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BOROUGH OF OAKLAND
RECYCLING / GARBAGE NEWSLETTER
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Oakland residents have year-round Garbage collection twice per week based on your side of town. In the case of a holiday, pickup is skipped until the next regularly scheduled garbage collection day.

Monday and Thursday garbage collection on the South side (see Streets)

Tuesday and Friday garbage collection on the North side

Both sides of town have a Recyclables collection every Wednesday.

Paper/ Cardboard or Commingled (bottles, cans, containers) are collected on alternate weeks.

Please check the enclosed dates for which material goes out on a particular day.

Residents must properly separate recyclables into two separate containers for collection or they cannot be picked up and will be left at the curb.

Food and drink cartons can be recycled with commingled. Our hauler accepts clean food and beverage cartons. For best recycling results, do not flatten the cartons.

Aerosol cans are not permitted in recyclables. Place in regular garbage.

GARBAGE DISPOSAL

Two 32-gallon garbage cans and only up to three large household items are eligible for pickup on any one collection day (such as furniture, mattresses and box springs). Do not use oversized cans or any full can weighing more than 50 pounds. **Carpet/padding must be cut, rolled and tied in three-foot lengths weighing no more than 50 pounds.** There is a limit of one room of carpet in any one collection.

Any excess amounts of garbage beyond these limits must wait for the next collection day. No home renovation material is allowed for curbside pickup. Please arrange for your own dumpster, contractor, or private hauling company to take away material.

Garbage and Recycling barrels must be placed at the curb prior to 5:00am on the day of your scheduled collection. Please note that it is unlawful to place garbage, recyclables, or yard waste at curbside earlier than 4:00pm prior to the day of collection. All empty barrels need to be removed from the curb before 9:00pm on collection day. **Please retrieve your empty cans from curbside as soon as possible.**

All Oakland garbage and recycling curbside collections are for residential homes only. No commercial businesses get picked up. Every attempt is made to collect garbage and recyclables during inclement weather, although severe weather conditions may delay or cancel collections. Thank you for understanding.

HOLIDAYS

There are no collections of garbage, recycling, metal/appliance or yard waste on the following holidays: New Year's Day, Memorial Day, 4th of July, Labor Day, Thanksgiving, and Christmas.

Jan 1	New Year's Day	Garbage collection skipped to next Thursday pickup
May 27	Memorial Day	Garbage collection skipped to next Thursday pickup
July 4	4 th of July	Metal/Appliance pickup is moved to Friday, July 5*
Sept 2	Labor Day	Garbage collection skipped to next Thursday pickup
Nov 28	Thanksgiving	Garbage collection skipped to next Monday pickup
Dec 25	Christmas	Recycling collection is moved to Thursday, December 26*

NEW! RECYCLE COACH For residents looking to reduce their household waste and become better recyclers, you can access the Recycle Coach platform from your desktop computer, mobile device, or through digital assistants like Alexa or Google Home. Recycle Coach makes it easy to get free information for thousands of household items.

- Become recycling experts with a comprehensive “What Goes Where?” search tool for common and uncommon items
- Take the “What Type of Recycler Are You?” quiz for useful tips and tricks
- Help increase Oakland's recycling rates and decrease contamination in our recycling stream

Download the Recycle Coach app for free at the iTunes Store or Google Play.

DUAL STREAM RECYCLING

Recyclable materials should be placed in a blue recycling barrel so materials can be easily identified and distinguished from regular garbage. **Please use the lid to keep moisture out of the paper/cardboard.**

Do not use any type or color of plastic bags to hold Paper/Cardboard or Commingled.

Plastic bags contaminate the recycling load and cannot be recycled in Oakland's curbside collection.

Recyclables placed in plastic bags will be left at the curb.

ShopRite, Stop & Shop and Staples collect clean small grocery bags for recycling. Do not use cardboard boxes for holding household garbage but do include them in your paper/cardboard recycling.

