



LARGE ITEM COLLECTION

Rules & Regulations

Failure to follow the below rules & regulations may result in your large items not being collected.

What is a Large Item?

Items that are too large for your collection carts like carpet, furniture, and appliances, or that require a special collection fee, like a fluorescent light fixture, are considered large items.

How to Schedule Your Large Item Collection

- » You need to complete a work order to have your large items picked up.
- » Complete your work order at www.cityofmadison.com/LargeItemWorkOrder
- » Set your items out on the date you selected. Do not set them out early.

Certain Items Require a Fee

- » Use the work order system to pay for the items requiring a fee.
- » The work order website is www.cityofmadison.com/LargeItemWorkOrder
- » See the reverse side for a list of items that require a fee.

Will You Receive a Sticker?

If you paid a fee for an item when scheduling your curbside pickup, you will not receive a sticker. Just set the item out on the date you chose.

If you paid a fee for an item to drop-off, you will receive a sticker. Items requiring a fee will not be accepted unless they have the appropriate sticker attached to them.

Large Item Collection Rules

- » Items must be shorter than 8 feet in length.
- » Place items at edge of roadway or on terrace.
- » Keep items four feet from obstructions.
- » Keep items away from overhead obstructions like low wires or branches.
- » Stack items neatly.
- » Separate metal items and appliances from other large items.
- » A list of items requiring a recycling fee can be found on the reverse side.

Use Cart for Small Items

If the item is small enough to fit into the correct cart and it does not require a fee sticker put the item into the cart. For example, small pieces of furniture, lumber, and even toilets can go into your trash cart.

Large Items That Will Not Be Collected at the Curb

- » 55-gallon, 30-gallon, and 25-gallon barrels or drums
- » Concrete, cement, poles filled with concrete, bricks, rocks, etc.
- » Pressurized tanks (propane, helium, etc.)

Drop-Off Sites

Rules

- » Sites are for City of Madison residents & taxpayers only. Proof of residency or tax payer status required.
- » You are allowed 1 trip a day.
- » The single load must not exceed what would fit into a standard pick-up truck bed or 5' x 8' trailer.
- » Contractors may not use the drop-off sites for their work.

Locations for 2022

- » **East:** 4602 Sycamore Ave.
- » **West:** 402 South Point Rd.
- » **Central:** 121 East Olin Ave.

Hours

- » Contact us or check online at www.cityofmadison.com/DropOffSites
- » Hours change seasonally and depend on location.

Contact Information

- » Areas east of S. Park Street, including the isthmus:
 - Phone: (608) 246-4532
 - Office: 4602 Sycamore Ave.
 - Office hours: Monday-Friday, 7:30am to 4:00pm
- » Areas west of S. Park Street:
 - Phone: (608) 266-4681
 - Office: 1501 W. Badger Rd.
 - Office hours: Monday-Friday, 7:30am to 4:00pm
- » Online: cityofmadison.com/streets

Recycling Fee Items

\$35 Fee	\$15 Fee	\$10 Fee	\$5 Fee
Air compressors	"Dorm" refrigerators (refrigerators weighing less than 50 pounds)	Computer towers*	Tires - car or small truck & off the rim
Air conditioners	Fluorescent light fixtures	Computers*	
Boats	Garden tillers	Laptops*	
Copy machines (office sized)	Gas grills	Monitors*	
Dehumidifiers	Items with similar engines to lawn mowers, garden tillers, etc.	Tires - large truck	
Dishwashers	Lawn mowers	Tires - on rim	
Dryers	Leaf shredders		
Freezers (must remove doors)	Microwave ovens		
Furnaces	Snow throwers		
Hot tubs	Televisions* (all sizes and types)		
Ice machines			
Large commercial appliances			
Large medical devices			
Ovens			
Ranges			
Refrigerators (must remove doors)			
Stoves			
Tanning Beds			
Trash compactors			
Washers			
Water coolers			
Water heaters			
Water softeners			
Wood stoves			

*These items **MUST** be brought to a drop-off site. These items cannot be placed at the curb.

Special Handling Instructions for Certain Large Items

- » **Carpet & carpet padding**
 - Must be rolled up and tied with rope, duct tape, etc.
- » **Concrete sinks**
 - Must be left in 4 or fewer pieces
- » **Lawnmowers, snow blowers, tillers, and other items with similar engines**
 - Drain fuel and oil prior to collection
 - Items require recycling fee
- » **Metal, wood, and other poles**
 - Must be less than 8 feet in length
 - Must have concrete removed from ends
- » **Rootballs**
 - Will be collected if dirt is removed
- » **Televisions, monitors, computers, computer towers, etc.**
 - Must be taken to drop-off site
 - Items require a recycling fee
- » **Windows, mirrors, glass tabletops, glass doors, etc.**
 - Tape the glass to prevent breakage

Stickers Required for Drop-Off

If an item requires a fee sticker, you must have it attached to the item before it will be accepted at the drop-off sites.

Television Recycling

Do not set TVs at the curb. Take them to a drop-off site.

How to Pay the Recycling Fee

ONLINE:

- » Use the large item work order system at cityofmadison.com/LargeItemWorkOrder

CALL:

(608) 266-4681 (Streets West)
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(608) 246-4532 (Streets East)

MAIL:

Mail a check along with an explanation of the request to either Streets Division office. Make the check payable to City Treasurer.

- » Streets Division - West
1501 W. Badger Rd.
Madison, WI 53713
- » Streets Division - East
4602 Sycamore Ave.
Madison, WI 53716

IN PERSON:

Visit the Streets Division offices during office hours, which is 7:30am to 4:00pm, Monday through Friday.