



CITY OF RICHLAND SOLID WASTE

Refuse, Recycling, and Yard Waste Collection in Richland

The Richland Solid Waste Division manages the collection and disposal of garbage in Richland.

The Collection Division provides service to residential and commercial customers. Curbside services include residential refuse, recycling, and yard waste collection.

- Waste containers need to be at curbside by 6:00 a.m. on your scheduled service day.
- Information about all solid waste services and a collection schedule can be found www.ci.richland.wa.us/solidwaste.
- If you are unable to locate the information you are looking for, please contact us by email solidwaste@ci.richland.wa.us or by phone at 942-7700.

Solid Waste Department

Hours of operation:

Monday - Friday

7:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

The City of Richland is committed to providing quality service to our residents. If your garbage pick-up was missed, please call our office at 942-7700.

Horn Rapids Sanitary Landfill

The landfill is located at 3102 Twin Bridges Road, Richland.

Hours of Operation:

Daily

8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

March - October

Monday through Sunday

November - February

Monday through Saturday

The Landfill is closed on City holidays and Easter. See additional information regarding holiday pick up on the collection calendar included in this packet.

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Curbside Recycling

Recycling at the curb is easy. Our co-mingled program includes a 96 gallon container to collect recyclables. Recycling containers are serviced every other week. Acceptable materials include cardboard, pressboard, cartons, jugs, plastic bottles, tin and aluminum can. Glass is NOT accepted in the curbside program. Residents can sign up by calling 942-7700. Recycling containers are collected every other week. Please place containers at the curb on the assigned collection day by 6am for service to avoid call back fees. Additional containers are with a one year commitment. Request by calling 942-7700. Garbage is not allowed in the recycling container.



PLASTIC

- Water, soda, and juice bottles
- Milk and juice jugs
- Condiment and salad dressing bottles
- Detergent bottles and jugs
- Shampoo, soap, and other bottles with a neck

(Rings, caps, and lids can be thrown away)

METAL

- Tin cans
- Beverage cans
- Clean aluminum foil and pie tins
- Gum and mint tins



PAPER

- Mail, office, and school papers
- Magazines and catalogs
- Newspapers and inserts
- Phone books
- Paper bags, file folders, gift wrap, and cards
- Egg cartons

BOXES

- Flattened cardboard
- Cereal and cracker boxes
- Shoe and gift boxes
- Toothpaste, medication, and other toiletry boxes
- Juice, milk, soup, and broth cartons
- Pasta, rice, and frozen entree boxes

Food contaminated materials should be placed in the garbage, not recycling.
For more information, visit ci.richland.wa.us/solidwaste

GLASS

- The curbside program does not allow glass recycling because it is easily broken, which contaminates the other recyclables.
- Glass is currently accepted at area drop boxes and Clayton Ward Recycling, located at 1936 Saint Street in Richland.

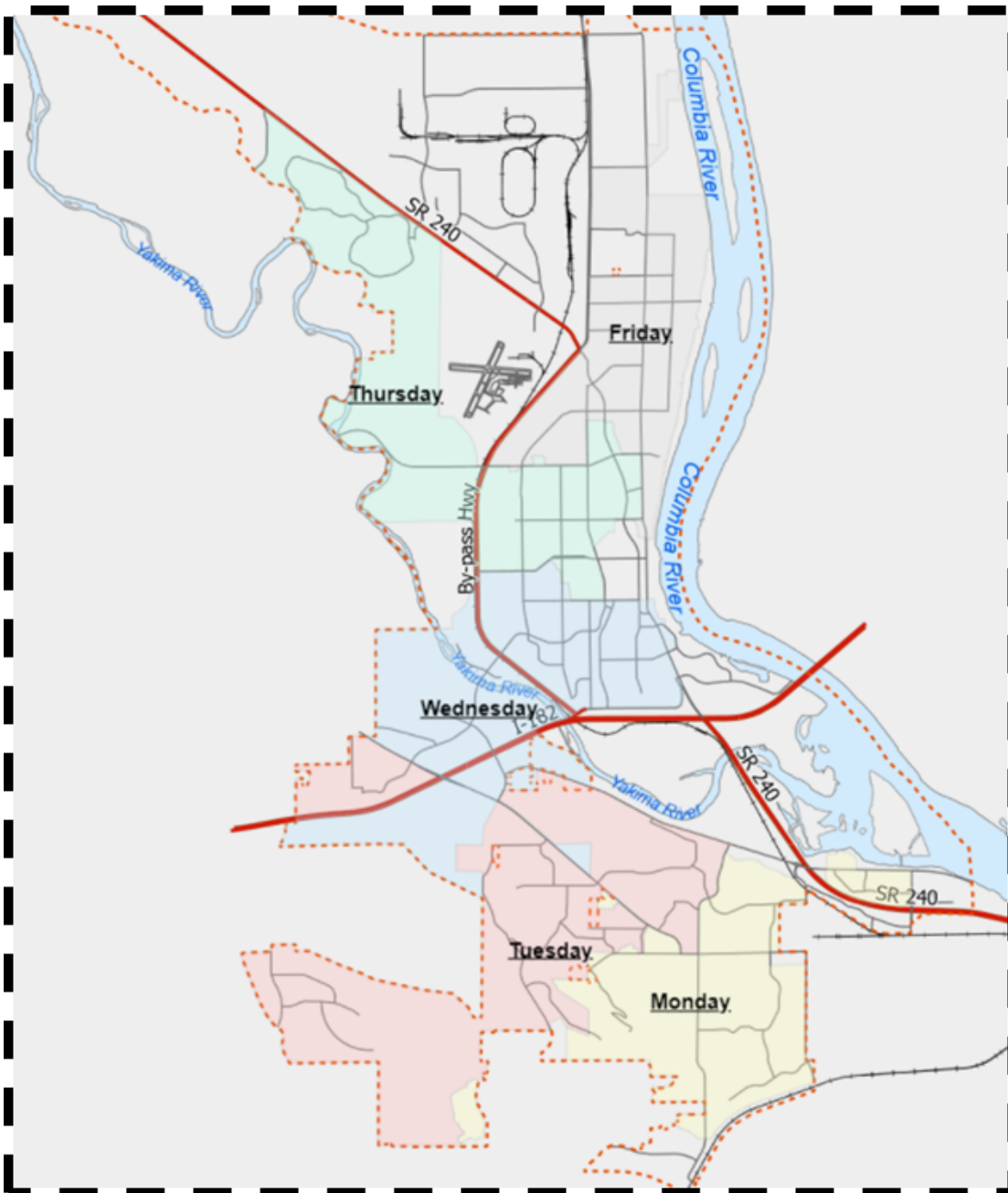
(More information can be found at claytonwardrecycling.com)



