

# STREAMLINE UPDATE

An Update of the Municipal Solid Waste Program.

Effective January 1, 2015 to June 30, 2015

## 2015 RECYCLING AND REFUSE CURBSIDE COLLECTION – OFFICIAL PUBLIC NOTICE

### Snow, Ice and Slush Removal

The City of Auburn requires the owner, occupant or lessee of any lot or lands adjoining any public sidewalk to keep the sidewalk free from snow, ice and slush within 24 hours following any storm. Any dangerous sidewalk conditions or any accident resulting from these conditions is the liability of the property owner.

*Failure to comply with these ordinances may result in fines and penalties. In the event City of Auburn forces must clean snow, ice or slush or have to cut grass, weeds or shrubs to bring the premises into compliance, the property owner will be billed for these services.*

### Grass, Shrub, Tree and Hedge Trimming Maintenance

Grass and weeds on any property, including the portion of grass located between the sidewalk and the curbing or roadway are to remain lower than six inches, including the accumulation of dead grass, weeds and brush. This also includes around light poles, street signs, etc. Hedges, shrubs, or trees may not encroach onto public sidewalks and lines of sight of public roadways.

*It is the responsibility of the home owner/tenant to maintain and keep clean the curb line in front of their residence and to dispose of any debris that accumulates in the curb line area.*

#### NOTICE:

The City of Auburn is required by the State of New York to prepare an Annual Water Quality Report (AWQR12) covering the important information about the source and quality of your drinking water. This report is available on-line at [www.AuburnNY.gov](http://www.AuburnNY.gov). Please call 315-253-8754 if you would like a paper report mailed to your home, or a copy sent to your email address.

### CITY OF AUBURN FREQUENTLY CALLED NUMBERS

We encourage residents to visit the City website at [www.AuburnNY.gov](http://www.AuburnNY.gov) for information pertaining to all City services.

Assessor.....	255-4125
City Clerk .....	255-4100
City Courthouse.....	237-6420
City Council Members:	
John Camardo.....	252-7537
Terry Cuddy .....	252-5451
Debra McCormick.....	956-3398
Peter Ruzicka .....	253-0918
City Manager .....	255-4146
Civil Service .....	255-4141
Code Enforcement.....	255-4111
Comptroller .....	253-0860
Corporation Counsel.....	255-4176
DMV .....	253-1241
Dog Control Officer.....	255-4100
Engineering .....	255-4129
Fire Department:	
Emergency.....	911
Business Non-Emergency .....	253-4031

### Bagged Yard Debris

(Monday pick-up – except during holiday weeks)

#### Grass and Rakings:

- Backyard composting is recommended.
- Must be placed into separated containers, or clear bags.
- Grass clippings, leaves and brush may be dropped off at the landfill at no additional charge if you have a city resident landfill permit. You will also be able to use the chipped material for personal use.

#### Leaves:

- Backyard composting is recommended.
- All leaves must be bagged in an approved bag and tied.
- An approved bag is a clear plastic bag not larger than 35 gallons and not weighing more than 50 pounds when full. Brown paper leaf recycling bags not weighing more than 50 pounds when full are allowed.

*NOTICE: Raking leaves to the curb is prohibited and may result in fines or separate collection charges that will be billed to the property owner.*

### Sticks and Bundled Brush

(Pick-up: every second week during the months of May through November)

Standards to be met for pick-up:

- Material 4 inches in diameter or less.
- 4 feet or less in length.
- Originating on that particular property only.
- Yard waste (twigs/clippings) must be bagged or containerized – collected on Mondays except during holiday weeks.
- The disposal of any material not meeting these standards (i.e. stumps and other tree material over 4 inches) is the responsibility of the property owner.