The Oakland Department of Public Works at 63 Oak Street sells the blue 32-gallon Recycling Barrel with lid for \$15.00. **Please bring cash in the exact dollar amount or check.** No credit cards are accepted.

Recyclable material must be separated from garbage at the source as per **NJ State law since 1987.**

Recyclable material placed at the curb is Borough of Oakland property. Notify the Oakland Police Department at 201-337-6171 if you see anyone other than our regular garbage hauler removing recyclables.

TOWNWIDE RECYCLING PICKUP EVERY WEDNESDAY CURBSIDE DUAL STREAM RECYCLING DAYS IN 2019

DUAL STREAM	PAPER/CARDBOARD	COMMINGLED
JANUARY	2 & 16 & 30	9 & 23
FEBRUARY	13 & 27	6 & 20
MARCH	13 & 27	6 & 20
APRIL	10 & 24	3 & 17
MAY	8 & 22	1 & 15 & 29
JUNE	5 & 19	12 & 26
JULY	3 & 17 & 31	10 & 24
AUGUST	14 & 28	7 & 21
SEPTEMBER	11 & 25	4 & 18
OCTOBER	9 & 23	2 & 16 & 30
NOVEMBER	6 & 20	13 & 27
DECEMBER	4 & 18	11 & *26

Please refer to these dates to determine which material to put out on a particular collection day. Paper/Cardboard **or** Commingled are picked up on alternating weeks. If a Wednesday recycling collection falls on a holiday, the makeup day is Thursday.

CARDBOARD AND ALL TYPES OF PAPER

Paper and cardboard are valuable recyclables and marketable commodities. Do not use cardboard boxes as a garbage receptacle but dispose of them properly with your paper recyclables. **Empty the boxes of all Styrofoam, peanut packaging, plastic, trash, etc.** This is strictly a paper/cardboard fiber collection only. Pizza boxes go in the regular garbage collection and not recycling.

ACCEPTABLE RECYCLABLE MATERIALS include

- **Mixed Paper**
 - Newspapers / Magazines / Catalogs / Telephone Books
 - Junk Mail / Envelopes / Flyers
 - Paperbacks / Hard Covered Books (remove hard cover and discard in garbage)
 - Office / School Papers / Scrap / Computer Paper
 - Wrapping Paper / Paper Bags
 - Shredded Paper (in paper bags)
- **Cardboard**
 - Flattened Boxes / Corrugated Cardboard / Paper Board
 - Cereal / Soda or Beer Boxes / Paper Egg Cartons / Shoe Boxes
 - Pasta / Frozen Food / Cookie Boxes
 - Tissue Boxes / Paper Towel or Toilet Paper Cardboard Rolls

COMMINGLED – GLASS, ALUMINUM, CANS, PLASTICS

Commingled recyclables can be placed together in your recycling barrel. Empty and rinse out recyclable items prior to putting them in your barrel. **Never use any kind of plastic bags to hold recyclables.**

ACCEPTABLE RECYCLABLE MATERIALS include

- **Food and Drink Cartons**
 - Refrigerated gable topped milk, juice, soup, beverage cartons
 - Shelf stable / Aseptic cartons
- **Plastic Containers of Grades #1, 2 or 5 Only**
 - Soda / Water / Soft Drink Bottles / Milk Jugs
 - Dairy / Yogurt / Margarine Containers / Cooking Oil / Salad Dressing Bottles
 - Laundry Detergent / Shampoo Bottles / Aspirin Containers
- **Glass Bottles and Jars**
 - Glass Containers of all colors
 - Beverage Bottles and Food Jars (clean)
- **Metal Cans**
 - Aluminum Cans (Soda, Beer) / Aluminum Foil / Aluminum Trays (if clean)
 - Tin / Steel Cans (Soup, Fruit, Tuna)
 - Pet Food Cans (clean) / Coffee Cans / Food and Drink Cans

