

TRASH TALK



Orleans County is Switching to Recycling Carts

Orleans County awarded Modern Disposal Services, Inc. a five (5) year agreement to collect solid waste and recycling for all of Orleans County. New to residents with the new contract will be the use of 95 gallon capacity wheel carts for recycling which was approved by the Orleans County Legislature.

The move to a cart based recycling program is designed to increase participation, add convenience, improve containment of material between collections and improve the efficiencies of collection.

Beginning in June, all eligible property owners will receive their 95 gallon capacity wheeled cart for recycling which will replace the smaller 18 gallon bin residents currently use. The old recycling bin is yours to keep but you must use the larger cart for storage and collection of your recycling.

With the carts, the current weekly collection of recycling will change to **Every Other Week collection** or **"EOW"** beginning Monday July 1, 2019. The move to **Every Other Week collection** or **"EOW"** will reduce traffic in neighborhoods, reduce our carbon foot print and keep future costs in check.

Orleans County residents and all of Western New York are seeing a totally new recycling menu which now features the "Best Items to Place in Your Recycling Cart". This has caught the eye of the avid recycler and consumer. The change has sparked conversation and the traditional and once very inclusive recycling menu of the past, now features those commodities where stable markets exist and removing those which don't.

All of us have a role and a responsibility to the success of our recycling program and the message "Best Items to Place in Your Recycling Cart" is intended to promote awareness and education.

The change to **"EOW"** collection of recycling does not impact trash collection which will remain weekly. Your day of collection will not change and for example, if your day is Monday, it will remain Monday. The difference will be that a portion of Mondays recycling customers will be collected on an "A" week and the balance of the Monday customer will be collected the following week or on the "B" week. This alternating cycle continues week after week, month after month.

You will receive a newsletter in April that will include maps indicating the week recycling in your area will be collected. Please review it thoroughly as it provides important information you need to know about the new recycling collection schedule and program. This information will also be available on the Orleans County website.

We invite you to attend one of three (3) public information meetings.

Representatives from Orleans County and Modern Disposal Services will be present to answer your questions and provide collection vehicle demonstrations.

This is an exciting change for Orleans County and we ask for everyone's cooperation and patience's during the transitions. Modern will be taking your calls and happy to answer any questions you have. Moderns Customer Service Department can be reached locally by calling 800-330-7107.

News

Use of Carts for Recycling



Keep 2 Feet of Space Between Carts & Other Objects



Here Are a Few Tips To Help In Collection Of Recyclables

- Place carts to street with the wheels facing the house
- Place carts away from mailboxes and fixed objects
- * Keep lids closed
- Don't jam materials in cans or carts as it may not come out
- Nothing longer than the overall height of the cart
- Place carts on level surface, don't place on snow banks
- Place carts next to each other if possible, keeping
 2 feet of space between them

Recycling Guidelines

Best Items to Place in Your Recycling Cart

Paper Place loose in cart. Use clear plastic bags for shredded paper ONLY.







Office Paper, Phone Books Paper Bags & Junk Mail



Paperboard



Magazines & Catalogs

Cardboard



Cardboard & Pizza Boxes Flatten cardboard. Remove wax paper from pizze boxes

Plastic

Bottles & Jars Metal







Jugs & Bottles with Small Top Openings Clear Bottles & Jars







Metal Cookware

Steel & Tin Cans

Unacceptable Items in Your Recycling Cart

Aerosol Cans

Batteries

Chemicals (Dry or Liquid)

Christmas Lights

Clothing or Rags

Concrete

Dishes or Ceramics

Electrical Cords

Electronics

Flammable Liquids

Garbage or Trash

Garden Hoses

Hardcover Books

Household Cleaners

Inflatable Pools

Items with Gasoline

(Lawn Equipment)

Light Bulbs

Medical Supplies/Waste/Syringes

Paint Cans

Plate Glass or Mirrors

Pool Liners/Tarps/Covers

Propane Tanks

Styrofoam Containers/Packing

Wood Items

Yard Waste

Please follow these guidelines carefully.

No sorting necessary. Place items loose in your cart. Clean & empty

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Recycling & Waste Collection

2019



Week A Recycling



Week B Recycling



Holiday-no collection, pick up for the rest of week will be delayed by one day

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Every Other Week Recycling Collection Starts July 1, 2019

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Memorial Day May 27

Independence DayJuly 4

Labor Day September 2

Thanksgiving DayNovember 28

Christmas Day December 25

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Collection of Waste and Recycling

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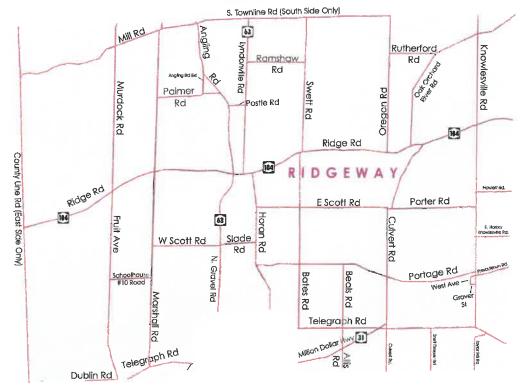
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Ridgeway - Wednesday Week A Recycling



Medina Village - Thursday | Week A Recycling