Dear Residents,

*We would like to thank you for using this Streamline Calendar and our City website as your resources for understanding Curbside Refuse and Recycling Collection in the City of Auburn. As we embark on the new year of 2015 we will be implementing new educational efforts to better assist residents with our programs and we will also be implementing new efforts to equally enforce the City code requirements of the program. The requirements outlined in this document will help ensure continued efficient weekly curbside collection service, consistently delivered by our dedicated City personnel.*

Sincerely,  
 Doug Selby, City Manager

[www.AuburnNY.gov/Streamline](http://www.AuburnNY.gov/Streamline)

**City Code Strictly Enforced:** Beginning in January 2015 the City will begin a new effort to strictly enforce rules and regulations pertaining to Curbside Refuse/Trash and Recycling collection as outlined in City Code Chapter 254 titled 'Solid Waste'. A complete copy of this code chapter can be found on the City website, or may be obtained at the City Clerk's office, first floor, City Hall.

**Official Public Notice:** This STREAMLINE calendar and newsletter outlines the rules and regulations pertaining to residential curbside collection found in City Code Chapter 254 titled 'Solid Waste' and serves as official public notice regarding rules and regulations contained within.

**Set-Out Times:** All refuse/trash and recyclables must be placed at curbside AFTER 5:00 p.m. the day immediately prior to collection and before 7:00 a.m. on collection day. Please place your recycling containers away from your refuse/trash containers.

#### Use of Approved Containers Required:

**Approved Refuse/Trash Container:** Defined as a plastic or metal container or a clear plastic bag not larger than 35 gallons and not weighing more than 50 pounds when full. Cardboard boxes are not considered approved refuse containers.

**LIMITS:** No more than five approved refuse containers per unit may be placed curbside each week.

**Approved Recyclable Container:** Defined as a plastic or metal container, not larger than 35 gallons and not weighing more than 50 pounds when full. Recyclable containers shall be clearly marked or labeled with a large letter 'R' to define them as containers that hold only the contents defined as recyclables.

**LIMITS:** To encourage recycling there is no limit to the number of approved recyclable containers per unit that may be placed curbside each week.

#### LANDFILL INFORMATION:

The City of Auburn Landfill Office is located at 311 North Division Street. For questions pertaining to the City's Refuse and Recycling program please visit the City website at: [www.AuburnNY.gov/Streamline](http://www.AuburnNY.gov/Streamline) or call the Landfill Office at 315-252-6441.

**Landfill Hours:** Monday – Friday, 7:00 a.m. – 2:30 p.m. Closed on Saturdays, Sundays and holidays.

*Landfill Sticker/Permits may be purchased by City residents and property owners annually at the Landfill Office.*

#### Landfill Disposal Fees:

Bulk Construction/Demolition Debris .....	\$72/ton
Bulk Garbage/Trash.....	\$72/ton or \$3.60/100 lbs (min. charge \$3.60)
Bulk Brush/Trees .....	\$40/ton or \$2.00/100 lbs (min. charge \$2.00)
Bulk Grass/Leaves ...	\$20/ton or \$1.00/100 lbs (Free for City Residents)
Bulk Recyclables.....	\$20/ton or \$1.00/100 lbs (min. charge \$1.00)

Bagged Asbestos .....	\$140/ton
Asbestos Containing C&D .....	\$140/ton
Bulk item .....	Fee schedule ranges from \$10-\$55 (furniture, electronics, appliances, etc.)

**Holiday Weeks:** Please note your pick-up day may change during a holiday week, please see the calendar for holiday week schedules.

**Approved Recyclables:** All approved recycling programs provided in the City are outlined individually throughout this document.

#### Needles, Syringes, Lancets, and other Sharp Medical Waste:

The City does not pick up medical waste, do not put medical waste in your trash. Please call your prescribing physician for proper disposal.

**Household Hazardous Waste:** The City does not pick up any hazardous waste, do not put hazardous waste of any kind in your trash. This includes: pesticides, oil-based paints, cleaning chemicals, batteries, fluorescent lightbulbs, etc. These wastes must be disposed of properly. Please contact the Cornell Cooperative Extension (315-255-1183) for disposal details and options which include annual hazardous waste drop-off events.

#### Construction/Demolition Material:

##### Limited Collection

The City will collect up to 2 containers of construction/demolition debris per week, in an approved container and not exceeding 50 pounds per container. Larger quantities may be disposed of at the landfill for a fee.