DO NOT INCLUDE with recyclables

- Lids, Caps, Tops, Straws
- Plastics Grade #3, 4, 6, or no number
- Pizza Boxes, Food Platters
- Drink or Squeezable Snack Pouches
- Plastic Bags (Shopping, Dry Cleaning)
- Ziploc, Frozen Food Bags, Saran Wrap
- Plastic or Styrofoam Clamshell Containers
- Plastic Plates, Cups or Utensils
- Takeout Food Containers, Microwave Trays
- Styrofoam (Coffee cups, plates)
- Polystyrene of any kind (Packaging Peanuts)
- Flowerpots or plant trays
- Pots, Pans, Dishes, General household items
- Ceramics, Pottery, Glass vases
- Paint cans
- Pesticide, Antifreeze, Motor oil containers
- Mirrors, Windowpanes, Lightbulbs
- Small Appliances or Electronics
- Liquids or Garbage
- Rigid Plastics (Toys, Crates, Lawn Furniture)
- 5 Gallon Buckets, Kitty Litter Buckets
- Pool Toys, Floats or Covers
- Tarps, Coolers
- PVC Pipes, Hoses, Electrical Cords
- Car Seats, Tires
- Needles or Syringes
- Scrap Metal, Wire, Cables

MERCURY FLUORESCENT LIGHT BULBS

Fluorescent light bulbs are considered a hazardous material. Oakland residents can drop off bulbs at the Department of Public Works building located at 63 Oak Street between 8:30am-4:00pm Monday-Friday. Only **unbroken bulbs** are accepted. We accept **hand held bulbs and tubes no longer than 4 feet**, from residents' homes only (**no commercial businesses**). **Businesses must make their own private collection arrangements.**

Download the **FREE** Waste & Recycling App



Custom Collection Calendar



Weekly Collection Reminders



What Goes Where Search Tool

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Real-time News Updates



Easy Problem Reporting

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Search 'Recycle Coach'

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ELECTRONICS

The D.P.W. picks up electronics from **Oakland residents** on the **first and third Wednesday** of every month. If that happens to be a holiday or a snow event, then they will collect on the following day. Commercial businesses are not included in this collection. Businesses can bring electronics to the bcua.org location for a fee.

JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
2	6	6	3	1	5	3	7	4	2	6	4
16	20	20	17	15	19	17	21	18	16	20	18

Please call the D.P.W. at 201-337-8104 ext. 3001 or 3002 before pickup to be put on the collection list. Place material at the curb by your driveway the night before collection, where it can be easily seen.

Electronics accepted for recycling include

- Computers (desktop or portable)
- Modems / Video Game Consoles
- Keyboards / Mouse / Computer Parts
- Large or Small Copiers / Printers
- Monitors / Office Electronics
- Used / New Toner or Ink Cartridges
- Televisions and Microwaves
- VCRs / DVD / CD / MP3 Players
- Circuit Boards / Hard Drives / PC Cards
- Cameras / Camcorders
- Cables / Wires / Power Sources
- Radio / Stereo / Speakers
- Telephones / Cell Phones
- Fax Machines / Scanners

The electronics are taken to a N.J. licensed de-manufacturer to have the hazardous materials removed (lead, mercury, cadmium, nickel, zinc, etc.) and disposed of properly according to all N.J. regulations.

HOUSEHOLD APPLIANCES AND METALS

Appliances and other Metals are collected on the **first Thursday** of every month.

JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
3	7	7	4	2	6	*5	1	5	3	7	5

The 4th of July Metals pick-up will be on Friday, July 5, 2019.

Call the D.P.W. at 201-337-8104 ext. 3001 or 3002 before pickup if you are putting out appliances with cooling elements, such as refrigerators, freezers, air conditioners, water coolers, dehumidifiers, ice makers, etc. **Remove the refrigerator doors for child safety before putting out to the curb.** Other metal materials do not have to be called in to the DPW.

