

# TRASH/RECYCLING INFORMATION

If you have any questions or problems with your trash service, please call the City of DeSoto Action Center at 972.274.CITY.

Good, strong 2-ply trash bags are now available at the Water Utility Counter. Cost is \$9.74 for a roll of 50 bags.

## TRASH PICK-UP SCHEDULE

Trash is picked up twice weekly:

- ✚ Garbage is collected on Tuesdays and Fridays.
- ✚ Recycle bins are emptied once weekly on Wednesdays.

## HOLIDAY EXCEPTIONS

The holidays in the year when trash pick-up is rescheduled are:

- ✚ New Year's Day
- ✚ Fourth of July
- ✚ Labor Day
- ✚ Thanksgiving Day
- ✚ Christmas Day

[Click the city website at ci.desoto.tx.us for more information](http://ci.desoto.tx.us)

## LARGE/BULKY ITEM PICKUP

- Furniture, mattresses, appliances and most any other large items should be placed with your regular trash on **FRIDAYS** for removal. Refrigerators and air conditioning units will NOT be removed unless the refrigerant container has been removed and "red tagged" by a licensed professional.
- Tires, batteries and other hazardous waste are **NOT** allowed in our landfill and must be disposed of properly. These items should not be placed with your regular trash for pick-up.
- Construction materials are not accepted.

- Fencing: If you are replacing the entire fence, it should be placed in the front of your residence. If you have a "panel" that is being replaced, it is preferred that you cut the fence in 4 foot sections and place it for removal with the "regular" trash.

## TRASH REQUIREMENTS

- Trash must be placed out for pick-up in the alley or front curb (where applicable) by 7 a.m. on the day of pick-up.
- Garbage must be placed in a plastic refuse bag. Bag must not weigh more than 50 lbs.
- The front, back, side yards and the alley and easement should remain free of all litter, trash and refuse.
- Receptacles must be placed in the proper location either on the front right-of-way or in the alley for weekly solid waste pickup.
- Trash must be placed out only on the day of trash pick-up. This reduces loose debris in the neighborhoods. **Residents who place trash out prior to their trash pick-up day will be cited for junk and debris.**
- Solid waste is collected twice weekly.

For information on disposing of hazardous waste or any other questions regarding solid waste collection, call 972-274-CITY.