

City of Stevens Point GARBAGE & RECYCLING Information

All GARBAGE can be placed directly in your cart, free of a bag. If you wish to use a bag it must be clear or transparent. Collection crews must be able to see the garbage while being dumped.

Collection Schedule: Garbage will be collected every week. Recycling will be collected every other week on the same day as your garbage. See Calendar & Alphabetical Street Listing.

All GARBAGE & RECYCLABLES must be at curb/street side by 7am. It cannot be out earlier than 6pm the day before collection and must be off curb/street side by 12 midnight the day of collection. Any garbage or recyclables placed out beyond these hours is subject to removal with the costs charged to the property owner. GARBAGE & RECYCLABLES not in compliance with collection requirements will be tagged with non-collection information and will not be collected.

Cart Placement:

- Always place your cart so that the arrow on the lid is facing the street. This places the cart in proper position for emptying.
- The best placement is in your driveway, or next to it so that it is 4 feet away from obstacles such as parked cars, mailboxes, and utility poles, including other carts.
- Another option is to place your cart in the gutter next to the driveway if it is not a travel lane. (this is recommended in areas with heavy parking)
- Carts can be placed in a cleared area of your terrace or the area between the sidewalk and the curb.
- Carts may be placed partially on the sidewalk where the sidewalk is adjacent to the curb, or where there is a narrow parkway as long as there is at least 3 feet of sidewalk clear for passage and as long as it is less than 8 feet to the face of the curb.
- Where there is no curb or gutter, carts may be placed anywhere behind the pavement edge, in the shoulder area.
- Place your garbage cart on the opposite side of the driveway from your recycling cart.
- If your cart is on private property it WILL NOT be collected.
- The area between the cart and the street must be clear of obstacles.
- Do NOT place carts on top of snowbanks.

Improperly placed and/or over filled carts will NOT be collected

The Street Dept. will NOT collect garbage or recyclables that do not fit in your cart with the lid closed. Please DO NOT over stuff your cart, overstuffed carts do not allow for gravity to aid in the collection process and your cart may not empty completely.

BULK Item: Too large to fit in your cart? Purchase a bulk item pick up tag online or at the City Treasurer's Office or bring the BULK item to the drop-off site during drop-off hours for a fee of \$10 (per item)

You can pay a fee for additional cart service or exchange your cart for a different size by contacting the Street Department. There also is an application online available for print. (additional fees may apply)

Disabled and cannot move your cart? Contact the Street Department or there is an application online available for print and to be signed by your Doctor.

Please remember all carts belong to the City and must remain at the property when you move. Please refrain from painting or marking on carts and report any damage or theft to the Street Department.

*Residents who have any questions or would like more information can visit the city website @ stevenspoint.com or call the Street Department at 346-1537

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All RECYCLABLES can be placed directly in your cart, free of a bag, rinsed & mixed together.

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CURBSIDE RECYCLING:

Cans: ~Steel (push partially attached lid into can) ~Aerosol (non-pesticide)
~Aluminum (do not crush) ~Small (EMPTY) Propane Tanks

Glass: Jars & Bottles (no window glass)

Plastics: #1 #2 & #5

Plastic containers (bottles, jugs, ice cream, yogurt, cat litter, laundry, shampoo, sour cream)

Paper: Office paper, junk mail, envelopes (with or without window), magazines, newspaper, paperback books, paper bags, cardboard, rolls and tubes. FLATTEN ALL. (can mix in paper bag then put in cart to minimize contamination)

*Place these items and non-demolition items in your brown lid refuse cart.

Sorry NO....plastic film, shrink wrap, bags, straws, plates, silverware, drink pouches, frozen food containers, styrofoam, aluminum foil, baking pans, metal or plastic liners, motor oil containers, mirrors, window glass, ceramics, foam/polystyrene, clay pots, paper towels, soiled paper, dirty cardboard, CD or DVD cases, vinyl.

SELF-HAUL:

100 Sixth Ave.

- Lead Acid Vehicle Batteries
- Oil Filters, Used Oil and Absorbent Materials (do not mix with gasoline or any other solvents)
Put in a clear screw cap container.
- Yard Materials (leaves, grass clippings, plant stalks, flowers, sticks & twigs)

Portage County Transfer Facility:

Demolition Material Batteries Tires Electronics Rigid Plastics
Hazardous Waste (degreasers, fuel, solvents, pool chemicals, creosote, paints, cleaners)
Bulbs, Lamps & Ballasts

**600 Moore Rd.
Plover
715-343-6297**

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