Acceptable Metal items include household appliances such as washer, dryer, stove, hot water heater, metal shelving, barbecue grill (no propane tank or cover), all metal furniture, push mower and snow blower. **Empty all gas and oil from push mowers or snow blowers before pick-up.** Riding mowers or other heavy, large items are not permitted in the collection.

YARD AND VEGETATIVE WASTE

Yard waste is collected every **Monday or Tuesday depending on your side of town**. If Monday is your garbage collection, Tuesday is your yard waste pickup. If Friday is your garbage collection, Monday is your yard waste pickup. **If your yard waste pickup falls on Memorial Day or Labor Day holiday, there is a makeup collection the next day (Tuesday).**

This service begins Monday, April 1, 2019 or Tuesday, April 2, 2019 and ends Monday, December 9, 2019 or Tuesday, December 10, 2019. There is no yard waste collection during the winter months. Yard waste is never permitted in the household garbage collection. Do not put any yard waste in plastic bags.

Yard waste should be placed at the curb in open containers no larger than 32 gallons in size or in paper leaf bags. The barrels cannot weigh more than 50 pounds. No large green/orange landscaper barrels or large wheeled barrels allowed. Small paper grocery bags or plastic bags of any kind or color are prohibited. Yard waste in plastic bags must be left at the curb, not collected. The compost facility is not open to the public. All collections are done curbside from residential homes. No commercial properties.

Leaves and grass may be placed together in the same container. Sticks, brush, and branches should be bundled and tied together, not exceeding 4 inches in diameter or 4 feet in length. **The bundles may not exceed 50 pounds.** Branches can also be put in a garbage can if not sticking out the top or overweight. Pumpkins can be put in the yard waste collection. Trees, logs, stumps or machined wood (2x4's etc.) are not eligible for pickup. Please make your own arrangements for disposal of these large and heavy items.

Help reduce the cost of yard waste disposal by using a mulching mower instead of bagging your grass clippings. Grass clippings on the ground are reabsorbed and provide vital nutrients and moisture to your lawn.

The **Oakland D.P.W.** offers residents the opportunity to purchase **backyard compost bins (Earth Machines)** at a reduced rate of \$60.00 throughout the year. Please bring cash in the exact dollar amount or check. No credit cards are accepted. Compost improves your soil and supports healthy plant roots. Turn some of your yard waste into valuable compost to use in your garden or flower beds.

Christmas trees are collected from curbside on a random basis during the entire month of January. Remove any plastic bag, lights, decorations or tree stand from the tree before putting out to the curb for the DPW to collect.

Tree Removal Permit: Call the Oakland Shade Tree Commission at 201-337-8104 ext. 3022. They will come out to your property and inspect the tree or trees before you can be issued a permit.

UNACCEPTABLE WASTE

Construction waste material is the responsibility of the generator (homeowner, contractor or business). **Building or renovation materials are never eligible for pickup.** Materials include cabinetry, countertops, garage doors, building lumber, siding, paneling, sheetrock, tile, plywood, roofing material, doors, windows, toilets, tubs, sinks, etc. Also, no concrete, brick, block, asphalt or stone. No railroad ties, pianos, hot tubs, etc.

If you have bulk waste or large heavy items, please make private arrangements for your own dumpster, removal by contractor, or private hauling company to dispose of material.

STORMWATER MANAGEMENT

Stormwater runoff pollution is a big challenge to clean water and can contaminate our drinking water, kill fish, wildlife, and plants, and negatively impact recreational activity such as swimming, fishing, and boating. Runoff is washed by rain into storm drains which flow directly into streams, lakes, rivers or the ocean.

