

PUBLIC NOTICE  
CITY OF WOONSOCKET

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**TRASH and RECYCLING WINTER TIME COLLECTION**

Residents are reminded that wintertime weather may delay trash and recycling collection services. Every effort will be taken to ensure prompt service however if the roadways should become a safety issue for the rubbish trucks then collection would be delayed to the following work day.

Accumulated snow on sidewalks may also hamper the rubbish collection service. To ensure curbside pick-up, please shovel an area that will allow the trash and recycling carts to sit level. Cart covers should be closed preventing snow from adding to the weight of the waste.

The placement of your cart is important, since the collection vehicles lifting arm requires clearance: 3 feet on all sides and 12 feet overhead. The carts should be no more than 3 feet away from the curb or road edge, and the arrows on the lid must be pointing toward the street, with the hinges facing away from your street. Your recycling cart should be placed at least 3 feet from the burgundy cart.

Trash and recycling carts are obstacles to snow plowing vehicles. To prevent hampering snow removal and the carts from falling over we ask that you only place carts curbside on your collection day by 7 am.

Questions can be directed to the Solid Waste Division at (401) 767-8880.