Construction/Demolition waste includes, but is not limited to sheet rock, brick, lumber, and roofing material. In addition, no collection service will be provided for rocks, soil, concrete or stumps.



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## ★ ★ TRASH AND RECYCLING PICKUP SCHEDULE ★ ★

PLEASE BE AWARE OF SCHEDULE CHANGES FOR HOLIDAY WEEKS – WEEK INDICATED IN YELLOW

### Co-mingle



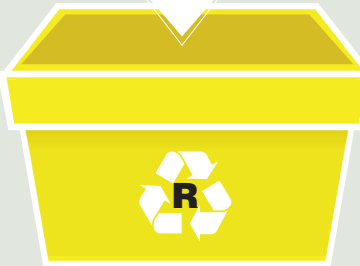
plastic containers glass containers



metal containers newspaper

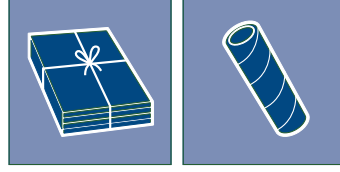
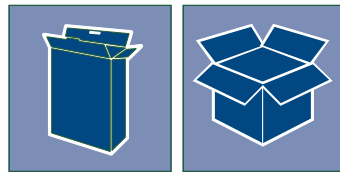
Materials can be mixed together, no need to separate. Items should be cleaned and flattened if possible.

Only recycle plastics through



**DO NOT** recycle junk mail, broken glass, light bulbs, mirrors, plate glass, cookware, styrofoam or plastic shopping bags.

### Cardboard



Must be flattened, tied or containerized. May place flattened cardboard into larger box.



**DO NOT** recycle pizza boxes or cardboard with wax coating, plastic liners or cardboard soiled by food.



### Other Recycling –

Visit the City's recycling web page for more information on recycling of all other items at:

[www.AuburnNY.gov/Streamline](http://www.AuburnNY.gov/Streamline)

Area 1 Area 2 Area 3 Area 4

Holiday week: there will be no yard waste pickup these weeks.

JANUARY 2015	S	M	T	W	T	F	S
CO-MINGLE					1	2	3
CO-MINGLE	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
CARDBOARD	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
CO-MINGLE	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
CARDBOARD	25	26	27	28	29	30	31

FEBRUARY 2015	S	M	T	W	T	F	S
CO-MINGLE	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
CARDBOARD	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
CO-MINGLE	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
CARDBOARD	22	23	24	25	26	27	28

