

## HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE & E-WASTE (Electronics)

### HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE

The Alamance County Landfill does not accept household hazardous waste (HHW). However, they do hold periodic HHW collection events. HHW includes items such as antifreeze, brake fluid, car batteries, cleaners, gasoline, liquid paints, poisons, pesticides, solvents, transmission fluid, weed killer, etc. These items should not be included in your weekly garbage or recycling collection.

### ELECTRONIC WASTE

The Discarded Computer Equipment and Television Management Law, otherwise known as the E-Waste Ban, took effect on July 1, 2011. This ban regulates the disposal of electronic equipment. This ban no longer allows landfill disposal of electronics and computers. E-waste includes computers, monitors, printers, cell phones, TVs, etc. and will not be picked up.

## CAN I PLACE RECYCLING IN MY TRASH CART?

No. North Carolina state law bans certain recyclable materials from the landfill. Recycling reduces the demand on our landfills and saves valuable natural resources. Questions about recycling? Call Waste Industries at 336-229-0525.

## WHAT HAPPENS IF MY TRASH CART IS DAMAGED OR STOLEN?

Report a damaged or stolen container to the Town of Elon at (336) 584-3601.

Town of Elon  
P.O. Box 595  
Elon, NC 27244

Prst Standard  
U.S. Postal Permit #9  
Elon, NC 27244

Boxholder/Resident  
Elon, NC 27244



## NEW GARBAGE CONTAINER & SCHEDULE



### TOWN OF ELON

104 S. Williamson Ave.  
Elon, NC  
(336) 584-3601

*2014*

*Dear* Elon Residents,

The Town of Elon will transition from two pick-ups a week to one pick-up a week starting August 5, 2014. The new pick-up day will be weekly and on Tuesdays only. Recycling, yard waste, and heavy garbage pick-up will remain the same.

Each household will be issued one 96 gallon rollout cart that must be placed at the curb by 6:00 a.m. on the scheduled day of collection. The town ordinance requires the removal of the container from the curb by 9:00 p.m. the day of collection.

## NEW GARBAGE CARTS

The Town through Republic Services is providing residents with a 96-gallon garbage cart to:

- Provide better safety conditions for sanitation workers.
- Create a clean and more attractive environment.
- Improve service delivery for town residents by reducing the number of garbage pick-ups.

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## TO HELP US SERVE YOU BETTER

- Place the container within four feet of the curb with the handle and wheels facing away from the street.
- Make sure the container is at least four feet from trees, mailboxes, cars, other roll-outs, yard waste, and recyclables, or any other obstructions
- Only items that are placed in the cart will be collected by the automated truck.



**Questions?  
Call Town of Elon  
(336) 584-3601**

## DO'S FOR CART USE:

- Place all trash in the cart.
- Keep the lid closed.
- Place the cart as close as possible to the curb (with the cart handle facing your house) on collection day and return it to your home when empty.
- Place your container at the curb by 6:00 a.m. or the night before the scheduled collection day.
- Notify the Town of Elon if your cart is damaged, stolen, or if you regularly generate more household trash than your roll-out container can hold. An additional cart can be issued.

## DON'TS FOR CART USE:

- Leave trash or garbage outside the roll-out container
- Put construction debris in cart.
- Put yard waste in cart.
- Put hot ashes in cart.
- Overfill the cart. The lid must close.
- Pack trash in too tightly.
- Paint or write on cart.
- Remove cart from your residence.
- Use another container. Only the roll-out cart issued can be used.