLS, MOWERS SWING SETS WATER HEATERS	<i>GENTLY USED</i> such as CLOTHING HOUSEHOLD ITEMS FURNITURE (not cloth) tables, chairs, dining sets, small area rugs, ELECTRONICS, TOYS, TOOLS, & <u>much more</u>	APPLIANCES BUILDING MATERIALS FURNITURE GENTLY USED HOUSEHOLD FURNISHINGS	ELECTRONICS - small in size such as: INK CARTRIDGES GPS devices, MP3 players MOBILE PHONES MEDIA DEVICES PLASTIC BAGS, BUBBLE WRAP BEVERAGE CONTAINERS aluminum, glass & plastic

<b>HOME DEPOT</b> 410.297.8930 <sup>2</sup> <b>LOWES</b> 443.456.7080	<b>MR. TIRE - Aberdeen</b> 410-272-2679 (small fee)	<b>BEST BUY Bel Air</b> 410.893.6101 <sup>1</sup> <b>STAPLES</b> 410.638.9543	<b>HARFORD WASTE DISPOSAL CENTER</b> 410.638.3638
BATTERIES (power tool only) CFL BULBS (Compact Fluorescent Light) CFL & Fluorescent Bulbs <sup>2</sup>	TIRES  <b>HARFORD WASTE DISPOSAL CENTER</b> 410.638.3638 (5 TIRES/year)	APPLIANCES BATTERIES CELL PHONES <sup>1</sup> ELECTRONICS PRINTER CARTRIDGES <sup>1</sup>	YARD WASTE RECYCLABLES REGULAR HOUSEHOLD GARBAGE HAZARDOUS WASTE (specific days a year)