

City of Pittsfield

Bulky Waste Collection Program

What is it?

All items placed at the curbside as part of the Pittsfield Bulky Waste Collection program must display a prepaid sticker so that they are identifiable as collectable by the city's waste hauler.

What is acceptable?

- Broken-down wood furniture
- Automobile tires
- Oversize plastic toys
- Wooden posts or fencing
- Upholstered chairs and couches
- Mattresses and box springs
- Carpet rolls (2 foot diameter by 4 foot lengths)

If a bulky waste item does not have the city sticker then the city's hauler will affix a rejection sticker on the item, which will indicate why the item was not collected.

What is excluded?

- Air conditioners, refrigerators, freezers, and all other refrigeration devices
- Hot water heaters, dishwashers, dryers, microwaves, stoves, and ranges
- Scrap metal, barbeque grills, sleeper sofas

What will it cost?

A sticker for each bulky item can be purchased for \$20.00 each. (effective 5.4.21)

Where can I buy a sticker?

Many stores are participating in the Pittsfield Bulky Waste Collection Program by selling stickers to residents at no additional cost. For a current listing go to cityofpittsfield.org or call DPU at 413-499-9330

Stickers are sold at the following locations:

Carr Hardware
Price Chopper in Pittsfield and Lenox
Harry's Supermarket
Elm Street Hardware
Pittsfield City Hall – City Clerk's Office (1st Floor)
DPW – located at 100 North Street, Floor M

Where can I get more information?

Go to cityofpittsfield.org or call DPU at 413-499-9330

Please follow these simple rules to help provide efficient service and to keep your neighborhood safe and attractive:

- Put items out for collection on the morning of your scheduled pickup day by 7 AM.
- Do not block sidewalks, driveways or roadways.

What can I do with bulky items not accepted in this program?

If an item is still in good, working condition, consider donating it to Goodwill, the Restore, or another charitable organization so that it may be reused by others.

- Air conditioners, refrigerators, freezers and all other refrigeration devices:
Call Sayers Auto Wrecking at 413-443-1635 or Community Eco Power (formerly Covanta) at 413- 443-7373
Disposal fees may apply.
- Hot water heaters, dishwashers, washers, dryers, stoves, microwaves and ranges:
Call Sayers Auto Wrecking at 413-443-1635 or
Perlman and Sons at 413 442-7127
Disposal fees may apply.
- Scrap metal, barbeque grills (no propane tanks), metal frames from sleeper sofas:
Call Sayers Auto Wrecking at 413-443-1635 or
Perlman and Sons at 413- 442-7127
Disposal fees may apply.
- TV's & computers:
Contact the Lenox Waste Transfer Facility at 413-637-1101. Fees apply.
- Propane tanks:
Grill size (20 lb) can be brought to the following locations for a fee: Pittsfield Welding 1484 East St, 413-442-1693, or Carr Hardware (all locations), Some Pittsfield Fire Stations may take them. Call first!
- Paint:
Latex paint: Open can and let paint dry. Throw away with trash. Oil paint:
Bring to household hazardous waste collections
For more information, contact the Pittsfield DPU Dept. at 413-499-9330
- Fluorescent lamps and other mercury-containing products:
Pittsfield residents can bring 4 ft. tubes and compact fluorescent bulbs to
Community Eco Power (formerly Covanta) on Hubbard Ave. Call 413-443-7373
for more information. Thermostats and thermometers containing mercury can
be brought to Community Eco Power as well.