

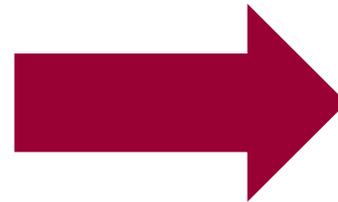


NEW GARBAGE & RECYCLING IN HAMMOND

Starts January 1, 2020

TRASH TALKING

- Pick-up stays 2x per week and on the same days you've had—either Mon/Thurs or Tues/Fri.
- You'll get a black 95-gallon rolling cart to use. It's coming after December 15 and will have the Amwaste logo.
- You can still put out as much trash as you have and use multiple cans, but put as much in the new cart as possible for faster collection.



RECYCLING RUNDOWN

- No more curbside recycling after Dec 31, 2019.
- Bring recycling to the City's 190 facility.

1st and 3rd Saturdays from 8am - 12pm at 18104 US Hwy 190 East.

Tangi Parish accepts recycling at 44512 W Pleasant Ridge on 2nd and 4th Saturdays from 8am - 12pm.

- Paid subscription service – \$100 a year to keep curbside recycling picked up once a week. Call 985-878-9998 or email customerservice.la@amwasteusa.com to sign up.

JANUARY 2020							
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	
29	30	31	Curbside 1 subscription starts	2	3	4 	
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RECYCLING TIPS

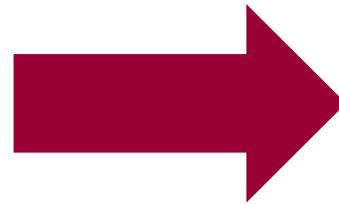
Whether you pay for curbside or use the City's 190 facility:

- Aluminum/Tin cans: Clean, rinsed of all food/drink residue.
- Paper: Clean, unsoiled newspaper, magazines, catalogs, gift wrap, paper bags, junk mail, white or colored paper, envelopes. No bound books, paper bound/wrapped in plastic, rubber bands, or photos.
- Cardboard: Clean toilet paper/towel rolls, egg cartons, cereal/food boxes, packing materials, shipping boxes. Break down or flatten boxes as much as possible.
- Plastics: Clean, rinsed of all residue and caps removed.



BLUE CARTS

- You can keep your current, blue recycling cart and use it as you wish – maybe for extra garbage or for leaf/yard waste. How about storing your wrapping paper?
- Amwaste will empty the blue cart as garbage if it's on the curb and you haven't paid for curbside recycling.





RECYCLING NEWS

- Why no glass? Glass is tough to recycle because it's heavy and fragile. Many facilities refuse glass because it breaks equipment and injures workers as they try to sort items.

[More info about glass recycling](#)

- Why is the City's program changing? Recycling costs have doubled within the last two years. Programs have been revamped to survive.

[High costs are due to contamination and China refusing US recyclables](#)



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