- Use fertilizer sparingly and sweep off driveways and sidewalks. Too much fertilizer washing into a lake can cause an algae bloom. Choose a low phosphorus, slow-release nitrogen fertilizer
- Don't dump anything in storm drains – detergents, motor oil, gas, anti-freeze, pesticides
- Clean up after your dog and dispose of waste properly
- Throw your trash in the garbage. Please do not litter
- Do not throw cigarette butts on the ground or out the window of a car. This is the number one littered item in the USA and lit cigarettes can cause forest fires
- Please keep catch basins clear of any debris if you have one near your house

Please report any littering or illegal dumping to the Oakland Police Department at 201-337-6171.

HOUSEHOLD BATTERIES

Recyclable batteries only are accepted in collection boxes at the D.P.W. building and in Borough Hall. This collection is for residents only (no businesses). **Alkaline batteries are not considered hazardous waste and are safe to dispose in regular garbage pickup.** Specifically, small rechargeable and non-alkaline batteries are recyclable. Examples include nickel cadmium (Ni-Cd), small sealed lead, nickel zinc (Ni-Zn), nickel metal hydride (Ni-MH), silver oxide, and button cell. Rechargeable batteries may be found in cordless power tools, remotes, cell phones, laptops, digital cameras, two-way radios, camcorders, remote control toys, etc. **Residents must separately bag or tape the ends of each individual battery to prevent a short circuit and fire in transport.** Plastic bags are available on the collection boxes to place individual batteries safely. Large batteries (car, motorcycle, boat etc.) are **not accepted**. Most auto parts stores or gas stations accept them for recycling.

ADDITIONAL ITEMS

Textile/clothing bins are located behind Borough Hall. All types of clean, dry textiles are accepted: clothing, shoes, sheets, blankets, curtains, towels, small stuffed animals, etc. Please do not leave items outside of the bins.

Hazardous Waste: For collection dates, locations, or questions, contact the Bergen County Hazardous Waste Hotline at 201-807-5825 or online at www.bcua.org. This program is free to Bergen County residents. Proof of residency is required. Businesses must pre-register prior to attending collection events and pay a disposal fee.

Paint: **Oil based paint** is considered a hazardous material and should be brought to the BCUA hazardous waste collections sites in liquid form. Latex or **water-based paint** in solid form is not hazardous. You may dry out water-based paint with kitty litter or speedy dry until it is no longer pourable (solidified). Keep the lid off and place in a plastic bag to safely dispose in the regular garbage collection. **Paint cans are not recyclable.**

Residential Paper Shredding event to see your confidential documents and files shredded securely on site. Commercial and business documents are not accepted. **Saturday May 11, 2019** at 9:00am-1:00pm in Borough Hall parking lot (rain or shine). Items not accepted are hardcover books, magazines, newspapers, photographs, binders, x-rays, plastic or non-paper materials.

MISCELLANEOUS

Prescription Drug drop off is available inside the Police Department lobby all year round.

If a **street light is out**, notify the Oakland Police Department at non-emergency number 201-337-6171.

Do not idle your vehicle more than three minutes. Motor vehicles are a leading contributor to air pollution.

Please use reusable bags when shopping. Less plastic bags used will help the environment.

Litter is more than just a blight on our landscape. Litter is costly to clean up, impacts our quality of life, and eventually ends up in our waterways and oceans.

Plant trees to remove pollution from the atmosphere, improving air quality and human health. Trees lower surface and air temperatures by providing shade. Carefully positioned trees can reduce a household's energy consumption for heating and cooling.

RECYCLING IS THE LAW

Recycling is the law for all residents, schools, municipalities and businesses. **No one is exempt.** By reducing, reusing, and recycling waste generated at home, you can help the Borough control expenses.

Recycling

- **Saves our tax dollars by paying to haul less garbage tonnage**
- Generates revenue for the Borough of Oakland
- Earns grant money for every ton we recycle
- Reduces the amount of trash going to the landfill or incinerator

All establishments must ensure that a recycling system is in place. **You are responsible, not your trash hauler, for separating all recycling materials from the garbage.** Please do your part to reduce the amount of trash you put to the curb. Recycling involves the re-processing of old and used materials into new or reusable products. Recycling is good for the environment and **every ton recycled saves Oakland money.** Recycling is easy and convenient.

