

CITY OF

# YONKERS

MAYOR MIKE SPANO



Mayor Mike Spano with one of three new food scrap drop-off collection bins.



## 2026 RECYCLING & REFUSE GUIDE

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# IMPORTANT PHONE NUMBERS



## HAVE AN EMERGENCY?

**CALL 911** OR the City's alternative emergency number **914-377-7777**.

**TTY Dial 711** or 800-662-1220 for English  
877-662-4886 for Spanish

## NEED ASSISTANCE?

Contact us 24/7 at **377-HELP (4357)**  
or [mayor@yonkersny.gov](mailto:mayor@yonkersny.gov).

## CITY OF YONKERS

Mayor Mike Spano .....	914-377-6300
Animal Shelter .....	914-377-6730
Assessment .....	914-377-6200
Bulk Removal Appointments.....	914-377-4357
City Clerk.....	914-377-6020
City Maintenance.....	914-377-4357
Code Enforcement.....	914-377-6888
Constituent Services.....	914-377-6010
Consumer Protection.....	914-377-3000
Engineering .....	914-377-6218
Fire Department (non-emergency).....	914-377-7555
Heat Hotline.....	914-965-3331
Housing & Buildings.....	914-377-6500
Office for the Aging.....	914-377-6823
Parking Violations.....	914-377-6600
Parks Department.....	914-377-6450
Police Department (non-emergency) .....	914-377-7900
Recycling Center .....	914-377-6752
Sanitation .....	914-377-4357
Sewer .....	914-377-4357
Tax Department .....	914-377-6141
Veterans Services .....	914-377-6700
Water Bureau/Billing.....	914-377-6999

## YONKERS CITY COUNCIL

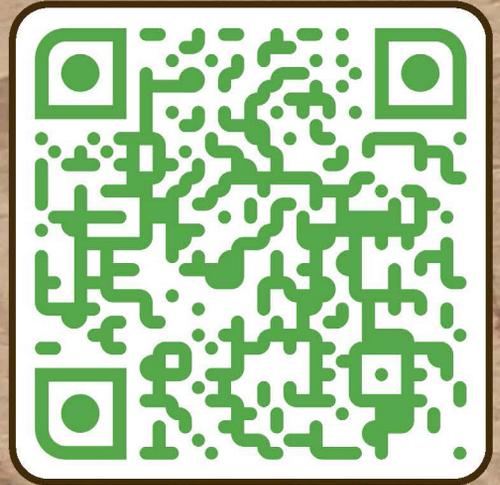
City Council President.....	Lakisha Collins-Bellamy .....	914-377-6060
District 1 .....	Deana Robinson .....	914-377-6311
District 2 .....	Corazon Pineda-Isaac.....	914-377-6312
District 3 .....	Tasha Diaz .....	914-377-6313
District 4 .....	John Rubbo .....	914-377-6314
District 5 .....	Mike Breen .....	914-377-6315
District 6 .....	Tim Hodges.....	914-377-6316

## FOOD SCRAP RECYCLING PROGRAM

Recycling food scraps reduces waste and saves tax dollars!

Scan the QR code or visit [www.yonkersny.gov/foodscraps](http://www.yonkersny.gov/foodscraps) to learn about new drop-off locations, curbside collection, and Food Scrap Recycling Guidelines.

Residents who participate in the program can receive free compost soil at the Recycling Center in the spring.



## YONKERS WATERWISE PORTAL

All property owners who have completed their water meter upgrade can now access the new Yonkers WaterWise customer portal.

Monitor your water use, manage your account, and access online billing at [www.yonkersny.gov/Water-Bills](http://www.yonkersny.gov/Water-Bills).

If you haven't upgraded yet, schedule your meter upgrade today at [www.yonkersny.gov/watermeterupgrade](http://www.yonkersny.gov/watermeterupgrade) or call 877-860-8376.

This upgrade is required for all property owners.

## KEEP YONKERS CLEAN – CONTAINERIZE YOUR TRASH!

Uncontained trash bags attract animals and create litter.

Store all garbage in containers with tightly closed lids to keep our neighborhoods clean.



