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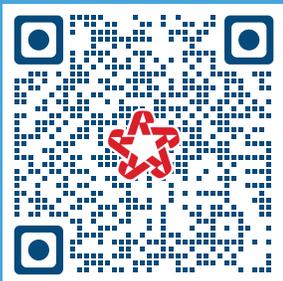
Sustainability in Action

City of Kent

2025 Residential Recycling, Garbage
& Food and Yard Waste Guide

RepublicServicesKent.com
206.682.9735

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Learn how to keep your recycling and food and yard waste carts clean from contamination by visiting **RepublicServicesKent.com**

Recycling/Reciclaje

Make sure your recyclables are **empty, clean and dry.**
Asegúrese de que sus materiales reciclables estén **vacíos, limpios y secos.**

Clean Paper/Papel Limpio



Clean Plastic/Plástico Limpio



Clean Glass/Vidrio Limpio



Clean Metal/Metal Limpio



Cart Color: Blue | Available Cart Sizes: 32-Gallon, 64-Gallon, 96-Gallon



Do not bag recyclables



No food or liquid



No shredded paper



No plastic bags, film or wrappers
Visit Nextrex.com for drop-off locations



Max. 60 lbs.

Food & Yard Waste/ Desechos de Comida y Jardín

Yard waste, food scraps and food-soiled paper.
Desechos de jardín, restos de comida y papel contaminado con comida.

Yard Debris/Escombros de Jardín



Food Waste/Desechos Alimentarios



Easy Food Scrap Recycling/ Fácil reciclaje de restos de comida



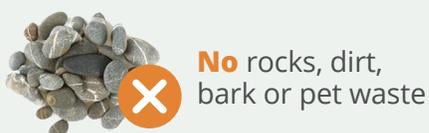
1. Keep compost container near the sink
2. Add food scraps and food-soiled paper, such as napkins
3. When full, empty into your yard waste cart

Food-Soiled Paper/Papel con manchas de comida



Available Cart Sizes: 32-Gallon, 64-Gallon, 96-Gallon

- ✓ Cedar Grove-approved compostable bags are OK
- ✓ Extras may be placed in paper lawn bags, boxes or cans clearly labeled "yard waste". Untreated wood/branches may be bundled with natural twine (max is 4 ft. x 2 ft.) No food scraps in extra containers.



Max. 60 lbs.

Garbage/Basura

Bag all garbage. Close cart lid. *Embolsa toda la basura. Cierre la tapa del carro.*

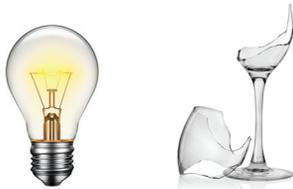
Wrappers, Food Packaging & Dirty Items/ *Envoltorios, envases de alimentos y artículos sucios*



Plastic/Plástico



Glass/Vidrio



Metal/Metal



Miscellaneous/Misceláneos



Available Cart Sizes: 13-Gallon, 20-Gallon, 32-Gallon, 45-Gallon, 64-Gallon, 96-Gallon

- ✓ Bag all trash. Fees apply for extra trash
- ✓ Keep lids closed tight. Fees apply for unclosed lids
- ✓ Extras may be collected in securely tied plastic bags and clearly labeled as "trash" (max. 60 lbs.) Fees apply for each extra 32-gallon unit of garbage



No loose sharps



No hot coals



No hazardous waste



Max. 60 lbs.

Hazardous Waste

Do not put in recycling, organics or garbage carts.

Oil-Based Paint & Solvents



Find drop-off sites at PaintCare.org

Batteries



Fuel



Cleaners



Weed/Bug Killer



Auto Fluids



Thermostats & Thermometers with Mercury



Safely dispose of hazardous waste items at no cost. Visit hazwastehelp.org for more information.

