

# Trash & Recycling Information for the City of Pottsville



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#### **Dear Pottsville Resident:**

As you may be aware, Kreitzer Sanitation was recently awarded the residential solid waste and recycling contract for the City of Pottsville. This contract will become effective March 1, 2011. Contracted services will include unlimited weekly trash collection, including coal ash, and recycle collection every other week. Trash containers and recycling bins are to be placed at curbside the evening prior to your collection day. **Collection Service Days** are identified on the back of this page.

**Single-stream Recycling:** All city residents may begin placing all recyclable materials into a single container beginning March 7, 2011. Acceptable recyclables include brown, green and clear glass bottles, aluminum beverage containers, plastics labeled #1 through #7, and paper products such as newspaper, cardboard, and magazines (see inside for more information on single-stream recycling). **All recyclables need to be separated from your regular trash in a clearly marked container.** If you are in need of recycling labels or containers, please contact our office at 866-KREITZER or 570-366-6360.

Large Bulky Items: One (1) large bulky item is permitted for collection from each home one time a month to be placed at curbside the evening prior to your collection day. Simply place the large bulk item at curbside with your trash and recyclables. Acceptable items include: sofas, desks, chairs, tables, mattress, box spring, dishwasher, hot water heater, washer, dryer, Christmas trees and similar items provided that two people can lift the item into the back of the trash truck. Items containing Freon, such as refrigerators, freezers, air conditioners, or dehumidifiers must have the Freon removed prior to collection and must display a sticker on the appliance from a certified technician stating that the appliance is Freon free.

**Non-acceptable Items Include:** Household hazardous wastes, paints, solvents, herbicides, insecticides, chemicals, propane tanks, liquids, batteries, no loose piles, no tree stumps or yard waste, concrete, or construction/demolition materials. **NO MEDICAL WASTE.** 

**Residential Toters:** Residential toters are available as an additional service option through contacting Kreitzer Sanitation at 866-KREITZER or 570-366-6360 or visit us at www.kreitzersanitation.com for more information.

#### **Holiday Week Pick-up Schedule 2011:**

Monday, May 30, 2011 – MEMORIAL DAY
Monday, July 4, 2011 – INDEPENDENCE DAY
Monday, September 5, 2011 – LABOR DAY

If your REGULAR
pick-up day is:

Your HOLIDAY
pick-up will be on:

Thursday, November 24, 2011 – THANKSGIVING

If your REGULAR

Your HOLIDAY

pick-up will be on:

Thursday ...... > Friday Friday ..... > Saturday

Thank you,

pick-up day is:

Kreitzer Sanitation 866-KREITZER or 570-366-6360 www.kreitzersanitation.com Holiday Schedule: Holidays that may affect your regular pick-up schedule for 2011 are Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, and Thanksgiving. Please follow the full Holiday Week Pick-up Schedule to the left to learn if your regular pick-up day will be affected by one of the above holidays in 2011.

**Missed Pick-Ups:** If your trash was out the night before your scheduled pick-up day and your trash was not picked up, call us at **866-KREITZER** or 570-366-6360.

**KREITZER SANITATION** looks forward to providing you with the professional trash removal and recycling services that you expect and deserve. It is our goal to meet all of your waste removal needs.

\*Notice to PHA Customers:
Your service will **NOT** be affected by this contract change!



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## The City's new contract starts March 1, 2011. Trash & recycling will be collected on the same day based on which zone you live in. Please see the map for your collection day and zone!

**Recycle:** We offer Single-stream recycling services for the City of Pottsville. Acceptable recyclable items include paper products such as newspaper, cardboard, and magazines, brown, green and clear glass bottles, aluminum beverage containers, plastics labeled #1 through #7, tin cans, which can all be commingled together in your recycle bin. **All recyclables need to be separated from your regular trash in a clearly marked container.** If you are in need of recycling labels or containers, please contact our office at 866-KREITZER or 570-366-6360.

Large Bulky Items: One (1) large bulk item is permitted for collection from each home once a month. Place the large bulk item at curbside with your trash and recyclables. Acceptable items include: sofas, desks, chairs, tables, mattress, box spring, dishwasher, hot water heater, washer, dryer, Christmas trees and similar items provided two people can lift them into the back of the truck. Items containing Freon, such as refrigerators, freezers, and air conditioners must have the Freon removed prior to collection and must display a sticker on the appliance from a certified technician stating that the Freon was removed.

**Non-acceptable Items Include:** No household hazardous wastes, paints, solvents, herbicides, insecticides, chemicals, propane tanks, liquids, batteries, no loose piles, no tree stumps or yard waste, concrete, construction/demolition materials or similar items. **NO MEDICAL WASTE!** 

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**Service Days:** Collection service days are identified on the next page. Any questions pertaining to your services or service days can be addressed by contacting Kreitzer Sanitation at 866-KREITZER or 570-366-6360.

Holiday Schedule: Holidays that may affect your regular pick-up schedule for 2011 are Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, and Thanksgiving. Please follow the full Holiday Week Pick-up Schedule on the front of this flyer.

### **Introducing Single-stream Recycling!**

Single-stream recycling is a system in which all recyclables (paper, cardboard, plastic, glass, aluminum, etc.) are mixed together in a collection bin, instead of being sorted separately by the resident. In single-stream, both the collection and processing systems are designed to handle a fully commingled mixture of recyclables. All recyclables need to be separated from your regular trash in a clearly marked container. If you are in need of recycling labels or containers, please contact our office at 866-KREITZER or 570-366-6360. Single stream recycling will be collected by a compaction truck on your recycling day, it cannot collect non-recyclable items.

**Cans:** Rinsed aluminum, steel, and tin food and beverage cans (such as beer and soda cans). Remove the lid or push it into the can. No need to remove labels. No foil or food trays.

**Glass:** Clear, green, or brown glass food and beverage containers (jars & bottles). Remove lids and rinse. Leave labels on. No light bulbs, mirrors, window glass, etc.

**Plastics:** #1 through #7 food and beverage containers and laundry product containers. The number is on the bottom of the container. Most soda, water, milk, juice, shampoo, detergent, condiments, salad dressing, yogurt, and margarine fit into this category.

Paper: Material such as newspaper, inserts, magazines, catalogs, junk mail, envelopes, file folders, office computer paper (staples and paper clips OK). Corrugated cardboard boxes, cereal, tissue, gift boxes, etc., paper bags, phone books, wrapping paper (remove metallic paper, bows).

### **DO NOT RECYCLE the following:**

Ceramics, dishes, coffee cups, drinking glasses, glass ovenware, Pyrex, vision-ware, window glass, mirrors, light bulbs, plastics without #1 through #7 labeling, plastic bags, Styrofoam packaging, bubble wrap, tissue or paper towels, milk or juice wax paper cartons, metallic or coated paper, waxed boxes, books or toys. NO MEDICAL WASTE!

## Trash & Recycling collection Dates: Recycling is Collected Every two Weeks, Starting March 7, 2011

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### **City of Pottsville Trash & Recycling Map**

