



Sustainability in Action

## Attention La Pine & Surrounding Area Customers

**\*\*With snow conditions upon us please note the following information\*\***

### Proper Placement of Trash Carts for Safe and Efficient Pickup

We hope this message finds you well. As part of our ongoing efforts to ensure safe, efficient, and effective waste collection, we kindly ask for your cooperation in properly placing your trash cart during heavy snowfall. Following these guidelines will help prevent damage to your cart, as well as ensure that the plow drivers can safely clear the snow and perform their duties without interruption.

### Cart Placement Guidelines

**Clearance:** Please ensure that there is at least 18 inches of space around your trash cart on all sides. This will allow the truck's arm to safely grab the cart and return it without tipping it over.

**Location:** When placing your cart, please position it 3-4 feet inside your driveway on the left-hand side (as you face the street from your home). This placement helps avoid potential issues with snow berms created by plowing.

**Avoid Hazardous Placement:** Please do not place your trash cart in the roadway or on top of snow berms. Such placement is hazardous and can cause damage to your cart. Additionally, it may obstruct the plow driver's ability to properly clear the snow from the road.

We greatly appreciate your attention to this matter and your continued partnership in maintaining a safe and efficient waste collection process. If you have any questions or need further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact our customer service team.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,  
Republic Services of Central Oregon