



## Make Sure You Call-In & Schedule Your Bulky Item For Pickup

Lawndale residents are allowed 6 free pickups of large or bulky items with a maximum of 6 items or 10 bags of yard waste per pickup at no charge. These items can include refrigerators, sofas, mattresses, televisions, computers (and other electronic waste), and washers. Single-family residents that exceed the number of pickups, place more than 6 items out per pickup, or do not schedule their pickup in advance will be charged a per item fee. Please call Republic Services at (800) 299-4898 at least 24 hours in advance to schedule your pickup then place your items on the curb on your regular scheduled collection day by 6:30 a.m.

A special truck will pickup items before 5:00 p.m. Please note that size and weight are limited to what two (2) workers can lift safely.

Multi-family residents (5 units or more) should contact their building manager or Republic Services at (800) 299-4898 to arrange for disposal of large items.

Another opportunity to get rid of your bulky items will be at the city's spring and fall cleanups. Check the city's website for additional information and for the dates of the cleanups.

## FREE Sharps Disposal Kits



Many people use "sharps," such as needles, syringes, or lancets, to care for a medical condition at home. If someone in your family uses sharps, protect members of your family and trash and recycling collection workers by properly and safely disposing of used sharps.

Republic Services provides residents in Lawndale with up to four, FREE sharps disposal kits per year. These kits come with a one-gallon sharps container, instructions, and a pre-paid postage mailing packet to use when the container is full. Kits will be mailed to your home. There is a limit of one sharps disposal kit per household per quarter. To request a free kit, call Republic Services at (855) 737-7871, or email: sharps@republicservices.com

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## Disabled Resident Services and Senior Discounts

Republic Services offers cart wheel-out service, at no additional charge, for disabled customers who qualify.



Seniors 65 years of age and older, whom are considered head of household, receiving cart service are eligible for a discounted monthly rate. In order to see if you qualify, please contact Republic Services at (800) 299-4898.

## Holiday Collection Schedule

Collection will not occur on the following days:

- Memorial Day (May 25, 2020)
- Thanksgiving Day (Nov 26, 2020)
- 4th of July
- Christmas Day (Dec 25, 2020)
- Labor Day (Sept 7, 2020)
- New Year's Day (Jan 1, 2021)

Refuse, recycling and yard waste collections will be delayed one day following the holiday. If a holiday falls on a Saturday or Sunday, there will be no delays.

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# Refuse and Recycling Guide 2020



## Make Everyday Earth Day - Reduce, Reuse and Recycle!

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**ILLEGAL BULKY ITEM COLLECTION**

You are receiving this tag as a result of -

- 1) an unscheduled bulky item collection, or
- 2) more than 4 allowable items in this pickup

By order of the City and agreement with Republic Services, you are required to call in advance for pick up of any large bulky items.

Since that did not happen, you will be charged for the collection of \_\_\_\_\_ items.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Unscheduled Items: \_\_\_\_\_

For future bulky item collections or if you have any questions, please contact Republic Services at 800-299-4898

For Internal Use Only

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

No. of chargeable items: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_



# New Programs Are Here!

**Document Shred Events** – Annually, Republic will provide to Lawndale residents a place to safely dispose of sensitive documents/paperwork via drive through shred events. Disposal of up to 5 banker-size file boxes per car (24"wide x 12" high) is permitted. Watch your mail and Lawndale social media for dates.

**Compost Give-Away Events:** Republic Services will assist Lawndale residents to beautify their gardens by sponsoring two Compost Give-Away Events each year. Residents can bring their own containers and help themselves to nutrient rich compost soil. Please watch your mail and Lawndale social media for dates.

**Annual Food Drive Event:** Republic will hold an annual food drive to collect canned goods and other food items for distribution to local food banks.

**Facility Tours:** Republic offers the Lawndale community an opportunity to learn what its like to Work for Earth by offering free educational tours of our local facilities. Please contact (800)299-4898 for further information.

**Battery Recycling Program:** Republic will collect used batteries from Lawndale residents. Please put your used batteries inside a clear plastic sealable bag labeled "Used Batteries" and place the bag on top of your recycle container.

**Yard Waste:** Lawndale Residents are able to dispose of yard waste at the local American Waste Transfer Station at no charge. Simply show your proof of residency when you arrive.

Lawndale landscapers may also dispose of yard waste at a reduced rate. Please call (310)527-6980 for hours and pricing.

**Door to Door HHW:** Republic will provide pickup of household hazardous materials from Single Family and Multifamily customers at no additional cost. Call (800)-299-4898 for additional information or to schedule pick-up. Please visit our website for a list of acceptable materials.



