

CITY OF STARKVILLE HOUSEHOLD GARBAGE RULES

Residential garbage is collected by the City of Starkville's Sanitation Department twice a week.

Garbage must be set out by 7:00 A.M. on the day of collection to insure pickup! If you are not aware of your days please, feel free to contact the Sanitation Department at 662-323-2652.

Garbage that will not be picked up on holidays, information on the holidays will be posted in the Starkville Daily News, Northland Cable and on the city's website.

COLLECTION FEES

A monthly charge of \$10.50 per dwelling unit is added to each resident's electric bill. This amount includes the cost of collection of all residential garbage and the cost of burying that garbage in the Golden Triangle Regional Landfill. Fees are based upon the current operating budget and are adjusted periodically to reflect the cost of service.

COLLECTION LOCATIONS

Street Collection:

Garbage must be placed within five (5) feet of the curb or pavement edge.

Garbage may not be placed for collection prior to 6:00 P.M. the day before collection. Containers must be removed from the collection point before 10:00 P.M. the day of collection.

Alley Collection:

Garbage must be placed within six (6) feet of the alley in a place where access is not impeded by a fence or other obstruction.

Containers:

Household waste must be contained in tied plastic bags. The City of Starkville Sanitation Department furnishes twice per year (once every 6 months) garbage bags to place your household garbage in. The delivery will be posted in the Starkville Daily News, Northland Cable, and on the city's website.

The City of Starkville Sanitation Department **DOES NOT** pick-up loose garbage placed in cans or boxes.

It shall be unlawful for any person to scatter, dump, throw, sweep, or place, or cause to be scattered, dumped, thrown, dropped, swept, or placed, any garbage, trash, or solid waste of any kind upon the street, alleys, sidewalks, playgrounds, parks, drainage ditches, vacant lots, or any other property, public or private, within the City, unless placed for collection in conformance with this ordinance. **(ORDINANCE NUMBER 2003-3)**