

CITY OF CULLMAN SANITATION DEPARTMENT

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ATTENTION RESIDENTS! AUTOMATED SERVICE BEGINS

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INFORMATION FOR CITY RESIDENTS REGARDING AUTOMATED GARBAGE PICK-UP

- **[SEE ATTACHED DIAGRAM ON THE BACK PAGE]**
 - Place garbage can no farther than THREE (3) feet off the roadway.
 - There are ARROWS on the front of the cart. The **ARROWS SHOULD BE POINTING TO THE STREET** (FACING STREET).
 - Garbage can should be placed on the opposite linear/horizontal side of your mailbox – if possible.
 - **(EXAMPLE)** *If, facing your driveway, your mailbox is on the left-hand side, then your garbage can will need to be on the right-hand side.*
 - Place the garbage can at least FOUR (4) feet from poles, fire hydrant or any other *obstacles* and at least TEN (10) feet away from *vehicles*.
 - Please **DO NOT** place cart on the other side of a ditch as the automated arm will not reach that far.
- Service days WILL NOT change.
 - Check the included map for your pick up day.
- All garbage **MUST** be inside the City of Cullman Sanitation garbage cart.
 - All garbage must be bagged.
- If you require additional cart please contact sanitation service.
- Old trash cans MAY NOT be used as they are not designed to withstand the force of the mechanical gripper on the truck.
- **Any garbage not placed in a City of Cullman Sanitation Cart WILL NOT BE COLLECTED.**
 - All garbage **must** be inside the cart.
- **DO NOT** put yard debris, rocks, dirt, building and construction debris, hot or flammable items, hazardous material, or chemicals in your cart.
 - The City of Cullman offers a large item pickup for an additional fee. Please call the sanitation office to schedule this service.
- Please have garbage out by **5:00 a.m.** on the day of service.
 - Garbage not out by this time will not be picked up until the following week.

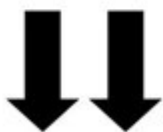
- If you are moving, please call the Sanitation Department to pick up the cart.
 - If the cart is missing, an additional \$60.00 fee will be added to your final bill for the cost of the container.
- Every cart has a serial number assigned to the address it is delivered to.
 - **It is a criminal offense** to remove a City of Cullman cart without permission from the City Sanitation Office.

It is the intent of the City of Cullman to implement the automated cart system to provide a safer work environment for our employees, and an environmentally safer pick-up for household garbage. This system has been proven environmentally safe for employees and households.

We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause and we appreciate your patience during this transition. If you need assistance, please feel free to contact our office. No injury or life is worth risking the hazards of residential hand pick-up.



**PLACE CART ON THE OPPOSITE
SIDE OF THE DRIVEWAY FROM
THE MAILBOX** (SEE PICTURE ON LEFT)



THE ARROWS ON THE CART LID
SHOULD BE POINTING TOWARDS
THE ROAD



ALL GARBAGE MUST BE
INSIDE CART.
NO GARBAGE LEFT ON
TOP OR OUTSIDE OF THE
CONTAINER WILL BE
PICKED UP.