# Let's Do It Right Garbage. Recycling. Yard Waste.





**Service Address** 



**Recycling Week** 



PDC Services, Inc. P.O. Box 9071 Peoria, IL 61612-9071 Washington

# Welcome Washington!

Effective April 1, 2020, PDC Services, Inc. (PDC) is your new solid waste service provider. Under a new agreement with the City of Washington, PDC will collect garbage and recycling from your home. The fee is \$15.25 per month. Based on City Code each Washington household is required to have weekly garbage service. In this brochure, you will find information on our multiple services. **Contact PDC with questions at washington@pdcarea.com**, **please put your account number (located on front page) in the SUBJECT line or call us at 309-674-5176 during regular business hours**.

#### GARBAGE

- » One 65-gallon or 95-gallon roller-cart is included in your monthly fee. You can rent an additional roller-cart for \$2.50 a month, paid quarterly in advance.
- » Please have your garbage and recycling at the curb **before 6:00 a.m. on your collection day.**
- » Private containers and garbage bags can be set out in addition to the material in your roller-cart. Private garbage containers and garbage bags are limited to 35 gallon in size and must weigh less than 50 pounds per unit..
- » Walk-up service is available for an additional \$8 per month. Contact PDC to sign-up at washington@pdcarea.com, please put your account number (located on front page) in the SUBJECT line or call us at 309-674-5176 during regular business hours.

Unacceptable items:

- ♦ E-Waste ♦ Concrete, rocks, or dirt
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- ♦ Batteries ♦ Yard waste

## RECYCLING

#### YOU MUST SIGN-UP FOR RECYCLING!

- » Recycling participants will need to use a 65-gallon or 95-gallon PDC-issued roller-cart included in the base fee. You can rent one additional roller-cart for \$2.50 a month, paid quarterly in advance.
- » Recycling pick-up is every other week on the same day as your garbage pick-up day. Check the calendar on the back of this packet for you recycling schedule!
- » We encourage everyone to recycle! Last year, PDC diverted 40,000 tons of material from landfills through our municipal recycling programs. We want you to recycle!
- » All recyclables are collected in a single-stream process.
- » All recyclables go in the roller-cart loose! Do not bag recyclables in plastic grocery bags or plastic garbage bags.
- » All materials must be contained in our recycling cart.
- » No glass!

# **IMPORTANT**

- » Carts are included! PDC will issue <u>one roller-cart for garbage service</u>. PDC will issue one roller-cart for recycling if you <u>opt-in to recycling service</u>. Both garbage and recycling roller-carts are available in two sizes (65 gallon or 95 gallon).
- » You must use a PDC cart to participate in recycling.
- » PDC will be sending you a postcard in the coming days to select your cart size.
- » Those not indicating a preference will be issued a 95-gallon roller-cart for garbage only.
- » You will have the option to rent a second garbage or recycling cart for \$2.50 per month per cart.
- » Roller-carts will be delivered to your house mid-May.

Until PDC's new roller-carts arrive, households need to bag their garbage or use private containers for pickup. Please use the City of Washington blue recycling crates for service until the new recycling roller-carts arrive. The blue recycling crate is yours to keep.

Don't bag recycling

#### YARD WASTE

- » Weekly yard waste collection at the curb is an optional service available on an annual subscription basis. You must email washington@pcdarea.com or call 309- 674-5176 to sign-up.
- » The fee is \$120 a year payable at \$10 per month and includes the use of a 95-gallon roller-cart with a green lid.
- » Yard waste collection will be weekly on Fridays throughout the City from April through November.
- » Extra volume beyond the cart needs to be properly set out:
  - » All material needs to be in a brown paper yard waste bag.
  - » All bundled yard waste must be less than 4 feet in length.
  - » Please tie bundles with non-metallic cord, such as twine.

### MORTON DROP-OFF

AREA-Morton, 1090 W. Jefferson St., Morton, IL • M-F 8:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. or Saturday 8:00 a.m.-noon (seasonally) Phone: 309-263-2390

#### E-Waste

- » There will be free e-waste drop-off at AREA Morton.
- » Proper form of identification is required at drop-off.
- » Households must have PDC accounts in good standing to use the drop-off.

#### Yard Waste

» Residents who do not want subscription service can drop-off yard waste at AREA-Morton for \$2.50 per bag.

Effective April 1, 2020, Washington households can drop-off e-waste and yard waste.

### **BULKY ITEMS**

- » Bulky items are items too large to fit inside your trash container.
- » There will be a city-wide clean-up on your normal pick up day found on the calendar on the back of this packet.
- » Items include:
  - » Furniture
  - » Mattresses
  - » Building Materials
- » For bulky item pickup outside of the clean-up, you can call to schedule a pickup. The fee will be \$15 per item. You MUST call 309-674-5176 to schedule a special pickup.

# BILLING

- » Your PDC account number can be found on the front of this brochure. Please reach out to us at washington@pdcarea.com or 309-674-5176 to update contact information. It is crucial to update information to receive service alerts and updates.
- » BASE services are paid quarterly in advance at \$15.25 per month.
- » Your first invoice will arrive the beginning of April.
- » We encourage you to sign-up for auto pay or e-pay to reduce paper waste. Instructions for electronic payments will be on your first invoice.
- » Cash payments can be made through FirsTech© at Kroger in Washington.

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SCHEDULE A **2020 WASHINGTON** RECYCLING PICKUP Washington

We are picking up recyclables **EVERY OTHER WEEK**. Yard waste will be picked up **EVERY FRIDAY** Apr-Nov. Bulky item pickup will be in June. Recycling and bulky item pickup will be on the same day as your trash service.



#### Please have your trash and recyclables out by 6:00 a.m.

Items collected at curbside are picked up in a single-stream process. All containers must be rinsed out before pickup to reduce contamination and odors. Recyclables must be placed in and contained in a PDC issued roller-cart. With our single-stream process, we do not accept glass. All glass goes in the trash.



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