# ♻️ SORT IT OUT

Quick reference guide for recycling & refuse collection in Yonkers



## PLASTIC

Coded 1-7, 5 gallons or less (e.g., food, beverage, detergent, and soap containers, caps and lids)

## NO PLASTIC BAGS

## GLASS

Food and drink jars and bottles, any color

**NO DRINKING GLASSES, CRYSTAL, WINDOW OR MIRROR GLASS**

## METAL

Food and beverage cans, clean aluminum foil and trays, empty aerosol cans

**NO PAINT CANS\***, BBQ TANKS, HOUSEHOLD APPLIANCES, CONSTRUCTION MATERIAL

## CARTONS

Gable-top refrigerated food and beverage cartons, aseptic cartons, juice boxes, ice cream containers, milk and juice cartons

**NO PAPER CUPS, JUICE POUCHES**

\*Dry paint cans are to be thrown out as trash. Wet paint cans to be brought to the Recycling Center.



## YES

Newspapers  
Glossy inserts  
Phone books  
Soft cover books  
Magazines  
Junk mail  
Brown paper bags  
Flattened corrugated and gray cardboard boxes

## NO

Juice boxes  
Waxed paper  
Glossy gift boxes  
Plastic bags

All recycling must be clean and placed in an open container.  
Do not place recycling in plastic bags.



## YONKERS RECYCLING CENTER

735 SAW MILL RIVER ROAD

MONDAY – SATURDAY • 7:30 AM – 4:15 PM

### BATTERIES

**NO** car batteries

### E-WASTE

Electronics

### FLUORESCENT BULBS & LIGHT BALLASTS

### HOUSEHOLD RECYCLABLES

Mixed recyclables, paper  
recyclables & textiles

### METAL & NON-METAL BULK ITEMS\*

**PROPANE TANKS** - Empty

### TIRES (NO RIMS)

\$8.00 per tire. Max of 4  
per household. No tires  
from large or commercial  
vehicles.

### FOOD SCRAPS

### PAINT

### HARDCOVER BOOKS

### RECYCLING CENTER RULES AND REGULATION

NO construction debris, NO commercial vehicles or rental trucks. To visit the Recycling Center, you **MUST** be a Yonkers resident in a one-to-six-family home. A valid New York State driver's license, and vehicle registration must be presented and match your residence. Limit one visit per day, twice per a week.



## YONKERS ORGANIC YARD

610 NEPPERHAN AVENUE

MONDAY – SATURDAY • 7:00 AM – 3:00 PM

OPEN YEAR-ROUND - Closed for lunch Noon to 1PM

### LEAVES

Pickup - Wednesdays  
from Sept. 30 – Dec. 9,  
except during holiday  
week - see calendar.  
(Must be in brown  
paper leaf bags)

### CHRISTMAS TREES

Remove decorations  
and tinsel

### YARD TRIMMINGS

Branches up to 10  
inches in diameter.  
Grass clippings are  
allowed (Plastic bags are  
not permitted)

### SPRING YARD PICK-UP

April 22, May 6 & May 20  
or drop off at organic  
yard Monday through  
Saturday

### ORGANIC YARD RULES AND REGULATION

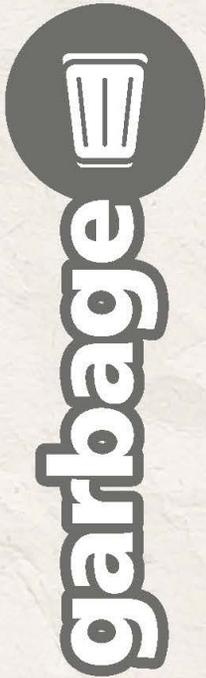
To visit the Organic Yard, you **MUST** be a Yonkers resident in a one-to-six-family home. You **MUST** visit scale and weigh-in prior to entry. Commercial vehicles with valid permits **ONLY**. Limit 1 visit per day, twice per a week.

# Recycle Coach App



Yonkers residents can access their garbage and recycling schedule, receive weekly reminders for collections, request bulk item pick-up, report a problem or find how to dispose of items all via the free **RECYCLE COACH** app.

Download the app today on any desktop computer, mobile device or digital assistant like Amazon, Alexa or Google Home.



## GENERAL HOUSEHOLD REFUSE

Trash cans should be 32 gallons or less and weigh no more than 50 lbs. Trash cans **MUST** be covered and placed at the curb **NO** earlier than sundown.

## NON-METAL BULK ITEMS\*

Place one item curbside on the second pickup of the week (except during holiday weeks) – Includes

chairs, mattresses, sofas, rugs (3 ft. lengths & tied), tables and other items.