Non-recyclable trash that makes its way into recyclables creates serious quality control issues and negatively affects the economics of recycling and is undoubtedly one of the biggest challenges facing recycling today.

For specific recycling questions or concerns, please contact the **Recycling Department at 201-337-8104 ext. 3007** or send an email to recycle@oakland-nj.org, or call the **Department of Public Works at 201-337-8104 ext. 3001 or 3002 between 8:30am-4:00pm Monday-Friday.**

THANK YOU FOR YOUR COOPERATION IN MAKING OAKLAND'S RECYCLING PROGRAM A CONTINUED SUCCESS.

**GARBAGE COLLECTION STREETS
EFFECTIVE JANUARY 2019**

Monday and Thursday

Academy Circle	Demarest Avenue	Huron Avenue	Municipal Plaza	Raritan Road	Terhune Street
Acorn Avenue	Dogwood Drive	Iron Horse Road	Navajo Way	River Road	Third Street
Allerman Road	Doty Road	Island Terrace	Nielsen Avenue	Riverside Drive	Thornton Road
Aspen Way	East Oak Street	Jerome Avenue	Nokomis Avenue	Rockaway Avenue	Truman Blvd
Bailey Avenue	East Court	Lakeshore Drive	North Shore Drive	Roosevelt Blvd	Valley View Ave
Bannehr Street	Edison Avenue	Lakeview Terrace	Oak Street	Roth Avenue	Van Vooren Dr
Barbara Lane	Elm Street	Laura Lane	Page Drive	Rye Cliff Road	Veterans Drive
Bauer Drive	Fir Court	Laurel Court	Park Drive	Ryerson Street	Walnut Street
Birch Avenue	First Street	Lawlor Drive	Plaza Road	Second Street	Walton Avenue
Breakneck Road	Florence Avenue	Lenape Lane	Ponds Way	Sheffield Street	West Court
Bush Plaza	Fox Court	Long Hill Road	Pool Hollow Road	Shelter Lane	West Oakland Ave
Butternut Court	Garrison Place	Mandigo Avenue	Pool Hollow Trail	Silver Birch Ave	West Sheffield St
Cedar Street	Grandview Ave	Maple Avenue	Poplar Street	Sioux Avenue	West Street
Center Avenue	Grove Street	Martha Place	Post Road	Skyline Drive	Winters Street
Center Street	Hannah Road	McCoy Road	Potash Road	South Shore Drive	Wright Way
Court House Pl	Hatfield Road	McNomee Street	Powdermill Lane	Spear Street	Yawpo Avenue
Crosby Lane	Hemlock Street	Mohawk Avenue	Ramapo Avenue	Spring Avenue	
Dacotah Avenue	Hickory Drive	Morton Place	Ramapo Terrace	Spruce Street	
Deer Lawn Court	Hillside Avenue	Mountain View Ave	Ramapo Valley Rd.	Stone Fence Road	
Deer Ledge Rd	Hopper Street	Muller Road	(Rt.202 S of Rt.287)	Sykes Road	

