

Rules and Service Information for Residential Community Clean-Up

This is your official notice and schedule for the City of Clovis semi-annual Community Clean-Up Program, which provides for your disposal of many items not picked up through normal weekly waste collection services.

Which Residences? Single-family residences that are City of Clovis refuse customers. If your home is in a single-family complex, such as a PUD or condominium, please call your association for any special instructions.

When? A map is attached showing the pick-up date in your area. Put out your debris before 6 a.m. on the scheduled pick-up day, but absolutely **no sooner than 2 weeks prior** to that day. Every effort will be made to pick up your debris on the designated day. If it is not, please leave it out for pickup on the following day. **Placing waste out prior to two weeks before scheduled pick-up day will result in a special pickup fee.**

How? Because the City of Clovis recycles everything possible, it's important for everything to be separated into three categories: greenwaste, metal, and other debris (see chart). **Do not block gutters, traffic lanes, or bicycle lanes. Separate trucks will pick up the materials at various times of the day. Some debris may be picked up earlier than your scheduled day but the trucks will return on the scheduled day to pick up the rest of the debris. Be sure to have it out by 6:00 a.m.**

What Debris Will Be Picked Up? Review the chart on the opposite page to determine which debris qualifies for pickup. Remember, only debris that qualifies will be picked up! We will pick up each type of debris only once. If a certain type of debris, such as metal, green waste, lumber, or furnishings, has already been collected, do not place more of the same type of material out. To do so will incur a special pick-up fee (see item #1 below).

Are There Any Restrictions? Yes. Because the semi-annual pickup is such a major undertaking, we must require compliance with the following rules:

1. A special pick-up fee will be charged to the property owner and/or service address if any of the following conditions exist:
 - Items placed out sooner than 2 weeks prior to the designated date
 - Items placed out later than 6 a.m. on the scheduled pick-up day
 - Debris hauled in from another location
 - Excessive quantity - the program is limited to no more than 2 pickup loads of debris per household
 - Anything placed out after that type of material has already been collected in your neighborhood
 - Debris and materials that are not properly separated
2. Debris is to be placed at the curb directly in front of the property from which it is removed.
3. There will be **NO ALLEY PICKUP.**
4. All vehicles must be parked off the street during the day of collection until items are picked up. This reduces potential property damage and facilitates pickup.
5. Do not use your gray, blue, or green carts to hold community clean-up items. These carts will only be emptied by the regular drivers on your regularly scheduled pick-up day.
6. A clean-up fee will be charged to the property owner for cleanup of any spillage caused by the placement of prohibited items.

Keep gutters clean of debris, keep bicycle and traffic lanes clear.

*Residential clean-up and recycling serves the homeowners of Clovis.
Please help us make it efficient and successful.*