- Auburn Wastemobile | 1101 Outlet Collection Way, Auburn
- Fatoria Household Hazardous Waste Drop-Off Site | 13800 SE 32nd St., Bellevue
- South Seattle Household Hazardous Waste Facility | 8100 2nd Ave. S, Seattle

Expired/Unwanted Medicine



Find drop-off sites at MedTakeBackWashington.org

Medical Sharps

Drop off at:

- Bow Lake Recycling & Transfer Station (18800 Orillia Rd. S., Tukwila)
- Fatoria Recycling & Transfer Station (13800 SE 32nd St., Bellevue)



Other Service Benefits

- **Rate Discounts:** receive 50% off your rate if your total household income is less than the federal HUD guidelines, and you are 62 or older, disabled, or the parent or guardian of a disabled minor. Call **206.682.9735** to apply.
- **Carry-Out Service:** Free cart carry-out service is available for disabled customers. Fee-based service is available for all customers. Call **206.682.9735** to enroll.
- **Free Cart Cleaning:** Your food and yard waste cart can be cleaned once a year at no charge. Call **206.682.9735** to sign up.
- **Paperless Billing:** Receive a monthly discount of \$0.20 if you enroll in paperless billing.

Special Item Recycling

FREE: Call **206.682.9735** to schedule a curbside collection.

DO NOT put these items in your cart.



Fluorescent bulbs and tubes (put bulbs in sealed, clear bags; wrap tubes in paper, secure with tape and label "fluorescent tubes")



Motor oil: Limit 2 gallons per residence. Label container with name and address. Place in clear, plastic jugs with screw-top. Leave next to recycling cart for collection.



Rigid plastics: 5-gallon buckets, PVC pipe, plastic lawn furniture, coolers, plastic laundry baskets, etc.



Small household appliances

FEE-BASED: Call **206.682.9735** to schedule a collection



Large appliances: fridges, dryers, ovens, water heaters, etc.



Bulky items: mattresses, couches, furniture, etc.



Large scrap metal (all metal; no coating or grease)



Wood waste, untreated and unpainted (place in cardboard box and label "wood waste")

Inclement Weather

If weather conditions prevent the safe collection of your recycling, garbage or yard and food waste, your cart will be collected on your next regular service day.



Cart Placement

Set carts out by 7 a.m. with handles facing toward the house. Do not block cars, mailboxes, sidewalks or roadways. Remove carts as soon as possible after collection.



2025 Calendar (Set Out Carts by 7 a.m.)

Set carts out with handles facing the house. Do not block cars, mailboxes, sidewalks or driveways. Remove carts as soon as possible after collection.

Holidays - No service on New Year's Day, Thanksgiving Day or Christmas Day. If collection falls mid-week, the collection day will shift one day the rest of the week (i.e., Tuesday collection will occur Wednesday).

Recycling - During blue weeks, place your recycling cart curbside next to your garbage cart.

Food & Yard Waste - During green weeks, place your yard and food waste cart curbside next to your garbage cart.

Spring/Fall Cleanup - During this week, place extra garbage and yard waste out on your pickup day at no extra cost. Limited to ten, 32-gallon units for each waste type. More information at KentWA.gov/TalkingTrash

Recycling Event - Free collection event on March 1, June 14 and October 11. More information at KentWA.gov/TalkingTrash

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Christmas Tree Pickup: In January, place your undecorated and unflocked Christmas tree next to your waste cart for pickup at no charge. Trees must be less than 6'.

Extra Garbage: Next to your primary garbage cart, place securely tied plastic bags (max. 60 lbs.) or 32-gallon lidded cans labeled "garbage." Fees will apply to each additional unit and to primary carts without closed lids.

Payments: Pay your bill by phone by calling **206.682.9735**, online at RepublicServicesKent.com, mail to the address listed on your invoice: Republic Services, P.O. Box 78829, Phoenix, AZ 85062, or pay on the Republic Services app.

Missed Collection: Report a missed collection by calling **206.682.9735** or through the Republic Services app.