


TO: All Residents

EFFECTIVE MAY 3, 2022:

We will have a company called Brightstar Contracting, Inc. providing pickup for our trash/recycling, horticulture/construction debris and special pickups in our Village.

We will only have one (1) trash pickup per week on Friday. After completing the trash pickup on Friday, the recycles  and cardboard will be picked up.

Please have your trash on one side of your driveway and your recycling and cardboard on the other side to be picked up starting at 7:30 am.

Horticulture and construction debris will be picked up on Tuesday starting at 7:30 am.

- **Please read the notices that are attached** to sort your materials in the proper order. If you don't follow the instructions, it will **not** be picked up.
- **Bulk pickup:** Effective immediately we will not be picking bulk items up as we have done in the past.

- **Aluminum beer and pop cans:** These will not be picked up at your residence. Please bring your cans to the holding cage located by the side of office.

We understand that this is a big change from the past. As we indicated at our public meeting, we didn't have a choice for many reasons. The major issues are that we don't have enough residents volunteering and we would also have to purchase two (2) new trucks.

Thank you for your understanding and help in a smooth transition.

Tamiami Master Association, Inc.
Board of Directors

Brightstar Contracting, Inc
3208 Christopher St.
Port Charlotte, FL 33948

Construction Debris Rules:

Construction will be picked up on Tuesday at 7:30am

- 1) Hired Contractors must haul their own debris off. NO EXCEPTIONS
- 2) For any major renovations that you will be doing yourself, please contact Brightstar Contracting.
- 3) If you have more than two (2) containers, please call Brightstar Contracting for a special pickup – (941) 815-6208, you will be charged.

- For minor repairs, Brightstar will be picking up these items:

- 1) Toilets must be in 2 pieces
- 2) Fiber glass tubs must be cut in half
- 3) No concrete or brick pavers
- 4) Pallets must be cut in half
- 5) Any construction debris cannot exceed over 3 ft
- 6) No hazards
- 7) No oil, wet paint, fuel, batteries, or tires. These can be taken to Lee County Chemical Waste Collection Facility, 6441 Topaz Ct., Fort Myers.

Thank you

Dennis Roughton/ Brightstar Contracting, Inc

Cell: (941) 815-6208

Curbside Recycling



- All recycling material in containers only
- Any contaminated recyclables will be picked up with trash

There are only 5 materials that belong in your recycle container:

1) Paper

- Junk mail, newsprint, magazines, copy paper, phone books, etc. Basically, any kind of paper except shredded, waxed, metallic or soiled. (no hardcover books – donate those instead)

2) Metal Cans

- Aluminum or steel (tin) cans

3) Cardboard

- Any kind of cardboard box unless it held a liquid (such as those used to hold milk, juice, wine, and broth). Flatten it to save room in your container.

4) Plastic Containers

- Look for the numbers 1-7 within the recycle triangles on the bottom of the container (no Styrofoam, no plastic bags). Please remove caps.

5) Glass

- Green, brown, and clear bottles and jars. Please remove lids from jars

THAT'S IT!

Horticulture Rules:

Horticulture will be picked-up on Tuesday's at 7:30 am



No more than 1 yard of Horticulture that consists of 4 paper lawn & leaf refuge bags or 4 containers.

No more than 40 pounds per bag or container.

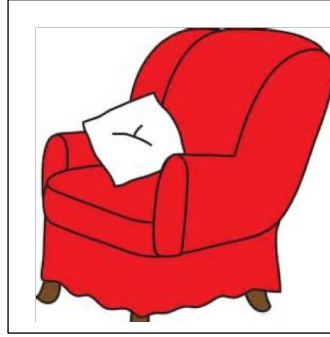
No more than 4 feet of length of Palm fronds, tree branches, bushes and they must be **tied together** .

Loose debris must be in a paper lawn & leaf refuge bag or a container. Example: pine needles, leaves, palm tree seeds/berries.

Containers must have holes in them to release water or use a container with lid.

Large tree limbs should not be more than **6 inches** thick and **2 feet long** . No stumps, root balls or dirt.

Any of the above that does not conform to the information will not be picked up.



Bulk items

Stores that deliver new appliances, sofas, chairs, tables, washers, dryers, hot water heaters and any other large items offer removal of the old furniture/appliances, etc. for a fee and this service should be used.

If you wish to have items picked up by the Village, there will be a fifty dollar (\$50.00) charge per item. Our staff will no longer be picking up large items/furniture/appliances when left curbside.

Call the office to make arrangements for bulk items to be picked up. (239) 997-2697.