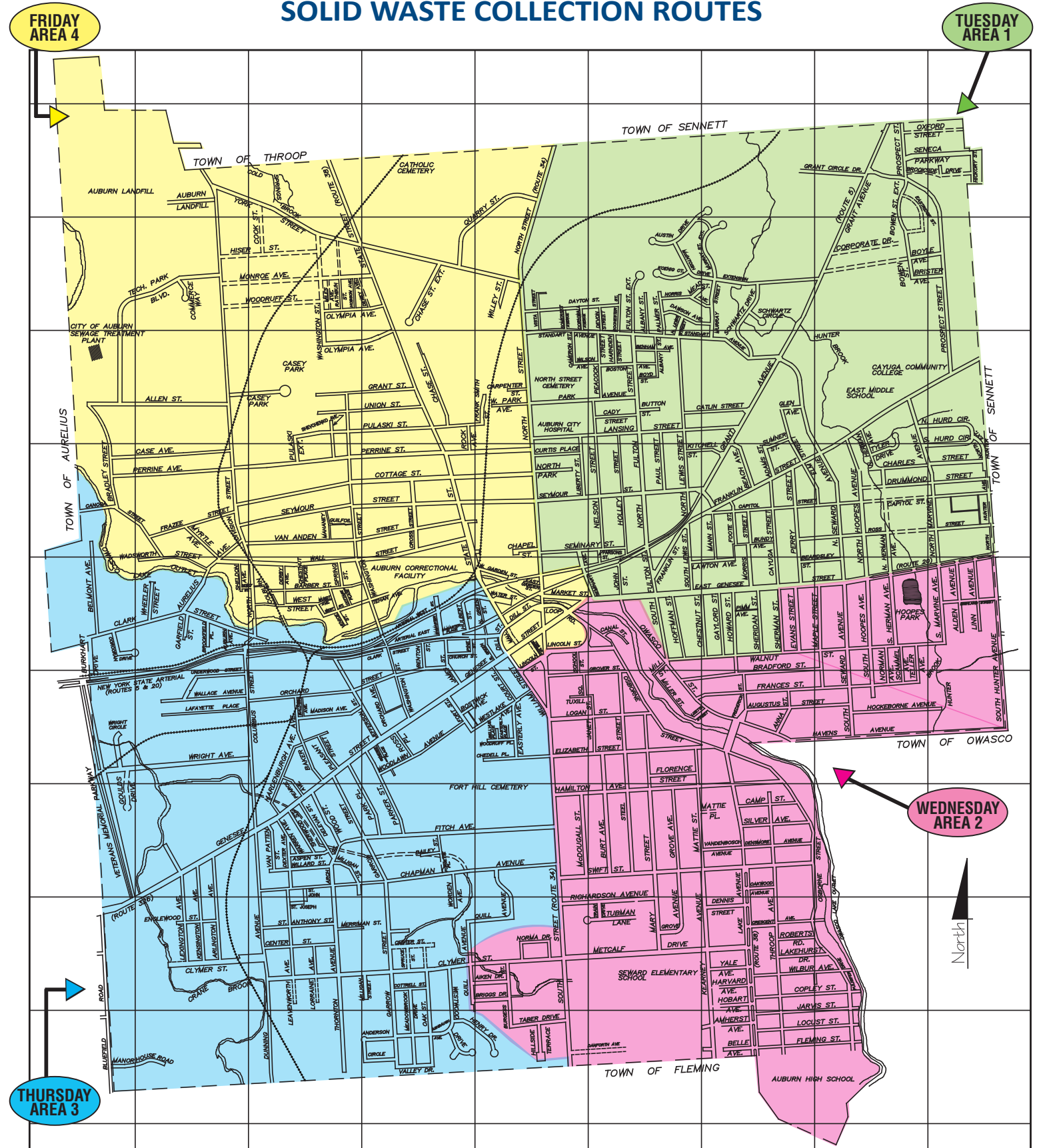
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CARDBOARD	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
CO-MINGLE	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
CARDBOARD	22	23	24	25	26	27	28
CO-MINGLE	29	30	31				

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CO-MINGLE				1	2	3	4
CARDBOARD	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
CO-MINGLE	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
CARDBOARD	19	20	21	22	23	24	25
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CO-MINGLE						1	2
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CARDBOARD	31	1	2	3	4	5	6
CO-MINGLE	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
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## SOLID WASTE COLLECTION ROUTES



### Large/Bulk Item Recycling –

- The City provides bulk item recycling/disposal for a fee.
- Items include couches, chairs, tables, dressers, mattresses, TVs, refrigerators, appliances, etc.
- You must call 315-255-4143 to pre-pay and pre-arrange for pick-up.
- Once you have pre-arranged for pick-up you will be given directions for how and when to place the large/bulk item at the curb for pick-up.

- Do not set large/bulk items out for pick-up if you have not pre-paid for these items, if the City picks up bulk items that have not been pre-paid or pre-arranged for pick-up you will be billed for the pick-up at a higher rate.
- Pre-arranged fees range from \$10.00-\$55.00 per item depending on size and item.
- Failure to pre-pay/pre-arrange for pick-up will result in higher fees and additional fines.

### Allowing Out-of-City Refuse is Strictly Prohibited

It shall be a violation for any owner, resident, occupant and/or tenant of any real property parcel situated within the City of Auburn to place out for curbside collection or permit or allow to be placed out for collection any yard waste, recycling or refuse of any kind that has not been generated at the real property parcel as it is defined by the City of Auburn.