

Commerce City Residential Trash and Recycling Program Frequently Asked Questions



How do I report a service issue?

For missed pickups or other service-related issues, please call the Republic Services customer service line at **303-286-1200**.

Remember to place your cans out for service by 7 a.m. on your designated pickup day, and make sure they are at least two feet apart and six feet away from parked cars or other obstacles.

How can I find out my Service Day and recycling week?

Visit www.RepublicServices.com/schedule to get up-to-date information on your service schedule.

Or

Visit Commerce City's Trash page for a link to our interactive map. The map will show your trash and recycling pickup days and all related dates and events found in the annual mailer sent out to residents.

<https://my-trash-services-c3.hub.arcgis.com/>

What if the cans provided aren't big enough for my needs?

All items must fit entirely inside the can with the lid closed. Overfilled cans and items stacked beside or on top of the can will not be collected. If your trash and recycling needs exceed the containers provided (each home gets one 95-gallon trash can and one 95-gallon recycling can), additional containers are available for a fee.

- An additional trash can is \$3.75 per month (\$45 for the year).
- An additional recycling can is \$3.75 per month (\$45 for the year).

Additional can service can be ordered from Republic Services and will be billed directly to the resident. The city does not cover the cost of additional services. Call Republic Services at **303-286-1200** to order additional containers.

Can I swap my recycling can for a second trash can?

Yes. The city's trash and recycling program allows residents to opt out of the recycling program and exchange their recycling can for a second trash can free of charge.

This option is intended to reduce the amount of garbage in the city's recycling stream by preventing excess trash from ending up in residents' recycling cans.

Who is eligible for the city's free trash service?

The city provides residential trash and recycling service to all single-family homes and duplexes within the city boundary at no additional cost. The program does not include residents of unincorporated Adams County, so some residents who have a Commerce City mailing address may not be included if their address is not within the city limits. Visit www.c3gov.com/maps for a map of the city boundary.

Is large-item pickup included in the program?

The city's new program with Republic Services includes one free bulk item collection per quarter. Call Republic Services at 303-286-1200 to schedule. Additional bulk pickups are available at a cost of \$21.75 per item.

Republic Services also provides an annual curbside bulk pickup event where residents can place up to five bulk items at the curb for removal at no additional fee. The date of this annual event will be determined and publicized online, in the city newsletter, and more.

Does the city still have free landfill days?

Yes, the City's trash program includes 4 free landfill days at Tower Landfill. Please visit the City's trash webpage for dates to this year's Free Landfill dates.

<https://www.c3gov.com/Trash>

What should I do with compostable yard waste?

Grass, leaves, branches, and other plant debris are NOT recyclable and should go in your garbage container only.

The city offers 4 Green Waste Days for free to residents in the program. Two are held in the spring, and two are held in the fall each year. Visit the City's website to see this year's dates for free Green Waste Days.

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