# Single Family Cart Service



Republic Services provides semi-automated collection of refuse, recycling and yard waste for all single family and multi-family residents (4 or less units).

- Carts must be placed at the curb for collection by 6:30 a.m. the morning of collection day. The evening before your collection is the earliest time you may put carts curbside.
- Place all materials inside the containers.
- Remove your containers from the curb within 12 hours of being emptied.
- Carts must be able to close completely.

## Refuse

- Residents may select a 35, 60, or 90-gallon refuse cart. The size of the cart will determine the fee charged.
- Residents may request additional refuse cart for an additional fee.
- Periodically refuse generated may be more than what will fit into the cart. Residential customers are entitled to 2 annual pick-ups per calendar year of material that does not fit in the refuse cart in addition to the Bulky Item pickups. The extra refuse pick-up shall consist of up to the equivalent of 3 large bags, boxes or barrels. Please contact our customer service department at (800) 299-4898 to schedule a special pickup 24 hours in advance of your regular collection day.

All household waste can be placed in the refuse cart.

**DO NOT** place the following items in your cart:

- Hot ashes or coals
- Dirt, sod, or rocks
- Concrete, construction & demolition debris
- Heavy metal items (such as auto parts)
- Household Hazardous Waste (HHW)



## Recycling

If you regularly fill your recycle cart, you can request one additional recycle cart free of charge. For more than 2 carts, there will be an additional charge. Residents may select a 35, 60 or 90-gallon recycle cart.

The following items are recyclable:

- Newspaper
- Milk/juice cartons and drink boxes
- Flattened cardboard and cereal boxes
- Mixed paper (office, stationary, computer paper, junk mail, envelopes, magazines, phonebooks)
- Clean paper bags
- Plastic grocery bags (bundled in a bag)
- Glass beverage bottles and food jars
- Wire coat hangers
- Aluminum, tin and steel cans
- All colors and shapes of plastic containers and bottles marked with #1-#7.

Do NOT place in Blue Cart:

- Waxed & Carbon Paper
- Food & Liquid Waste
- Bathroom & Kitchen Waste
- Used Styrofoam, Paper Plates and Cups, Paper Towels and Tissue
- Clothing
- Yard Waste

## Yard Waste

Residents may place their yard waste in the 60 or 90-gallon cart provided and in bundles that are a maximum of 4 feet long and 18" in diameter.

Residents may request an additional yard waste cart for an additional fee.

Acceptable Yard Waste:

- Flowers
- Grass clippings
- Leaves
- Plant and weed trimmings
- Small branches and prunings (not to exceed 4 feet in length and 18 inches in diameter)

Non-acceptable Yard Waste:

- Palm fronds
- Yucca trees
- Ice plant clusters
- Dirt, sod or rocks
- Concrete
- Treated or painted wood
- Animal waste
- Large tree stumps
- Glass
- Metal
- Plastic bags, or
- Household garbage



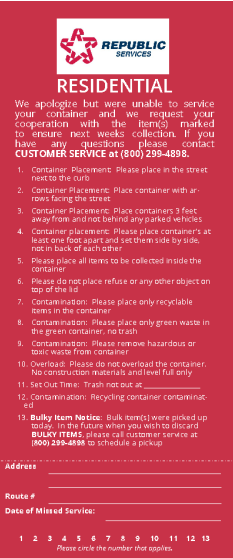
# Used Motor Oil & Filter Recycling



Before you change motor oil, check your vehicle owner's manual for the recommended oil change interval instead of defaulting to the old standard of 3,000 miles. Once you confirm the change interval, then recycling the used oil and filter is easy. Just follow these simple steps:

- Store your used motor oil and filter in a leak-proof container. Republic Services distributes used oil & filter collection containers at no charge. Pick one up at 4722 Manhattan Beach Blvd; Monday – Thursday 8:00 am – 5:00 pm.
- Republic Services will collect and recycle the used oil and filters placed at your curbside next to the refuse carts on your collection day.
- Do not mix oil with gasoline, automotive fluids, other liquids or debris. Contamination makes it hazardous and unrecyclable.

Please call Republic Services at (800) 299-4898 if you have any questions.



## RED Tags

If you happen to find one of these tags on your cart/bin, you are being notified that we were unable to service your cart. Please look at the tag to see what has been checked-off as the reason.

Please contact Customer Service if you have any questions at (800) 299-4898.

## Republic Services App

Account Management is just a click away with the Republic Services app. Request services, or pay bills online at <http://republicservices.com/paybill> or with the free mobile app.

