

Moving

The rollout container is the property of the City of Mebane. Each container is numbered and assigned to a specific address. If you move, the container must remain at the current address.

Leaving the Container at the Curb

The City's Solid Waste Ordinance requires containers to be placed at the curb no earlier than the day prior to collection. The container must be removed by midnight on the day of collection. The City can issue citations if this becomes a problem.

Stolen Container

Report stolen containers to the
Mebane Police Dept. • 563-9031
and to the
Public Works Dept. • 563-3401

How to Care for your Rollout Container:

Keep your container clean by washing it with mild soap and water.

Spillage

Rollout collection should not result in trash being spilled onto the street. However, if spillage should occur, **the property owner will be responsible for cleaning up the spillage.**

Special Services

Items such as small appliances, bulky items, furniture, etc., will be collected by the **Public Works Department**. Call **563-3401** to schedule pick-up of these items.



Physically or Elderly Disabled

A doctor's verification form is available by calling the **Public Works Department at 563-3401**. Upon receiving the completed doctor's verification form, spe-

cial collection will be provided for the *physically or elderly disabled*. The city will monitor these requests to make sure no one is abusing this privilege. If a person can wash a car, mow grass, or work in their garden, they should be able to roll out their container. However, there are always exceptions. An explanation will be required.

What NOT to put in your Rollout Container:

The City of Mebane **does not accept** the following items:

tires • concrete • dirt • rocks • paint • lithium and car batteries • chemical materials or fluorescent tubes and compact fluorescent bulbs (CFL)

*The Alamance County Landfill sponsors a **free collection twice a year for homeowners**. They collect all paints, fluorescent lighting, lithium batteries and chemicals. Also, Lowe's Home improvement and Home Depot will accept used fluorescent lighting.

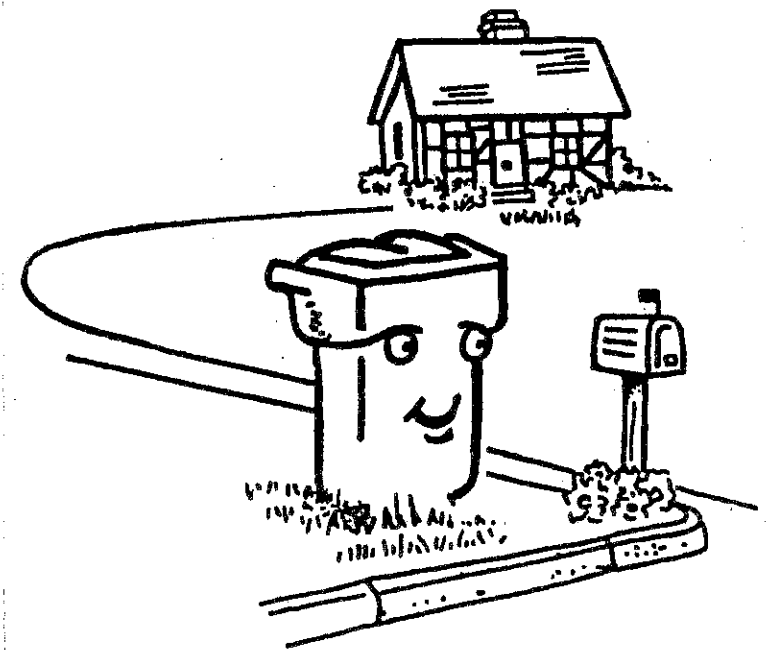
Grass should be bagged or put into a container for collection. **Do Not** place loose grass on sidewalks or in the street. Please call Public Works when you put the bags or cans out for pick up.

ROLLOUT COLLECTION

The TRASHY Details

City of Mebane
Public Works Department

919-563-3401
Mebane, N.C. 27302



Dear Residents,

There is no person, young or old, rich or poor, who does not have to deal with GARBAGE. How well we do it affects our health, our business, our appearance, and our pride in our city.

The City of Mebane's objective is to provide you, our citizens, with the best possible management of solid waste, our most common problem.

On behalf of the elected officials and the city employees who serve this community, we pledge our commitment to provide you with the best service possible. The material provided to you in this packet explains the city's solid waste collection practices. Please take a few minutes to look over this information. We are here to assist you. Please call us with your questions or concerns.

Collection

Containers will be scheduled for collection on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday. Your collection day is shown on the front of the colored map with a detailed street listing on the back the colored map. All of this information is being provided in your packet.



Holidays

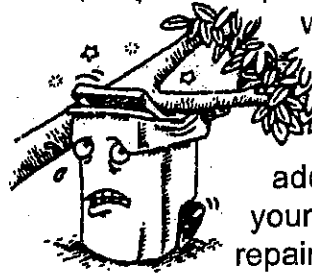
When a holiday occurs during the work week, we will reschedule garbage pickup to ensure all routes are serviced. *Check local newspapers as well as City of Mebane.com for schedules or call Mebane Public Works at 919-563-3401.

Container

The City provides a 95 gallon container to each residential unit served at no cost. Each container will be numbered and assigned to a specific residential address.

Damage

If your container breaks through normal use, the City will replace it at no cost to you. The City is not responsible for repair or replacement of the Rollout Container

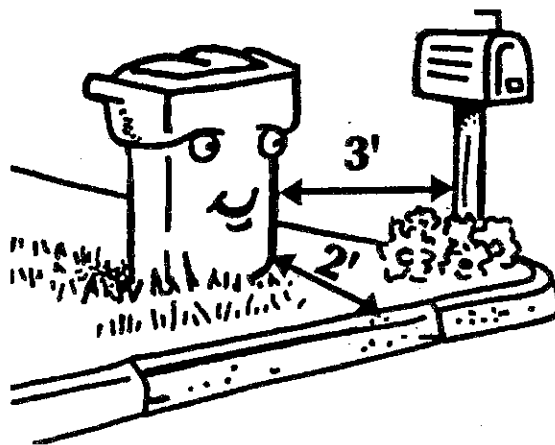


when it is damaged because of customer abuse or neglect. Call the **Public Works Department at 563-3401** and report your address and the type of damage to your container. Containers needing repair or replacement must be emptied and placed at the curb.

Where to Place your Rollout Container for Collection

The collection truck must have access to your container. Place it three feet away from trees, mailboxes, parked cars, utility lines, or anything else that could get in the way.

Place the container within **two feet of the curb** with the handle facing away from the curb. The collection truck is on a scheduled route. It is difficult for the truck to return to your address if your garbage is missed because it was not put out correctly or was put out late.



When Do I Place Container at the Curb?
Your container should be placed at the curb no later than **6:00 AM** on your collection day. Remove your empty container from the curb by **midnight** on day of collection. Containers should not be left on the curb during weekends. Your cooperation in abiding by this requirement helps keep the City of Mebane beautiful.

What to Place In Your Rollout Container

Place household garbage in plastic bags and tie securely. Put bags in the container, making sure nothing hangs down the side. Close the lid. Be sure to drain and bag any wet garbage prior to placing it in the container.



Defacement of Cart

Carts are the property of the City and should not be defaced. House numbers, street names and residents' names shall not be painted or attached to the cart.

Old Trash Containers
Citizens cannot use their old trash containers (NO 55 gallon containers). If you want the city to dispose of it for you, it should be placed at the curb on your first day of pickup with a note to dispose of it.

Other Containers
You may not use any other container for garbage except the one issued by the City. The automated nature of this service does not allow for variations in container size and type.