**SOLID WASTE & RECYCLING HOLIDAY GUIDE**

**HOLIDAY LANDFILL HOURS**
Dec. 24th 7 a.m. - noon
Closed Dec. 25 & Jan. 1

**HOLIDAY TRASH & RECYCLING SERVICE SCHEDULE**
The following collection days will be postponed one business day:
Dec. 25, 2019 - Wednesday & Thursday affected
Jan. 1, 2020 - Wednesday & Thursday affected
Jan. 20, 2020 - Whole week delayed one day

**EXCESS TRASH**
Excess trash will no longer be picked up curbside. The following options are available to dispose of excess trash:
- Drop-off is available at the landfill, 1527 S. Mayhill Rd. (Open M-Sat. 7 a.m. – 4 p.m.); fees will apply.
- Place trash bags in green trash cart weekly until excess trash is disposed of.
- Place an order for an additional green cart; fees will apply.

**CARDBOARD BOXES**
Flattened cardboard can be recycled in the blue recycling cart. Cardboard must fit inside your cart! Large amounts of flattened cardboard can be dropped off at one of the following recycling centers:
- North Lakes Park, Windsor Drive at Hinkle Drive
- 703 N. Elm St., West Congress Street at North Elm Street
- Landfill 1527 S. Mayhill Rd. (Open M-Sat. 7 a.m. – 4 p.m.)

**CHRISTMAS TREE**
Live, non-flocked Christmas trees can be dropped off, free of charge, at the landfill, 1527 S. Mayhill Rd. between Dec. 26 - Jan. 31.
Curbside pickup is also available by following these steps:
- Remove all decorations - lights, ornaments, tinsel, wire, ribbon, tree skirt, and stand.
- Call* (940) 349-8700 to schedule a pickup.
- Once scheduled, place curbside, at least four feet from cart & other objects, by 7a.m.
*No call necessary for residents who have opted into yard waste service.

**PACKAGING MATERIAL**
**Styrofoam**
- Styrofoam packaging material should be placed in the green trash cart. Utilize the Waste Wizard App at www.dentonrecycles.com, to find local drop-off facilities.

**Plastic Bags & Plastic Film**
- Clean and dry plastic bags, film, and bubble wrap can be recycled at a participating grocery store. Find a store near you at https://www.plasticfilmrecycling.org/

Soiled plastic bags, film, and bubble wrap should be placed in the green trash cart.
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ORNAMENTS & DECORATIONS
Donate holiday decorations such as ornaments, artificial tree, and wreaths. If items are unable to be donated, place in the green trash cart. For any large decorative items that do not fit in the green cart, such as an artificial tree or large yard decoration, call (940) 349-8700 to schedule a bulk item collection.

WRAPPING PAPER & CARDS
Unlaminated paper-based wrapping paper and gift cards can be placed loose in the blue recycling cart.
Not recyclable: Gift bags, tissue paper and wrapping paper with glitter, foil, bows, tape or texture.

HOLIDAY LIGHTS
Holiday lights should be discarded in the green trash cart. If lights are still in working condition, donate to a local charity or thrift store.

ELECTRONICS & APPLIANCES
Televisions, computers, and all other small household electronics and kitchen appliances are accepted for recycling at the City of Denton landfill at 1527 S. Mayhill Rd. Fees may apply. Televisions, computer monitors, and other major appliances may be collected curbside by calling Customer Service at (940) 349-8700. A collection and handling fee will apply per device with a screen. Additional information about recycling electronics and televisions can be found at https://www.tceq.texas.gov/p2/recycle/electronics/manufacturer-list.html.

FOOD & BEVERAGE CONTAINERS
Empty, clean, and dry food and beverage containers can be placed in the blue recycling cart. The following items are accepted in our recycling program:
- Plastics #1-7
- Flattened Cardboard & Mixed Paper
- Aluminum & Steel Cans
- Glass Bottles & Jars
- Cartons

For more information visit www.dentonrecycles.com or contact Customer Service at (940) 349-8700.