

July 2016- June 2017 Town of Montreat Sanitation Collection Schedule

*Dates subject to change in the event of inclement weather.



Garbage/Recycling

Brush AND Bagged Leaves

Brush ONLY

Bulk Items/White Goods

Town Services Office Closed

NUMBERS TO KNOW: FIRE DISPATCH: (828) 419-9320 POLICE DISPATCH: (828) 419-9350 AFTER-HOURS WATER EMERGENCY: (828) 419-9350



Garbage Rules and Tips

- Place all garbage in water-tight containers with handles and secure lids. Mark all containers with house number.
- Containers may not be larger than 40-gallon capacity, and not to exceed 50 lbs. in weight when full.
- All containers must be at curbside by 8 a.m. and removed by the next morning.
- Use bear-proof containers for any garbage left out overnight. Approval is needed to place containers in public rights-of-way.
- “Back Door” collection is available at an additional cost.
- No construction or building materials, tires, or hazardous waste of any kind will be collected.
- **The Town of Montreat is offering a new, expanded program for disposing of trash and recyclables. For more information on how to purchase and dispose of the specially printed green trash bags and blue recycling bags imprinted with the Town of Montreat Seal please visit: <http://www.townofmontreat.org/Sanitation.htm>**



Reduce, Reuse, Recycle

- Recyclables are collected at curbside on the same schedule as household garbage.
- Use clear or transparent “blue bags” found at any area supermarket, Wal-Mart or Sam’s Club.
- Remove all lids and rinse containers. Place all lids and caps in recycling bag.
- No sorting needed! Household glass, numbered plastic items (Recycling Symbols #1 through #7), metal food cans, cereal boxes, juice containers, phone books, newspapers and mixed paper can all be placed in the same bag.
- Flatten and bundle all corrugated cardboard separately.



Brush and Leaf Collection

- Cut limbs to 6-foot lengths, not more than 6 inches in diameter.
- Limit brush piles to 3 cubic yards in size (about the size of a small pickup truck load).
- Place leaves in **biodegradable paper bags**, available at several local hardware and home supply stores.
- The Town WILL NOT collect brush or leaves deposited by private contractors, landscapers or tree removal companies.



Bulk Items and White Goods

- Collected twice-yearly at no cost, except for a **\$5 per-item** fee for mattresses and box springs (see reverse side for schedule).
- Acceptable items include furniture, mattresses, appliances, electronics, carpet, toys, air conditioners, and water heaters.



Special Collection Services Available

- Residents can arrange for additional leaf, yard waste or bulk item collection on unscheduled days. The minimum fee is \$25 and increases based on the amount, size or type of items to be collected.



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