



The Lowcountry's Hometown

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TRASH INFORMATION SHEET

Beginning in January, 2018, payments for the vast majority of residential trash will be collected on the Berkeley County Property Tax Bill as an annual fee. Historically, trash fees were paid monthly to the Moncks Corner Waterworks, but as the Town has grown and so many new customers receive water and sewer from Berkeley County, having all billing go through the Waterworks has become increasingly unmanageable. Trash billing on the tax bill will ensure that all Town residents pay for trash rather than paying Republic Services, our provider, directly.

The bill for 2018 will be \$146.28. This is a 2.2% increase over the 2017 annual trash collection fee of \$143.16. Trash fees have not increased in ten years, but as prices have risen for our provider the Town has had to raise fees to cover for these increased costs.

Notes on Trash Collection:

- **SERVICE DAY:** All waste removal including yard debris and recycling will occur on Thursday. Please have your roll carts near the road at least 3-5 feet away from any obstruction with the lid opening facing the road by 6:00 a.m. Republic may change their route at any time, so please leave your cart out until it has been emptied
- **SORTING SOLID WASTE:** Regular household solid waste should be placed in your green roll cart. This is the solid waste generated from food preparation and other regular daily activities.
 - Small appliances such as toasters and microwave ovens are collected with regular household solid waste along with clothing and bicycles.
 - Cardboard boxes must be flattened and placed inside your roll cart or they can be recycled. Please do not use boxes as trash receptacles.
- **YARD DEBRIS:** Small debris such as grass clippings, straw, leaves, etc. must be placed in the Town issued yard waste roll cart. **DO NOT PLACE HOUSEHOLD WASTE IN THE BROWN DEBRIS CAN.**
 - Large yard debris, such as branches and limbs, may be stacked curbside for pickup. Maximum dimensions for pick up are 4 ft. long and 4 in. in diameter and no more than 50 lbs. in weight. Dirt must be removed from the roots.
- **BULKY ITEMS:** Very large items such as storage sheds, garage doors or trailers should be dismantled into manageable pieces. Metal appliances such as refrigerators, washers/dryers, stoves, etc., will be collected **AFTER** all yard debris has been picked up. Please call 843-719-7900 to arrange bulk item removal.

If you believe that your waste has been missed by the driver, please contact Town Hall at 843-719-7900 as soon as possible and leave your can by the road. We may be able to arrange for the driver to return to your location on pick-up day or the following day. Otherwise, you may have to wait until the following regularly scheduled pick-up day.