

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

REGARDING BI-ANNUAL BULK/BRUSH PICKUP SERVICE

The City of Fair Oaks Ranch contracts with Republic Services to provide a bi-annual bulk/brush pickup service. Pickup is by the rules as stated under Quick Reference (other side of page). Republic Services will not pick up any pile that has excess brush (greater than 15' L X 6' W X 6' H), comingled brush/metal objects, items not placed out by the appropriate time/date, or piles placed in areas that the truck cranes cannot reach. Brush piles passed by will need to be moved out of the city right of way and arrangements made with Republic Services or other private contractor for immediate pick up. Any resident placing bulk/brush items out either prior to or after their authorized date as noted below or for not moving items if passed by will be issued a Municipal Court summons for violating City Ordinance.

This is the Official Notice of your scheduled pick up service. Please make note of the dates for your sector as this is the only notice you will receive. A copy of this document of this document will be available on the city website at www.fairoaksranchtx.org in the News & Announcement section of the homepage.

DO NOT PUT ITEMS OUT PRIOR TO YOUR SECTOR'S START DATE AS THIS IS A VIOLATION OF CITY ORDINANCE, AND WILL RESULT IN A CITATION BEING ISSUED AND MAY RESULT IN A FINE OF NOT MORE THAN \$2,000 FOR EACH DAY OF THE VIOLATION. The items must be placed at the curb in front of your property, but not in the street.

The pickup schedule is divided into three (3) sectors, and a service map is available at www.fairoaksranchtx.org

- Sector 1 All residential homes south of Dietz Elkhorn (Does Not include homes on Dietz Elkhorn)
- Sector 2 All residential homes between Cibolo Creek and Dietz Elkhorn (Includes homes on Dietz Elkhorn)
- Sector 3 All residential homes North of Cibolo Creek (Includes Deer Meadow Estates)

BULK/BRUSH PICKUP SCHEDULE

- SECTOR: The area where you live in the City as described above.
- START DATE: The first day you can put items at the curb for pickup.
- END DATE: The last day to put out items at the curb – **no later than midnight the day before pickup starts.**
- PICKUP DATE: The day that brush/bulk trash pickup starts in your sector.

SECTOR	START DATE to PUT ITEMS OUT	END DATE to PUT ITEMS OUT	PICK UP STARTS
1	2/10/2018	2/18/2018	2/19/2018
2	2/17/2018	2/25/2018	2/26/2018
3	2/24/2018	3/4/2018	3/5/2018

Please follow the instructions listed under QUICK REFERENCE to ensure a complete and timely pick up by Republic Services. Failure to follow these instructions may result in items not being picked up and having to pay an additional fee for a special pick up. With your cooperation, the city should be cleared of trash within four (4) weeks.

Following items ARE NOT acceptable so PLEASE DO NOT put these out for pick up!

- Tires/Batteries
- Waste oil
- Gasoline
- Pool Chemicals
- Household Chemicals
- Acids/Poisons
- Paints*
- Solvents
- Auto Fluids
- Pesticides

These items are considered hazardous waste creating legal problems, health and safety concerns as well as machinery problems. Please take an active role in disposing of your hazardous wastes responsibly.

Republic Services and the City of Fair Oaks Ranch will be partnering for a Household Hazardous Waste Collection Event in the near future. More details to come.

*Only dried paint is acceptable. Paint must be a solid before placing on curb.

Glass such as windows and doors / electronics such as TV's, computers, monitors, or any electronic equipment / construction debris / larger amounts of concrete (small pieces of concrete are acceptable but we cannot accept larger amounts or bags of Quikrete.



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There are a few issues listed below that need special attention:

Brush and Bulk must be in separate piles.

Beginning this year, brush and bulk will be going to different destinations. They will be picked up by separate trucks.

Contractors that you hire for brush or tree trimming must remove the trimmed waste as it will not be picked up by Republic Services. If your contractor does not want to haul the trimmings off you may contact Republic Services at 210-304-2700/ 800-275-4234 for a price estimate to remove the contractor's waste.



Brush piles larger than fifteen (15) feet in length, six (6) feet in width, and six (6) feet in height will not be picked up and will be subject to additional charges.

Hazardous Materials (batteries, oil, gasoline, tires, wet paint, etc.) will not be picked up and placing them in the street right of way is a violation of city ordinance (see backside of this notice for additional information, or visit the city's website).

QUICK REFERENCE

1. Place items out no later than midnight the day before pickup is to begin in your sector. If you have missed your scheduled pickup, you may contact Republic Services to schedule a pickup for a nominal fee. Items must be placed **at the curb** in front of your residence only (not on street).
2. **Bulk and Brush piles must be separate.** Please do not commingle the two. We will be unable to service if they are mixed.
3. Keep **all bulk items separated three feet** from brush and shrubbery trimmings especially scrap iron, wire, metal, etc. to avoid equipment damage. Do not place bulk items near fences, mail boxes, water meters, telephone pedestals, fire hydrants, under trees or other low hanging lines as the waste truck cannot safely pick up items there.
4. **Remove gasoline/oil/propane/butane** from items being discarded,

When hiring a contractor to cut and trim your trees, shrubs, etc. or to replace decks, carpets, etc. please make arrangements for the **contractor to remove the waste.** Otherwise, you need to contact Republic Services for a price quote to remove the waste for you.

Items **containing FREON are not acceptable** by state law. Republic Services can only accept freezers, refrigerators, air conditioners, and other applicable appliances **with a state approved certificate from a licensed technician** disclosing removal of the Freon. Each appliance must have the proper certificate attached when placed at the curb for pickup. No exceptions. Call a/c firms, appliance companies, refrigerant removal firms, etc. for information and costs.

Recycling and Waste Guide

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