

# Town of Longboat Key Solid Waste/Recycling

[www.longboatkey.org](http://www.longboatkey.org)  
Public Works Department  
(941) 316-1988



**Regular Pickup Days -** Monday and Thursday  
**Garbage** Monday  
**Recyclables** Wednesday  
**Yard Waste**

2016 Holidays	Holiday Date	Alternate Pick-up Date
NEW YEAR'S DAY	Friday, January 1	Saturday, January 2
PRESIDENTS' DAY	Monday, February 15	Tuesday, February 16
MEMORIAL DAY	Monday, May 30	Tuesday, May 31
INDEPENDENCE DAY	Monday, July 4	Tuesday, July 5
LABOR DAY	Monday, September 5	Tuesday, September 6
THANKSGIVING DAY	Thursday, November 24	Friday, November 25
CHRISTMAS DAY	Sunday, December 25	Tuesday, December 27
NEW YEAR'S DAY 2017	Sunday, January 1	Tuesday, January 3

*Please place your items curbside no later than 7 a.m.*

## **Numbers to call:**

**For missed pickups** – Public Works Department 941-316-1988

Call as soon as you notice your pickup was missed so that we may arrange for a timely pickup.

**Special pickups** – Waste Management 941-753-7591 (large items, appliances, etc.)  
You are allowed one free special or large pickup a year.

**Christmas Trees** – Place curbside by 7 a.m. on your regular yard waste day.  
Please make sure all decorations, lights, tinsel, tree stands are removed.

**Household Hazardous Waste/Electronic Waste** – The Town of Longboat Key, in conjunction with Manatee County Utilities and the Anna Maria Island Communities, holds an annual Household Hazardous Waste Collection at the Coquina Beach Gulf Side Parking Lot (just north of Longboat Key). If you miss this collection, please call the landfill office in your County of residence. 2016 Collection Date: January 30, 2016

**Manatee County** Residents call Lena Road Landfill for hazardous waste and electronic waste disposal hours of operation and directions – 941-748-5543

**Sarasota County** Residents call Sarasota County Landfill for hazardous waste and electronic waste disposal hours of operation and directions – 941-861-5000

Watch for your Utility Bill inserts for more information or visit [www.longboatkey.org](http://www.longboatkey.org).

## Recycle These Items

### Place in Blue Recycle Cart

#### Paper

Newspapers & Shopping Inserts  
Junk Mail and Office Paper  
Magazines and Brochures  
White and Colored Printed Paper  
Mail and Office Paper  
Cardboard  
Fiberboard (Cereal or Tissue Boxes)  
Plastic Window Envelopes  
Phone Books

#### Glass

Clear, Green or Brown Glass  
Please rinse bottles and discard caps.  
*Labels can stay on. All metal rings must be removed prior to recycling.*

#### Metal

Aluminum Cans  
Steel Cans  
Steel Jar Lids  
*Please rinse cans.*

#### Plastic

**PET 01** – soft drink, water and salad dressing bottles; peanut butter and jam jars  
**PE-HD 02** – milk, juice and water bottles  
**PVC 03** – juice bottles; cling films; PVC piping  
**PE-LD 04** – frozen food bags; squeezable bottles, e.g. honey, mustard; cling films; flexible container lids  
**PP 05** – Reusable microwaveable ware; kitchenware; yogurt containers; margarine tubs; microwaveable disposable take-away containers  
**PS 06** – egg cartons; packing peanuts; disposable cups, plates, trays and cutlery; disposable take-away containers; CD and DVD cases and containers  
**O-07** – beverage bottles; baby milk bottles; electronic casing.  
*Please rinse containers and discard caps.*

## Do Not Recycle These Items

### Place in Garbage

Brown Bags (Recycle At Store)  
Paper Towels  
Paper Plates, Cups, Napkins  
Gift Wrap  
Food Wrap  
Pizza Boxes  
Tissues or Tissue Paper

Windows	Ceramics and Dishes
Mirrors	Plate Glass
Eye Glasses	Coffee Pots
Windshields	Drinking Glasses
Light Bulbs	Pottery
Crystal Vases	

Paint Cans	Aluminum Siding
Toxic Material	Window Frames
Aerosol Cans	Metal Building Materials
Aluminum Pie Tins	

Pool Supply Containers	Herbicide or Pesticide Containers
Toys	Clothes Hangers
Diapers	Toxic Material
Cellophane	<b>Styrofoam</b>
Plastic Bags	

**(Recycle plastic grocery bags at Store)**

#### **BATTERIES:**

**Alkaline** batteries can be placed in your household garbage.

**Rechargeable, Lithium, NiCad** batteries are Household Hazardous Waste (HHW), collect for recycling at the annual HHW collection or at local stores. Visit [www.longboatkey.org](http://www.longboatkey.org)



**Look for the recycle symbol (1 – 7) on your plastic containers!**

Save this insert and place it near your garbage and recycling carts.