

# Allen Township Service Collection Information

★ **TRASH COLLECTION:** one (1) time per week collected **THURSDAY**

★ **BULK ITEM COLLECTION:** one (1) item per week per residence to be collected with your weekly garbage collection on **THURSDAY**

★ **RECYCLING COLLECTION:** every other week collected **THURSDAY**  
Collection divided into **two (2) collection zones**

**NORTH** = North of Route 329 / On Route 329

**SOUTH** = South of Route 329

## Curbside Trash and Recycling Collection

As a service to its residents and property owners, Allen Township contracts with a garbage hauler to provide weekly curbside garbage collection and bi-weekly recycling collection. The current hauler is J.P. Mascaro & Sons. Residents can place **UNLIMITED** garbage for collection. Please place your trash at the curb by 6 PM each Wednesday for collection on Thursday. See calendar for any holiday exceptions.

## Single-Stream Recycling Collection

Residents will continue to utilize the red and/or green recycling containers, which are available at the Township building. Recycling collection will occur every other week depending on your location. Please refer to the attached collection zone map. North collection zone consists of addresses North of Route 329 and includes addresses on Route 329. South collection zone consists of addresses south of Route 329. **While recycling amounts remain UNLIMITED, the most important goal is to avoid contamination of valuable, clean recyclable materials in your recycling bins by not mixing these materials with unrecyclable junk - which include plastic bags, plastic wrap, straws and bottle caps. Trash cannot be placed in recycling cans.**

## UNACCEPTABLE MATERIALS

Ceramics, dishes, coffee cups, drinking glasses, glass oven ware, pyrex, VisionWare, window glass, mirrors, light bulbs, plastics without #1-#7 labeling, plastic bags, styrofoam packaging, bubble wrap, tissue or paper towels, books and toys. Food contaminated cardboard (i.e. pizza boxes) and paper towels.

## Electronic Recycling Event

The Electronic Recycling Event (for Township residents only) has been scheduled for **Saturday, August 15, 2026 from 9 AM to 12 PM (noon)** at the Allen Township Municipal & Fire Station Complex Building. If you are unsure if an item is categorized as White Metal Goods, Bulk or Electronics give the Township Office or J.P. Mascaro a call to discuss before you place out for disposal.

## WEEKLY Bulk Curbside Collection

Each residence may put one (1) bulk item per week to be collected along with their weekly garbage collection. Bulk items include those items too large to fit in to normal garbage cans and are further defined as items having the approximate size and weight of a standard size sofa that can be carried by two (2) persons. Examples include furniture, mattresses, rolled up and tied rugs no larger than 3' x 6'. Due to a growing problem with bed bugs, all mattresses and box springs **MUST** be wrapped with plastic before placement at the curb for collection. Unacceptable materials that will NOT be collected include construction materials, hazardous waste, electronics, tires, yard waste or grass clippings.

## White Item and Metal Goods Collection

Appliances such as air conditioners, refrigerators and freezers (doors and Freon removed), washers, dryers, hot water heaters, dehumidifiers, bicycles, and lawn mowers (oil and gas removed), BBQ grills (gas and/or charcoal removed), and various other household metal items will be accepted twice (Spring and Fall) on the dates listed. **Spring collection will occur on Thursday, March 12, 2026. Followed by: Fall collection will occur on Thursday, November 12, 2026.** Electronics are not included in the White/Metal Goods curbside collection dates.

## Allen Township Yard Waste Drop Off

Yard waste is no longer allowed in landfills in the State of Pennsylvania. Unlimited amounts of yard waste (leaves, branches, twigs, flowers, roots, bushes, garden clippings) may be brought to the Allen Township Municipal Drop Off during the hours listed below. Proof of residency will be required for yard waste.

## Allen Township Yard Waste Drop Off Hours

Monday through Friday (with the exception of Township holidays) 7:00 am to 3:00 pm. Saturday hours: April 4, 2026 to October 17, 2026, 8:00 am to 1:00 pm. When dropping off your yard waste materials the following rules apply: Yard waste is accepted in loose form **ONLY. NO BAGS!** Bags, including compostable bags, are not permitted to be left on the site. Residents must stop and show ID to any Township employee if requested while at the yard waste drop off site.

## ITEMS WHICH WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED AT ALLEN TOWNSHIP YARD WASTE DROP OFF SITE

**INCLUDE:** Grass clippings, tree stumps, loose soils, sod, any wood or tree limbs over four (4) inches in diameter, human or animal excrement; noxious weeds or soils contaminated with hazardous substances.

## Electronics Recycling (No E-Waste Collection)



No person may dispose of electronic waste, or any of its components, with their municipal solid waste collection. These items are required to be transferred to certified electronics recycling facilities (if the item is intact). If the item has been physically broken and the original components are not intact the item must be treated as hazardous waste.



