

City and Borough of Wrangell

Refuse Pick-up Rules

The City purchased new trucks and cans in January in an effort to reduce employee injuries, pick up garbage more efficiently and to eventually allow for work to begin on a recycling program. Unfortunately, the pickup does not work efficiently, and cans may not be emptied unless customers adhere to the following pick-up rules:

1. Please have your can put out facing the correct direction (the arrow on the lid must face the road) no later than 8:00 A.M. on your pick up day.
2. Please have your can no more than 6 feet from the road with 3 feet of empty space around can.
3. Please tie bags and then put inside can, this avoids garbage blowing out when cans are dumped.
4. Please don't over stuff your can. The lid must be able to close. Any extra garbage will need to be taken to the dump, or you can call for a one-time extra pick for an additional charge, or you can request to have a larger can.
5. At the time of pickup there cannot be any fasteners, bungees, rocks, or any other items on the lid.
6. The can cannot be placed any lower than the road for pickup otherwise the truck can crush the top of the can.

Your cooperation in the above rules will allow the garbage pick-up system to perform to its full potential. Thank you.

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