



Important Good to Know Messages

The Town of Smithfield does not allow any item to be placed outside the Refuse Container for pick up except during special events such as Spring & Fall Cleanup Days. Just keep in mind, if it is not in the container with the lid shut it will not be picked up and should be taken to the many area convenience centers which are free to all county residents or you may also hire someone to remove items for you. Bay Disposal does offer this service, however there will be a charge that you will be responsible for, along with setting up an appointment with them for pick up.

If you have questions, they can be reached at 757-857-9700.

Recycling is also available at the 8 local convenience centers. These items can be combined and dumped.

See the Isle of Wight County website for locations and items allowed.

www.co.isle-of-wight.va.us/departments/solid_waste/recycling_program.php

If you need a new container, just call Bay Disposal 757-857-9700.

There is no charge for new containers, they just ask that the old container be accessible for pick up when they deliver the new one. However, if an additional container is needed there will be a charge and you will need to set up an account with Bay.

As spring approaches, we will begin to bag grass clippings. Bay Disposal will pick up a maximum of 10 bags per week per location and this takes place every Wednesday. If you have tree limbs, they cannot be any larger than 4' long and 3" in diameter. They will also have to be bundle together.

These items do not get picked up by the big garbage truck, but rather by a pickup and trailer. Once fall arrives we will begin to bag leaves and the same limits applied. We do ask that residents not rake leaves in the ditches which will cause a backup into the roads cause a hazard. Call Bay Disposal at 757-857-9700 to be added to the next upcoming pickup. All appointments need to be scheduled prior to the end of business day on the Friday to get on the upcoming Wednesday schedule.

NOTE: DO NOT PLACE ITEMS ON THE CURB WITHOUT AN APPOINTMENT

Also concerning placement and removal of Refuse containers.

Below is the Town Code that explains your requirements as a citizen of the Town of Smithfield.

-Failure to meet these requirements could result in Civil and/or Criminal Penalties.

Sec. 66-40. - Placement for collection; removal after collection.

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(a)

Receptacles containing garbage to be collected by the town or its agent shall be placed on the premises at the curb nearest to the rear or side entrance to such premises, if collection is to be made from the rear or side, or at some convenient place near the front entrance at the curb, if collection is to be made from the front. Receptacles shall be placed at pickup site after 6:00 p.m. the day prior to scheduled collection.

(b)

All receptacles in which garbage is placed and set out for removal shall, after they have been emptied, be removed by the persons to whom they belong on the day on which they are emptied. No garbage receptacle shall be set out on the street, at the curb or sidewalk again until the evening prior to the next succeeding day on which garbage is to be removed.