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Residential Collection

Collection crews pick up garbage on a daily schedule, Monday through Friday, year-round. The only exception to this schedule is Christmas Day. If your scheduled collection day falls on Christmas, your garbage will be picked up the following day. All other collections that week will be one day later than normal. Cans should be placed out for collection by 6am on the scheduled day. For questions concerning your garbage collection service, please call 942-7490



2022 COLLECTION CALENDAR

Visit www.ci.richland.wa.us/collectionschedule to find your recycling collection day and week.



■ Recycling Week A
 ■ Recycling Week B
 🎄 Christmas Tree Pick Up
 □ Fall Clean Up Bags

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Curbside Christmas Tree Pickup

Undecorated trees will be collected from the curb during the first two weeks of January. Trees more than six feet tall need to be cut in half.

Fall Cleanup

Please place extra bags (free during Fall Cleanup), along with your full refuse containers, weekly at the curb by 6:00 a.m. on your regularly scheduled collection day. Extra bagged items accepted at the curb: bagged and bundled organics, household waste, and small items. Limit of 40 lbs. per bag. Limbs and branches must be bundled. Everything picked up will be considered garbage during Fall Cleanup. No tumbleweeds, hazardous waste, appliances or tires.

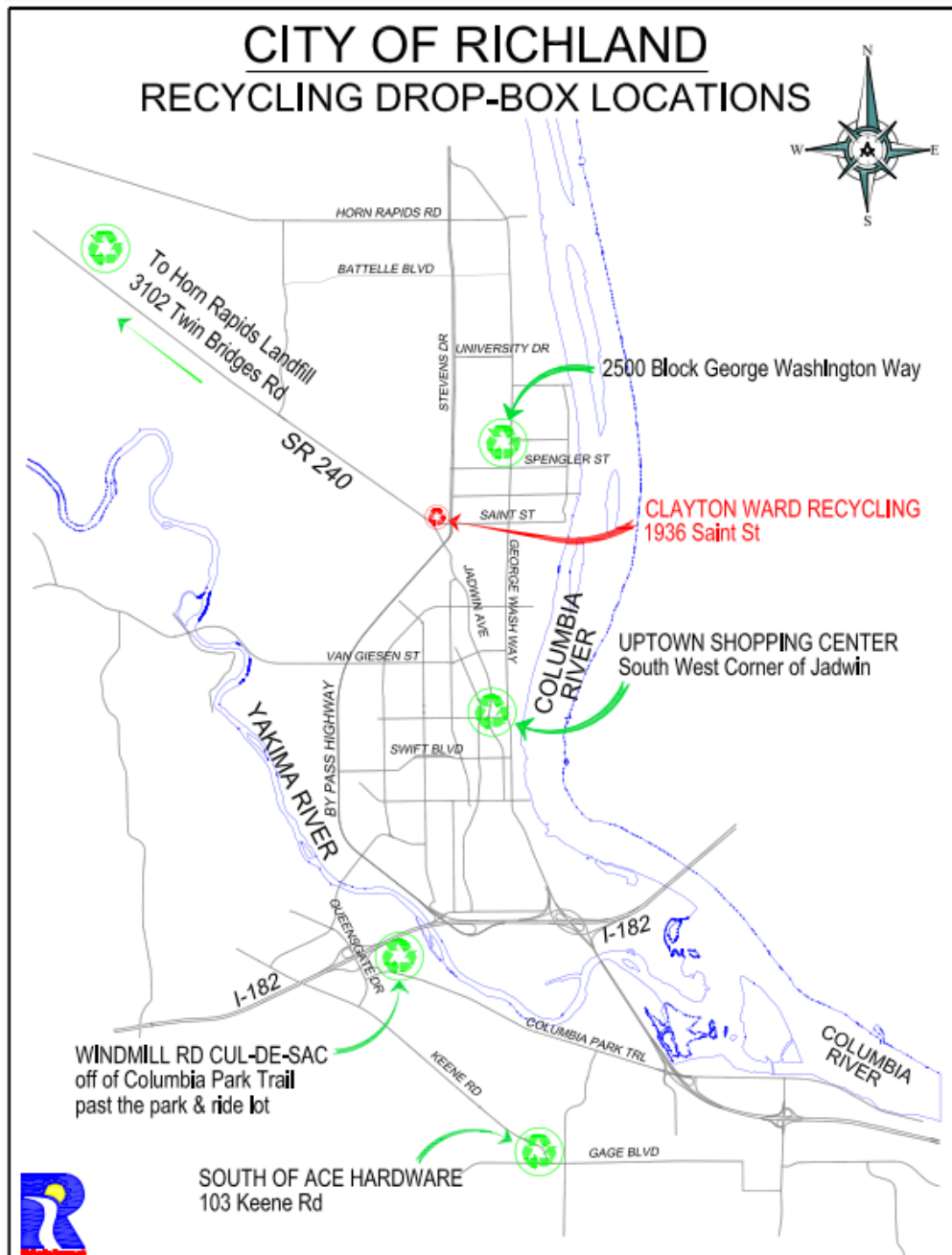
LANDFILL HOURS (CLOSED CITY-RECOGNIZED HOLIDAYS & EASTER)

MARCH - OCTOBER: MON - SUN 8:00 A.M. TO 4:00 P.M. • NOVEMBER - FEBRUARY: MON - SAT 8:00 A.M. TO 4:00 P.M. CLOSED SUNDAYS.

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Drop box Recycling

There are six drop box locations around Richland for residents to drop off recycling. These locations are for approved materials only and do not accept garbage or hazardous waste. Clayton Ward Recycling services and monitors these locations. Drop-box recycling includes cardboard, newspaper, tin, aluminum, glass, plastic beverage containers and scrap paper, like phone books, pressboard boxes and junk mail. * Drop boxes on Windmill Road off Tulip will be relocated, but remain in use until relocation. Please visit www.ci.richland.wa./recycle for updates.



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Green Yard Waste Program

With your help, we are diverting tons of yard waste from the landfill, but contaminants continue to be a problem.