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# Allen Township Collection Schedule Calendar

## January 2026 through December 2026






### January 2026 – December 2026

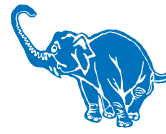
Trash Collection = Every Thursday

Bulk Item Collection = One (1) item per week per household (Thursdays)

Recycling Collection = Every two weeks on Thursday

See Zone map (North and South Collections)

 North Recyclable Collection every other week	 Holiday	 White / Metal Good March 12, 2026 November 12, 2026
 South Recyclable Collection every other week	 E-Waste Event August 15, 2026	



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For service questions or issues call

**1-800-333-4624**

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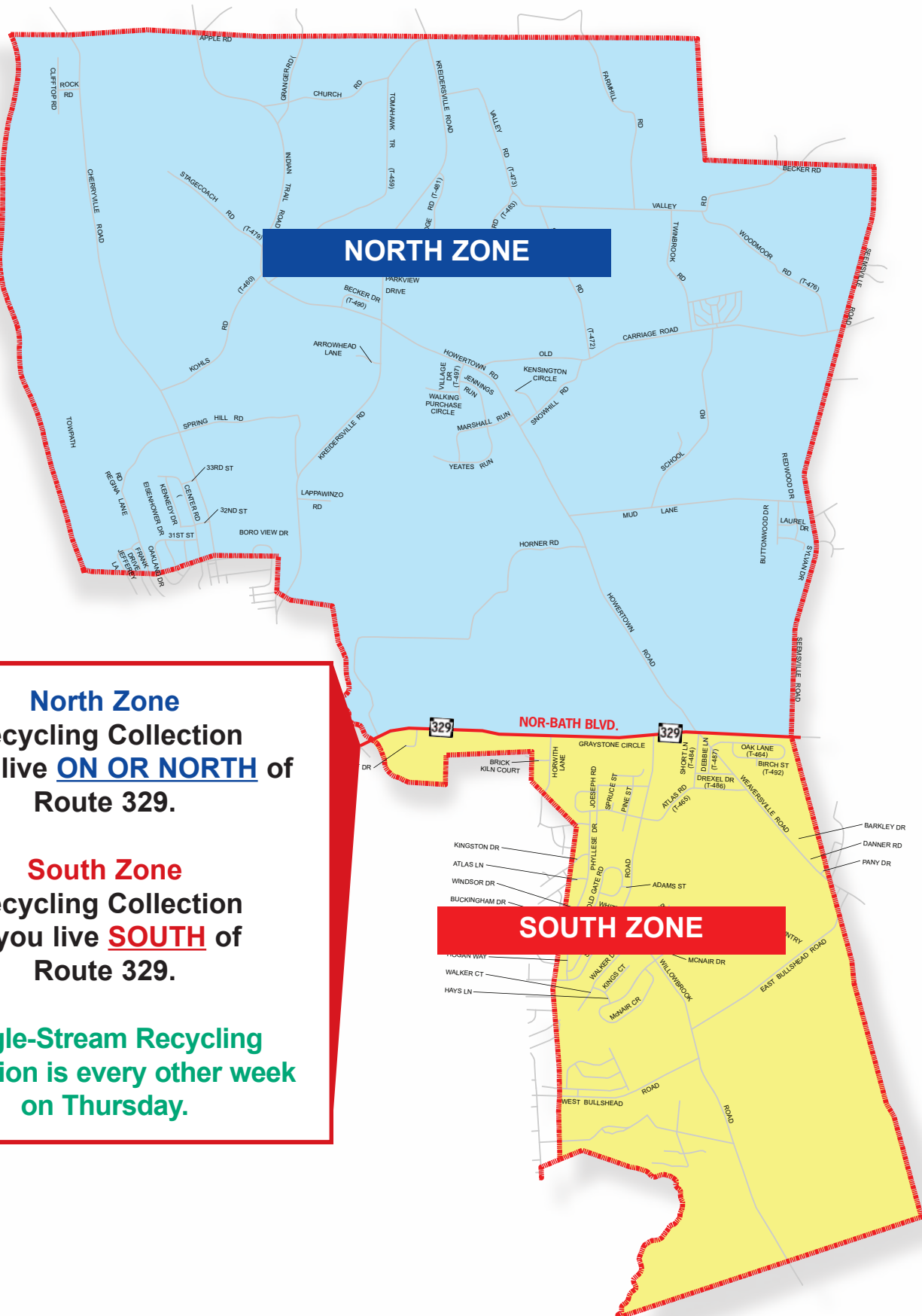
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### Holiday Collection

If there is a holiday on or before Thursday, collection will occur on Friday. If there is a holiday that lands on a Saturday or Sunday, collections will remain as normal collection schedule. **Holidays:** New Year's Day (January 1), Memorial Day, Independence Day (July 4), Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day and Christmas Day (December 25).

# Allen Township Recycling Collection Zones Map



**North Zone**  
Recycling Collection  
If you live ON OR NORTH of  
Route 329.

**South Zone**  
Recycling Collection  
If you live SOUTH of  
Route 329.

Single-Stream Recycling  
collection is every other week  
on Thursday.