

**HOUSEHOLD TRASH, RECYCLING, YARD WASTE, BRUSH AND BULK ITEMS** will be collected on the assigned day of the week for your area:

**Mondays:** North of Maple Avenue and West of Mill Street

**Tuesdays:** North of Maple Avenue and East of Mill Street

**Wednesdays:** South of Maple Avenue and East of Park Street

**Thursdays:** South of Maple Avenue, West of Park Street and both sides of Tapawingo Road

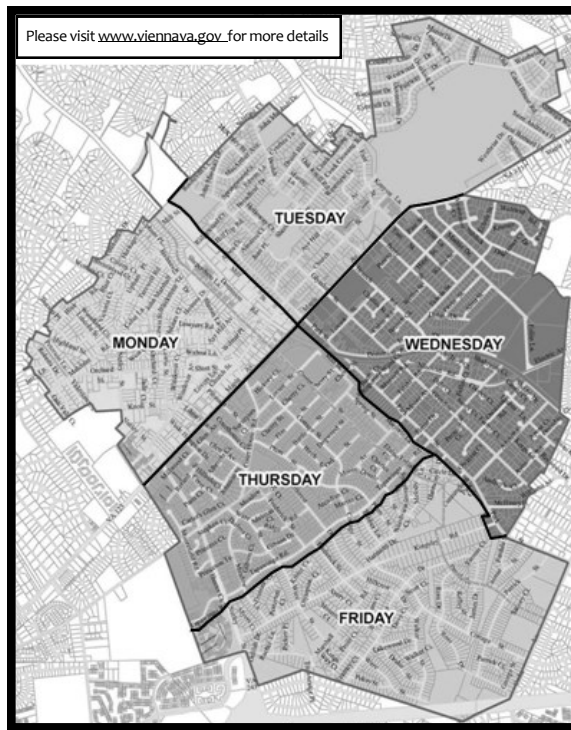
**Fridays:** South of Tapawingo Road and West of Park Street

*Each type of debris should be clearly separated at the curbline for ease of identification and collection.*

All debris must be placed at the curbline or edge of pavement by 6:00 AM on the collection day (but not earlier than 6:00 PM the preceding evening) where it will be easily and safely accessible.

Debris containers should not be placed on a sidewalk or in the street where they would interfere with traffic. All cans and containers should be removed from the curbline as soon as possible. The Town reserves the right to designate the collection point where there is question or doubt.

Container size shall be 55 gallons or less, be watertight with handles and tight fitting lids. Plastic bags may be substituted (opaque for household trash, clear for recycling and yard waste). Recyclable items may be placed together in the same container (single-stream recycling). Residents may use plastic bins, clean trash cans (clearly labelled as "recycle"), a cardboard box or clear plastic bags for containing recyclables.



### WEEKLY COLLECTION GUIDELINES

**Household Trash:** non-recyclable items that are generated during normal household activities and all garbage, including styrofoam, non-rechargeable batteries, non-fluorescent light bulbs and glass items.

**Recyclables:** including newspapers, books, magazines, catalogs, junk mail, flattened cardboard, paper, aerosol cans, aluminum cans and foil, plastic bottles, jars, jugs and tubs. Other plastic items are not recyclable and should be included in your regular household trash. Please also include bagged plastic bags and plastic film with your household trash—these items are not accepted at the recycling center because they get caught in the machinery.

**Yard Waste:** Yard waste consists of grass, leaves, small clippings, acorns, walnuts, etc. and should be set out loose in a can, in clear plastic bags or in Kraft paper bags. Dirt, mulch and sod are not collected by the Town. (20 bag maximum, 40 lb. weight limit each bag per week)

**Brush:** may be bundled, placed in a trash can or stacked neatly at the curbline. The size limit for brush is no more than 8 feet in length and no more than 6 inches in diameter. Brush shall be separated from the other types of debris.

### WEEKLY COLLECTION GUIDELINES, cont.

#### **Bulk Items:**

- Discarded furniture and playground equipment
- Three hundred pounds of scrap metal
- Small automobile parts such as engine blocks, transmissions
- Building materials (**not generated by contractors**) including wood, broken concrete, bricks or blocks, fences, drywall and paneling. Each residence is limited to three hundred pounds (approximately one wheelbarrow load) of masonry items such as brick, concrete, block, stone, rock, etc. per week.

**Computers and Televisions:** Fairfax County offers electronics recycling at the I66 Transfer Station. The Town collects electronics at their quarterly recycling events at the Northside Property Yard. Please call 703-255-6380 or consult your Town calendar for dates and times.

**Christmas Trees:** are collected any collection day with brush. Please remove decorations, including tinsel. Please do not bag the tree.

**Styrofoam and clamshell containers:** Styrofoam is not recyclable and should be included with regular household trash. The manufacturing process of clamshell containers renders them unrecyclable.

- In the interest of health and safety, trash crews will only dispose of defective trash cans that are no longer suitable for use when the cans are upside down and clearly marked "TAKE FOR DISPOSAL."
- Please refrain from placing piles of debris or brush under or around power lines and poles, signs, fire hydrants, fences, vehicles, trees or other obstructions. Place all items in an open area accessible to a crane truck.
- Parents should caution their children not to play in or around debris placed at the curb.

## GENERAL INFORMATION

Collection for regular household trash, single stream recyclables, brush, yard waste and bulk items will occur once weekly on the same day of the week.

If you have any questions regarding which day is your collection day, please do not hesitate to contact us at 703-255-6380.

Collection will not be scheduled for Sundays, Independence Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day or New Year's Day.

When a regular trash collection day is missed because of an observed holiday or mechanical difficulties, collections will be rescheduled for the next collection day for that week. The rescheduling information will be listed in the Town Calendar, on [www.viennava.gov](http://www.viennava.gov), Facebook and Twitter. Prescheduled changes will also be listed in your Town Newsletter and the Town Calendar that are distributed every year. To receive RSS feeds or Vienna Community Alerts, please visit our website.

Recycle stickers are available at Town Hall if your recycle can is not preprinted with the recycle symbol.

Household trash in Fairfax County is burned and turned into electric energy that is distributed to Fairfax County residents.

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## SPECIAL CONDITIONS

The Public Works Department does **NOT** pick up the following items:

1. Gas tanks
2. Fuel oil tanks
3. Any motor containing fuel
4. Pressurized tanks like propane, air or Freon
5. Tires
6. Tree stumps
7. Hazardous Materials including solvents, insecticides, fluorescent light tubes/bulbs, wet paint cans, etc. These items can be taken to Fairfax County's Hazardous Waste Disposal at the Fairfax County Transfer Station, 703-324-5068
8. Commercial Biohazardous Waste. (Properly contained home-generated medical waste may be included with your regular household trash. For more information, please visit [www.fairfaxcounty.gov/dpwes/trash/dispsharps.htm](http://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/dpwes/trash/dispsharps.htm))
9. Contractor-generated materials
10. Brush and trash that are mixed
11. Dirt, Mulch or Sod
12. White Goods including (but not limited to): stoves, cooktops; dishwashers, refrigerators, window air conditioners, whole house air conditioners, microwave ovens, hot water heaters, toaster ovens, convection ovens, garbage disposals, washing machines, dryers, dehumidifiers, humidifiers and furnaces.

# SOLID WASTE REGULATIONS

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