## OTHER CARDBOARD & PAPER

**NOT PERMITTED** Ceramics, cookware, glassware, mirrors, construction debris and windows.

For a complete list, visit [yonkersny.gov/guide](http://yonkersny.gov/guide)

*\*Metal and non-metal bulk services are only available for one-to-six-family homes.*

Anything littered into a storm drain ends up in our waterways. Please don't pollute into storm drains. For complete rules & regulations, visit [yonkersny.gov/guide](http://yonkersny.gov/guide)

# 2026 RECYCLING & REFUSE CALENDAR

## JANUARY

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
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4						
11						
18	<b>H</b>	<b>M</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>Th</b>	24
25	26	27	<b>P</b>	29	30	31

## FEBRUARY

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
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15	<b>H</b>	<b>M</b>	<b>T</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>Th</b>	21
22	23	24	<b>P</b>	26	27	28

## MARCH

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## APRIL

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26	27	28	<b>C</b>	30		

## MAY

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## JUNE

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## AUGUST

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## SEPTEMBER

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## OCTOBER

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## NOVEMBER

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## DECEMBER

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**H** Holiday (No Pickup) - Pickup shifts over one day that week

**M** Rescheduled Monday Pickup

**T** Rescheduled Tuesday Pickup

**Th** Rescheduled Thursday Pickup

**C** Commingles

**P** Paper (Pulp)/Cardboard

**L** Leaves (must be in brown paper leaf bags)

**●** Mayor's/Teamsters Cleanup Day by Appointment ONLY call 914-377-4357

**S** Spring Yard Pickup (Place leaves and twigs at the curb in approved paper bags)

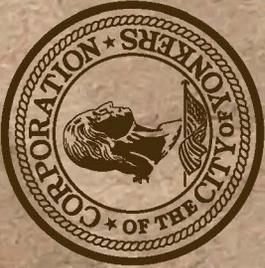
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Alternate side of the street parking suspended - Meters NOT in Effect

Christmas Trees to be picked up throughout the week

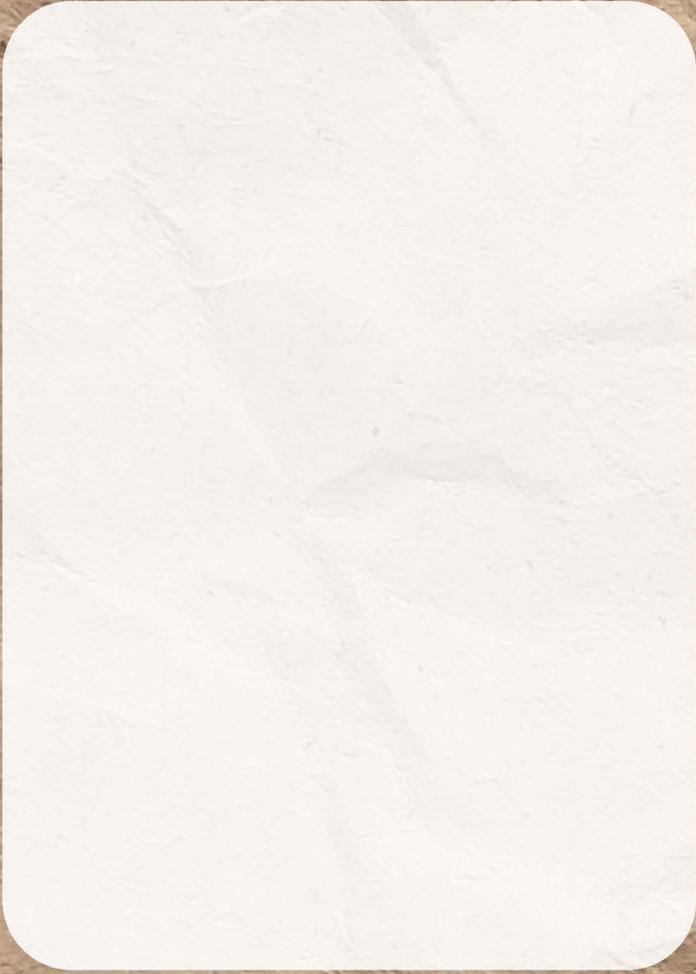
Use of gas-powered leaf blowers is prohibited

Shred Mobile - call the Mayor's Help Line for location 377-HELP (4357) and additional dates



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