What can be placed in the green yard waste container?

- Loose grass, leaves, plant trimmings, garden debris like inedible fruits and vegetables, non-treated wood and branches less than 12" in diameter.
- Do NOT place treated or glued wood, animal waste, meat or processed food, or any other garbage in the container. No household waste.

What about odor?

- To help control odor, layer with dry woody material and keep can in the shade.
- Prop the lid open to allow for circulation and decaying vapors to escape.
- Place material in compostable yard bags.

What if I have more than can fit into the container between collections?

- You can use a mulching lawn mower, compost or learn to manage your green waste more efficiently. More info is available online or at 942-7700.
- You will not be fined for having green waste in your gray garbage can, but your city encourages residents to reduce, reuse and recycle/compost.
- You may request an additional green container for a monthly fee of \$2 (one-year commitment) or can haul extra grass and clippings to the landfill for free.

May I put plastic bags of yard debris in the green waste container?

- No. Place loose yard debris directly into the container or use compostable bags. Notify the Solid Waste Department at 942-7700 of the use of compostable bags in your container. To keep material from sticking inside the can, place a few sticks or other wood waste in the bottom.

What happens if I put garbage in the yard waste container?

- This is not allowed. A letter will be sent for the first infraction. Repeat offenders will be charged a second garbage can service fee for each occurrence.

Household Hazardous Waste

Household hazardous waste (HHW) collection in Richland is managed by Benton County, WA. HHW is comprised of products that contain chemicals or properties that make them potentially dangerous to human health or the environment. Some examples include batteries, electronics, liquid paint, certain cleaners, solvents, antifreeze, used motor oil, energy efficient lights, and appliances.

Once a year, the Benton County Public Works Department runs a free residential collection event in Richland. This is typically scheduled during the summer months and will be communicated via the County's website and social media.

For more information on the types of Household hazardous waste and how to dispose of it, visit the County's website at <http://www.co.benton.wa.us> or call 736-3084 ext. 5682.