## Refuse pick-up (continued)

#### 8. Bagging Your Garbage

Garbage is to be bagged before putting it in the cart. Bagging helps keep the cart clean, reduces wind blown litter, and reduces odours coming from the cart.

#### 9. Cart Location

The cart must be placed at ground level. During the winter months, ensure that your cart is located on level ground. If the cart is sitting on top of a snow bank, the automated arm on the truck will not be able to pick up your garbage cart.

#### 10. Missed Collection

If your garbage was missed on your regularly scheduled collection day, it will not be picked up until the next scheduled collection day.

Violations to the regulations that have been set out for refuse collection will be identified and monitored.

If your collection was missed due to timing or other infractions, you are required to remove your container from the street. You can then either:

- Wait until your next scheduled collection day.
- Take it to the City Landfill (regular charges apply).

## City of Weyburn Landfill Hours of Operation

Summer Hours (April 1 to October 31):

- 8:00 AM to 6:00 PM Weekdays
- 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM Weekends and Statutory Holidays (Closed Good Friday and Easter Sunday)

Winter Hours (November 1 to March 31):

- 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM Weekdays
- 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM Saturdays
- Closed on Sundays and Statutory Holidays

For questions regarding your area number or collection days, please call 306-848-3290 or visit www.weyburn.ca > Services > Refuse Collection and Disposal.

# FURTHER INFORMATION:

Please do not hesitate to contact us should you have any additional questions or comments.

Phone: 306-848-3290 or 306-848-3230



Thank you for your cooperation in helping to keep our city clean.

## City of Weyburn

# Automated Refuse Collection



Please retain for future reference

### Tips to help ensure pick-up of the refuse cart on collection day...

#### 1. Cart lids must be closed

#### **CORRECT**



#### **REFUSED**



2. Refuse carts must be a minimum of four feet (1.2 metres) from parked vehicles or other obstacles.

#### **CORRECT**



#### REFUSED



3. Refuse carts must be placed a minimum of two feet (0.6 metres) from the curb. This helps the automated arm on the truck reach the cart if there are vehicles parked nearby.

## 4. Refuse carts need to be out by 7:00 AM on collection days.

Please be advised that pickup times will vary from week to week. In order to ensure garbage is picked up, containers should be out and in the appropriate location on the street no later than 7:00 AM. It is recommended that you place it out the night before.

## 5. Overfilled containers will not be emptied.

If you have excess garbage that does not fit in your container you can:

- Store it so it can be picked up on your next collection day.
- Recycle any items such as paper, cardboard, cans, and glass.
- Talk to one of your neighbours to see if they have extra room in their container.
- Dispose of your garbage at the City of Weyburn Landfill (regular fees apply).

#### 6. Lawn and Garden Waste

There are a variety of options available to do away with lawn and garden waste:

- Composting is a great way to environmentally dispose of yard waste while creating rich soil for your garden and flowerbeds.
- Mulching is beneficial for flowerbeds and gardens. It helps protect against soil erosion, conserves moisture, and helps to maintain a more even soil temperature.
- Drop off any lawn clippings, leaves, or compost items at the landfill during regular hours free of charge.
- You are free to dispose of yard waste in your cart, although you may have to hold on to some and throw away only what will fit into the cart each week.

7. Carts cannot be stored on the boulevard, sidewalk, street, or any other point beyond the front of the house.