Tuesday and Friday

Algonquin Trail	Cobblestone Ct	Harvard Way	Maple Drive	Raeben Avenue	Thunderbird Dr
Allen Drive	Cold Springs Rd	Heath Drive	Massasoit Trail	Ramapo River Trace	Timberline Lane
Andrew Avenue	Colgate Road	Hiawatha Blvd	Meadowlark Court	Ramapo Hills Blvd	Tomahawk Trail
Apache Drive	Columbia Way	Hidden Gorge	Minnehaha Blvd	Ramapo Valley Rd	Tulane Road
Arapaho Court	Commanche Trail	Highland Cross	Minsi Place	(Rt.202 N of Rt.287)	Tuscarora Drive
Arrowhead Road	Concord Lane	High Mountain Rd	Monhegan Avenue	River Dell	Valley Forge
Barnard Drive	Conestoga Court	Hilltop Lane	Morningstar Lane	Robin Lane	Vassar Place
Bears Den	Cornell Place	Hobart Place	Mountain Lakes Rd	Rock Ledge	Washington St
Beech Street	Cree Court	Hobby Lane	Mt. Holyoke Drive	Rutgers Drive	Water's Edge
Blackfoot Trail	Crooked Hill	Hopi Court	Oneida Avenue	Saratoga Drive	Wayside Mews
Boulder Run	Dartmouth Way	Hunters Run	Osage Road	Seminole Avenue	Wellesley Drive
Brandywine Pl	Eagle Crest	Ithaca Place	Oswego Avenue	Seneca Avenue	Wenonah Ave
Brook Hollow	Falling Waters	Iroquois Avenue	Overlook Ridge	Seton Hall Drive	Whispering Woods
Calumet Avenue	Fieldstone Court	Judith Lane	Patriots Way	Shadow Lane	Whittier Lane
Cardinal Drive	Foothills Lane	Kingsley Evans Circle	Pawnee Avenue	Shelly Street	Wichita Path
Cayuga Avenue	Fordham Road	Kiowa Terrace	Pequot Path	Shoshone Path	Wilson Street
Chapel Hill Rd	Forest Street	Knoll Woods	Pima Court	Sienna Way	Winding Ridge
Cherokee Trail	Franklin Avenue	Lakeside Boulevard	Pine Crest Drive	Sky Top Ridge	Woodcrest
Cheyenne Court	Gates End	Lee Way	Point View	Stevens Place	Woods End
Chicasaw Drive	Geronimo Way	Lehigh Way	Powhatan Path	Stony Point Road	Yale Way
Chuckanut Dr	Glen Gray Road	Loyola Place	Princeton Terrace	Tecumseh Trail	Yuma Court
Church Lane	Greene Way	Manito Avenue	Purdue Avenue	Thackeray Road	



2019 Recycle These Items

All Items Must Be Rinsed and Clean: Remove all caps, tops and lids (they are not recyclable)
No trash in recycling. No unsorted recyclables. Acceptable recyclables must be separated.

Paper/Cardboard

Jan 2, 16, 30		Newspapers
Feb 13, 27		Magazines
March 13, 27		Office / School Papers
April 10, 24		Junk Mail
May 8, 22		Cardboard
June 5, 19		Paper Board
July 3, 17, 31		Wrapping/Shredded Paper
Aug 14, 28		Paper Bags
Sept 11, 25		
Oct 9, 23		
Nov 6, 20		
Dec 4, 18		

Plastic #1, 2 & 5

Jan 9, 23,		Soda, Water, Milk
Feb 6, 20		Detergent, Cleaners, Shampoo
March 6, 20		Dairy: Yogurt, Butter, etc.
April 3, 17		
May 1, 15, 29		
June 12, 26		
July 10, 24		
Aug 7, 21		Food and Drink Cartons
Sept 4, 18		
Oct 2, 16, 30		
Nov 13, 27		
Dec 11, 26		Aluminum Containers

Glass & Metal



Bottles and Cans

Do Not Recycle



YES

Oakland Recycles
Borough of Oakland
Oakland Environmental Commission
<http://www.oakland-nj.org>
Email: ec@oakland-nj.org



NO

Plastic Bags: Bring to ShopRite or Staples.
Electronics: 1st/3rd Wed.
call DPW: 201-337-8104
Email: recycle@oakland-nj.org



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GARBAGE / RECYCLING SCHEDULE ENCLOSED

**Borough of Oakland
Recycling Department
1 Municipal Plaza
Oakland, NJ 07436**

**LOCAL POSTAL CUSTOMER
OAKLAND, NEW JERSEY 07436**



Please Practice the 3 R's – Reduce, Reuse and Recycle