

Is there an incentive for signing up for the green waste service?

Upon request, green waste subscribers are eligible for a 64 gallon garbage container for a reduced cost vs. the standard 96 gallon garbage container.

Why can't I put food waste in my green waste container? Our compost facility isn't set up to process food waste at this time.

Why isn't the service offered year round?

Participation drops off significantly during the winter so service is suspended to reduce costs. The service is offered March through November. The compost facility at the Sudbury Landfill will accept green waste year round at a reduced tip fee.

Can I get green waste service if I live outside city limits?

Call Basin Disposal (BDI) at 525-1711 to find out if they service your area.

How do I sign up for City service?

Contact Customer Service at 527-4479.



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City of Walla Walla Solid Waste Division

Customer Service:
(509) 527-4479

Hours:

Mon-Fri 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

We are closed on major holidays. See our website for a complete listing of observed holidays and to sign up for service notices by following the link on the home page.

Website:

www.wallawallawa.gov/depts/publicworks/solidwaste



We are dedicated to providing residents and businesses of Walla Walla with a clean and healthy environment through proper management of solid waste.

City of Walla Walla Curbside Green Waste Collection Service



*Don't let your yard waste
go to waste!*

Keeping green waste out of the landfill is an important part of solid waste management. When organic materials like yard and food waste decompose, the process creates methane gas.

Methane gas is very harmful for our environment – nearly 20 times more harmful than carbon dioxide. Another great reason is that we can take green waste and process it into compost and save landfill space.



You can sign up for convenient curbside collection service and we'll pick it up for you each week during the green waste season.

Or, you can bring your green waste directly to the Sudbury Compost Facility, 414 Landfill Rd., for a lower tip fee than regular garbage. Call (509)527-4591 for fees and hours.

*Either way, **don't let that green waste go to waste!***

We have GrowW compost available for purchase year round at the Sudbury Compost Facility.

Tips for Using the Curbside Green Waste Collection Service

- Have your container to the curb by 7:00 a.m.
- Place your container with the opening facing the street.
- Place your container at least 3 feet from obstacles including other containers, cars, utility poles, basketball stands, and trees.
- Do not place any container directly under a low-hanging tree or other overhead obstacles.
- Do not over fill; the lid on the container must close.
- Do not wedge branches into the container or it may not empty properly.
- Diseased plants and noxious weeds should be put in the regular garbage.

Green/Yard waste is defined as "accumulations of grass, leaves, shrubbery, vines, tree branches, and trimmings which are normally associated with the care and maintenance of landscaping."

Accepted Green Waste

- Tree and shrub trimmings
- Limbs (less than 4" diameter, shorter than 3' length)
- Grass clippings
- Thatch
- Sod (no rocks, shake off dirt)
- Leaves
- Flower and vegetable garden waste



Unacceptable Items

- Lumber, painted, or treated wood products
- Limbs (bigger than 4" diameter, longer than 3' length)
- Stumps
- Rocks/Concrete/Brick
- Dirt
- Landscaping fabric
- Plastic lawn edging
- Pet waste
- Food waste
- Plastic bags
- Garbage of any kind