

## **To: Residents of Harris-Fort Bend County MUD NO.1**

On May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2007, WCA Waste (WCA) became your new trash collection provider.

**TRASH SERVICE DAYS ARE EVERY WEDNESDAY AND SATURDAY AND RECYCLE DAY IS EVERY WEDNESDAY**

**Please have trash out at curb by 7:00 am each pick up day.**

On each regularly scheduled collection day Wednesday and Saturday, WCA will collect residential refuse located at the curbside; refuse must be either in containers not exceeding 96 gallons or bags not exceeding 40 gallons or weighing over 40 pounds.

Trees, shrubs, brush trimmings and fencing must be bundled in lengths no greater than 4 feet with no branch diameter exceeding 3 inches. The bundling is required to allow quick pickup and size limitations are required to avoid damaging the equipment in the crushing process. All residential waste materials except tree and yard waste must be either in containers, bags or bundles not exceeding 40 pounds.

Items such as appliances, furniture, carpet (up to 1 room, rolled up four feet wide and less than fifty pounds), cardboard boxes (flattened), will be picked up either day. By Federal Law, refrigerators and freezers or any other items containing Freon must be drained of Freon and have an accompanying bill to validate such service was performed.

Items excluded from normal collection are dirt, rocks, bricks, concrete, tires, batteries, motor oil, cooking oil, waste generated by a private contractor or any materials or items deemed hazardous materials. WCA will leave a tag explaining the reason for non-collected item(s).

Other than normal amounts of residential refuse, yard trimmings or bulk items, if notified in advance, WCA will meet with a resident prior to collection day to determine a price. If a resident does not notify WCA of such a special pick-up before its scheduled day, then WCA will leave a notice for the resident to contact Contractor during normal office hours before the next scheduled pick up day.

WCA will clean up any spillage that occurs during the collection or recycling process; provided, however, that if gasoline, motor oil, paints, cooking oil, or any other liquid items in a container that is not visible to Contractor personnel results in spillage that causes a stain, WCA cannot be responsible.

## **RECYCLE DAY IS EVERY WEDNESDAY**

WCA takes great pride in our recycling program and efforts. Ensuring the best recycle program for our customers takes time and effort on both sides. Please remove caps, liquids and food products from inside the containers. Please only use the recycle bins for recyclable materials, not as an extra trash container.

**WCA will collect newspapers, plastics 1 and 2 (look for classification stamp on items), aluminum and tin cans that are placed within the provided recycling bin. If items exceed container capacity, please place them adjacent to bin.**

WCA will provide each current residence with one recycling bin. WCA will replace any bins that are defective or otherwise become unusable due to normal wear and tear. Theft, lost or additional bins can be replaced at \$7.00 each.

If you find items left in your bin that are not recyclable please dispose of these items in your trash container for the next scheduled pick up.

## **Holidays**

When regular pick-up falls on a holiday, New Year's Day, Memorial Day, July 4<sup>th</sup> – Independence Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day, and Christmas Day, the pick-up will be made on the next regular scheduled pick-up day. If your recycling day falls on a holiday it will be picked up the next week on your normal scheduled recycle day.

## **Contact Information:**

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