

**TOWN OF OLNEY SPRINGS**

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WASTE CONNECTIONS RESIDENT GUIDE

1. Collection time is weekly on WEDNESDAYS – have trash out by 6am or by the night before.
2. Cans must be within 5 feet of the curb and not obstructed by anything that would prevent pick up. Cans will not be picked up if they are not at the curb! To return will result in a return charge.
3. You are allowed 3 free extra bags (can also be 2 small personal cans no larger than 32 gallon and or 60lbs) anything over 3 bags will have extra charges depending on how frequently you go over 3 bags. Please be mindful that going over the 3 extra bag limits could mean charges up to $20 per bag as they charge the extra item fee for that. You might inquire about 2 totes instead of one. $32 for one tote, $47 for 2.
4. All extra items are $20 per item pick up. This includes mattresses, couches, or chairs. Please call the Town Hall to arrange an extra pick up for those items. No scrap metals will be picked up. You can call an outside agency for metal pick up at your own expense.
5. Totes are the property of Waste Connections. You are responsible for loss or damages to your tote (unless documented fault of waste connections) Replacement totes will cost $150.00 in the case of loss or damage.
6. DO NO put HOT items in the trash
7. In case of hypodermic needle use or loose razor blades, please place in approved sharps container or use hard plastic containers such as laundry soap containers with a secure lid and place the marked container visible with your trash so that it is visible to the drivers. This is to avoid accidental hazards to the drivers.
8. Do not throw away: household chemicals, paint, oil, live ammunition or explosives.
9. Do not place household liquid chemicals in plastic bottles in your totes or dumpsters. These such as bleach, ammonia etc., explode upon contact with the truck compaction equipment. This is not only hazardous to the drivers and could start a truck fire, it could potentially result in exposure to the chemicals in and or on your vehicles, sidewalk or on the street. Please be sure these containers are empty and rinsed before throwing away.
10. Please be sure pets are SECURED. Not only is this in an ordinance, but if the drivers are threatened by animals at large, the trash will not be picked up.
11. List of Holidays recognized by Waste connections: New Years Day, Memorial Day, Fourth of July, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day, and Christmas Day. If your pick up day falls on or after the holiday, all collection will be delayed 1 day. This does not apply if the Holiday falls on a Saturday or Sunday.
12. Please contact Town Hall if you have any questions or concerns. 719-267-5567 or 719-417-0466 or 719-417-0467.

There was one change to the 2yd and 3yd dumpster charges. A 2yd dumpster, dumped weekly is $75.00 a month. Or you can choose a by-weekly dump for $55.00 a month. A 3yd dumpster dumped weekly is $85.00 a month or you can choose a by-weekly dump for $65.00 a month. Please let Town Hall know if you need to make changes to your dumpster as currently everyone with dumpsters are on a weekly dump schedule.