

# Kalamazoo FAQs

What time does the trash have to be out at the curb? All refuse must be placed at the curb by 6:00 a.m. on your collection day.

### What do you accept for curbside recycling?

<u>Acceptable</u>

Unacceptable

Aluminum and metal cans (labels do not have to be removed) Plastic #1 Plastic #2 Plastic #3 Plastic #4 Plastic #5 Plastic #6 Plastic #7 Newspaper (Please bundle or tie) Corrugated Cardboard/box board (i.e. cereal, soda, beer type packaging). Magazines Glass

Building Materials or scrap metal Waxed paper Window glass, light bulbs or ceramics Light bulbs Ceramic dishes Cookware Plastic or wax coated paper (milk cartons) Hardcover books Styrofoam

## Does the trash inside the cart have to bagged?

Yes. All trash must be bagged and placed inside the toter (if applicable) or your own personal trash cans. If you do not use trash cans please make sure your bagged trash is securely prepared.

#### Do you take large items and when?

Please contact a customer service representative 24 hours in advance of your pickup day to schedule a pickup for large items. We pick up most large items (such as appliances or furniture) on your normal trash pickup day (sometimes with a different vehicle). Additional charges may apply. Call us at (877) 698-7274.

#### What if we have extra bags?

Please call our office 24 hours in advance to advise us of the extra trash. There will be an extra charge for additional bags of trash.

#### When will you pick up my bagged leaves?

We will pick up leaves starting April 1 through November 30 for individual subscription accounts. If you are in a city or town where you pay for your trash service through you taxes, please contact your city or town for leaf removal instructions. Yard waste service not available in all areas. Please contact customer service to inquire if yard waste service is available in your area.



What will you not pick up? We will not pick up: flammable products tires manure dirt rock lead, acid/wet cell batteries toxic materials propane/oxygen/helium tanks explosives large amounts of animal waste

oil animal carcasses tree stumps stone brick railroad ties bio-hazardous materials or waste items containing gas or oil live ammunition or weapons oversized brush (longer than 4 feet in length or 6 inches in diameter)

bags weighing more than 50 pounds

... or any items that cannot be safely loaded by our crews for removal or any items that may damage our hauling equipment

#### When will you pick up my yard debris?

All yard waste to be collected must be prepared accordingly and placed to the curb for collection.

- Brush and limbs must be cut into 4-foot lengths, bundled with rope or twine and should not exceed 50 pounds.
- Tree limbs that are larger than 2 inches in diameter and 4 feet in length will not be collected. •

#### Where do you provide services?

We operate approximately 400 local hauling divisions nationwide, including in Michigan.

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