

## To learn more visit wm.com/recycleright

Great things happen when residents Recycle Right. By recycling everyday items like those shown below, tons of raw materials, time, energy and money are saved.

- Empty recyclables loose into your cart don't bag recyclables and no loose plastic bags. Instead, reuse or return plastic bags to local retailers.
- Containers should be empty and free from food and liquid.
- Recycling will be collected weekly on your normal collection day.



### Always Recycle



Plastic Bottles, Jugs, Jars & Tubs



Food & Beverage Can





Flattened Cardboard & Paperbo



Paper



### Do Not Include In Your Recycling Container



NO Food or Liqui



NO Loose Plastic Bags, Bagged Recyclables or Film Empty recyclables directly into your cart



NO Foam Cups & Container



IO Green Waste



NO Batteries Check local drop-off programs for proper disposal



# 625 Cherrington Parkway Moon Township, PA 15108

# Important Information Inside

and

about changes to your residential trash recycling service.



# **Ross Township**

Trash and Recycling
Collection Guide 2023
NEW - Automated Trash Collection

### **Dear Ross Township Resident:**

WM is proud to be your environmental solutions provider. As part of our new contract with Ross Township, all residents will receive automated curbside collection. Our automated collection service will provide residents with a new 96-gallon cart for trash and you will continue to use your green and yellow 64-gallon cart for recycling. Yard waste will be collected once a month from April - November. The calendar attached includes your schedule.

WM is excited to continue our partnership with Ross Township and looks forward to helping your community be as clean and green as possible.

### **General Information**

Your collection day will remain the same. All items must be placed at the curb no later than 6:00 a.m. on the day of your collection. Despite our best efforts, we occasionally miss scheduled ollections. If we do, please call us at (800) 866-4460 as soon as you can. Our representatives will work with you to ensure your materials get picked up. You can also visit www.wm.com for live chat and email options.

### 2023 Monthly Service Fee and Billing Information

Residents will be billed **three times a year**, with bills arriving in late December. The 2023 service rates will be \$30.51 per month. Please contact WM at (800) 866-4460 for information about senior discounts and backdoor service rates.

### **Trash Collection**

- Each household will be provided with a wheeled 96-gallon black cart with a green lid for trash. Carts will be delivered in February, and more information about cart delivery will be available soon.
- Please continue using your current can(s) until you receive your new cart.
- Place your 96-gallon cart at the curb the night before your scheduled collection or by 6:00 a.m. the day of your pickup.
- All trash must fit inside your 96-gallon cart with the lid firmly closed.
- No additional trash will be picked up outside the cart.
- Bulk items will be collected once a month during the 3rd full week of the month. Please reference the calendar for your 2023 bulk collection dates.
- Make sure there are at least 3 feet between your carts and any obstacles mailboxes, parked cars or trees.

### **Recycle Collection**

- Recyclables will be collected weekly. All items must fit in your provided 64-gallon recycling cart.
- Please see the reverse side of this brochure for items that are accepted in your recycling program.

### **Yard Waste Collection**

- Yard waste is collected once a month from April through November on your normal service day. Please see the calendar to find your 2023 yard waste collection weeks.
- Yard waste includes grass, leaves, clippings, and small branches.
- All material MUST be placed in a brown, biodegradable bag.

### **Bulk Items and Overflow Material**

**WM** will only collect material that fits inside your trash and recycling cart. All trash must be bagged and fit inside the provided cart. Recyclables must be placed loose into your recycling cart and boxes must be broken down.

Residents may purchase up to two (2) additional 96-gallon trash carts for \$100 per cart. Residents may also purchase up to two (2) additional 64-gallon recycling carts for \$85 per cart.

WM will collect one bulk item once per month during the 3rd full week of the month at no additional charge. Place your bulk item at the curb on the same day as your trash collection during your bulk collection week. Residents are permitted one bulk item per month at no additional charge. Additional items can be arranged for pickup for a fee by calling WM.

See the calendar to the right for your 2023 bulk collection weeks.

### What is a bulk item?

A bulk item is an appliance, piece of furniture, or some other residential item that is too large for a container. Construction debris and hazardous waste are not permitted as bulk items. WM asks that residents call (800) 866-4460 in advance to schedule collection of a white-goods appliance.

### **Bulk Waste**

- Furniture including chairs, tables, armoires, cabinet, chest, headboard, sofa, mattresses, dressers and interior doors
- Household appliances including washer, dryer, dishwasher, stove, toilet, refrigerator (freon must be removed), microwave, hot water tank, etc.
- Carpeting (must be cut into 4-foot bundles)
- Picnic table or bench (unattached), basketball board or pool (6' or less in height), swing set (unassembled)

### **NOT Bulk Waste and Unaccepted Materials**

- Concrete, brick, asphalt, roofing, electronics
- Vehicles and parts
- Building materials such as plaster, dry wall, wood, construction debris, etc.

### At Your Door Special Collection Service

Residents will continue to have access to the At Your Door Special Collection Service to properly dispose and recycle household hazardous waste in a safe, easy and responsible manner. These items include paints, household cleaners, compact fluorescent lamps (CFL), automotive products, garden chemicals, batteries, televisions, computers, and more.

To participate, you must set up a collection appointment. You can do so by visiting www.WMAtYourDoor.com or by calling 1-800-449-7587.

### 2023 Collection Calendar

Trash and recycling will be picked up weekly. Please use this calendar to identify your bulk collection week and yard waste collection week.

| Holiday                                  |    |    | Bulk Collection Week |    |               |          |             |    |    |            | Yard Waste Collection Week |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|--|----|----|----------------------|----|---------------|----------|-------------|----|----|------------|----------------------------|----|----------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| January 2023                             |    |    |                      |    | February 2023 |          |             |    |    | March 2023 |                            |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
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| April 2023                               |    |    |                      |    |               | May 2023 |             |    |    |            |                            |    | June 2023      |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
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| July 2023                                |    |    |                      |    |               |          | August 2023 |    |    |            |                            |    | September 2023 |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
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### **Observed 2023 Holidays**

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WM observes the following holidays. When your collection day falls on/or after one of these holidays, your collection will be delayed by one day that week only.

| New Year's | Day: No delay |
|------------|---------------|
| Labor Day: | September 4   |

Memorial Day: May 29
Thanksgiving Day: November 23

Independence Day: July 4
Christmas Day: December 25

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