



Important Solid Waste and Recycling Collection Information for 2022

Dear Borough of Elverson Resident,

A.J. Bloenski, Inc. is pleased to announce that our company has been awarded the Solid Waste & Recycling Collection contract for a term of three years starting on January 4, 2022. The scope of services includes the following:

- Weekly collection of household solid waste and yard waste every Tuesday. Limited to one 96-gallon container plus one additional can or bag. No special bags are needed for yard waste.
- Bi-weekly collection of recyclable materials every other week on Tuesday. Limited to one container. (Refer to the calendar for your scheduled collection week.)
- Monthly collection of one bulk item on the first solid waste collection day of the month. (Refer to the bulk item guidelines located on the inside panel of the brochure.)
- Christmas trees collected between December 26th and February 15th on the regular solid waste collection day of the week.
- It is recommended that you place your cart out the night before.
- Residents should continue to use their existing carts. A.J. Bloenski will provide a label identifying their company at a later date.
- New residents should contact Becky at 610-942-2707 x 263 to sign up for service.

The quarterly rate will be \$103.32 and will be billed on January 1st, April 1st, July 1st and October 1st. Questions regarding service can be directed to Becky Malcom at 610-942-2707 x 263 and questions regarding billing can be directed to Kathleen Malloy at 610-942-2707 x 230.

The contract requires A.J. Bloenski to collect recycling once every two weeks on the same day as trash collection. The residents residing in the Summerfield development will be collected on the days color coded in "green" on the calendar and the residents residing outside the development will be collected on the days color coded in "red" on the calendar.

2022 Christmas Tree Collection Schedule

Please remove all lights, tree stands and decorations from your tree and place it out at your trash & recycling collection point by 5:00 AM on the following days. Christmas Trees in plastic bags will not be collected.

Tuesday January 4, 2022
Tuesday January 11, 2022
Tuesday January 18, 2022

Pick Up Schedule
Tuesday January 25, 2022
Tuesday February 1, 2022

Tuesday February 8, 2022
Tuesday February 15, 2022

2022 Borough of Elverson Recycling Collection Calendar

January							February							March							April						
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September							October							November							December						
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■ = Non-Summerfield residents ■ = Summerfield residents ■ = Delayed Collection due to holiday

Observed holidays are noted in RED. Collection days that fall on or after the holiday will be delayed one day. EXCEPTION: If holiday falls on a Saturday or Sunday, there is no change in service prior to or after the holiday.

2022 Holiday Collection Schedule

Observed holidays are noted in RED. Collection days that fall on or after the holiday will be delayed one day. If holiday falls on a Saturday or Sunday, there is no change in service prior to or after the holiday.

- **Memorial Day May 30, 2022** – Trash and Recycling collected on June 1, 2022 for Summerfield residents. Non-Summerfield residents will receive trash collection only.
- **Independence Day July 4, 2022** – Trash and Recycling collected on July 6, 2022 for Non-Summerfield residents. Summerfield residents will receive trash collection only.
- **Labor Day September 5, 2022** – Trash and Recycling collected on September 7, 2022 for Summerfield residents. Non-Summerfield residents will receive trash collection only.

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Acceptable Items



METAL:

- Aluminum beverage cans
- Steel food & beverage cans, aerosol cans, paint cans

GLASS:

- Clear, brown, blue, and green glass food & beverage containers

- ✓ Remove caps/lids
- ✓ Rinse thoroughly to remove all contaminants
- ✓ It is OK to leave on labels and neck rings

PLASTIC:

- #1 through #7 – All materials must be thoroughly cleaned before placing them in your recycle container.

PAPER, PAPERBOARD & CARDBOARD:
Recycle Any Size. Any Quantity.

Please break down boxes as flat as possible and put them out next to your recycle bin(s) on your pick-up day. *Please bundle excess cardboard.

- All sizes of cardboard boxes
- Clean pizza boxes
- Food boxes (i.e. cereal & gelatin boxes)
- EMPTY paper towel and toilet paper rolls
- Paperboard packaging (i.e. tissue boxes)
- Office paper (any color)
- Newspapers and inserts
- Magazines, catalogs, and brochures
- Envelopes & junk mail
- Paper bags
- Phone books & other soft cover books
- Paperboard food & drink cartons

- ✓ Remove all packaging (Styrofoam, peanuts, plastic bubble wrap, plastic liners, etc.)
- ✓ Flatten ALL boxes
- ✓ Bundle all cardboard that does not fit into the recycling bin
- ✓ Cover loose paper with heavier items to prevent it from blowing away
- ✓ If the weather forecast calls for high winds or wet weather, if possible, keep your paper recyclables until next week. Wet paper products are difficult to process.

Non-Recyclable Items

NEEDLES & MEDICAL WASTE

DO NOT place used needles or any other medical waste with recycling! This is a serious health hazard to everyone!

- Broken glass
- Windows, mirrors, ceramics
- Drinking glasses
- Aluminum foil
- Scrap metal
- Clothing hangers (metal and plastic)
- Plastic tableware (knives, forks, spoons, etc.)
- Plastic grocery bags
- Light bulbs
- Food soiled material
- Wet papers or cardboard
- Shredded paper
- Plastic food wrappers
- Used paper towels or tissues
- Styrofoam
- Pool chemicals
- Packing peanuts
- Plastic bubble wrap
- Hose
- Christmas lights
- Diapers
- Food waste
- Propane tanks



The Covered Devices Recycling Act prohibits residents and businesses from placing their electronic waste at the curb or in their trash.

Covered devices include: desktop computers, laptops, monitors, computer peripherals (keyboard, mouse, printer, and speakers), televisions, or e-readers that browse the internet.

For more information on how to legally dispose of your electronic waste, please contact A.J. Blosenski, Inc. at 610-942-2707 or visit www.ajblosenski.com.

Bulk Item Guidelines



Elverson Borough residents may dispose of one (1) bulk item per month through curb side collection. Please have your waste, recycling, and bulk item available for collection at the curb by 5:00 am.

ACCEPTED MATERIALS – Appliances, furniture, lawn mowers (oil and gasoline removed), plumbing fixtures such as toilets and sinks, also three (3) 4 ft. rolls of carpet (tied) equals one bulk item.

NON-ACCEPTABLE MATERIALS – Chemicals, stains, liquids, batteries, automobile parts, tires with or without rims, hazardous waste, commercial/industrial waste, construction materials (drywall, brick, block, lumber, shingles, tiles, concrete).

ADDITIONAL INSTRUCTIONS – Items which are too heavy to be lifted into a truck by two people will not be accepted. Additional trash bags are NOT considered a bulk item.

Mattresses and box springs are considered two separate bulk items and should be wrapped in plastic before placing curbside for collection.

Appliances containing Freon will be collected by appointment only. Please call A.J. Blosenski, Inc. at 610-942-2707 to schedule collection. (Items include but are not limited to air conditioners, refrigerators, freezers, etc.)

E-Waste Information

By law, as of January 24, 2013, A.J. Blosenski, Inc. is no longer allowed to collect electronic waste.

Covered devices include: desktop computers, laptops, monitors, computer peripherals (keyboard, mouse, printer and speakers), televisions or e-readers that browse the internet.

Because electronic waste can contain hazardous materials that are harmful to human health and the environment, it is very important that these devices are disposed of properly.

For additional resources on electronic recycling, please visit www.earth911.com, www.chestercountyswa.org or the Trash & Recycling section of the Township website at www.elversonboro.org.

Please check with local school districts, places of worship or charitable organizations to see if they have any e-waste recycling programs.

