



Kemah Residents

Garbage, Recycle, & Tree Limb Services



The City of Kemah is contracted with Waste Management to provide Residential garbage/trash service in Kemah.
Contact City Hall at 281-334-1611 to report service issues or register for service.

Monday Service

Garbage Pickup
and

Recycling Pickup

(Acceptable Recycling Items)

Paper & Cardboard:

Corrugated cardboard (boxes),
Magazines, Office paper (all colors),
Newspapers, Paperboard (cereal boxes),
Unsolicited direct mail (even window
envelopes are okay), and Phone books.

Metals:

Aluminum cans, Steel cans and tincans
(rinsed-out soup cans, veggie cans, coffee
cans, etc.), and Wire coat hangers

Plastics:

Typically soft drink and soda bottles;
plastics from cereal boxes; containers for
salad dressing, vegetable oil, and peanut
butter; oven-ready meal trays; butter and
margarine tubs; and containers for laundry
detergent and some household cleaners.



Don't recycle it until it's clean!

Thursday Service

Garbage Pickup
and

Heavy Trash Pickup

(Acceptable Items)

Heavy trash is defined by the contract as
junk or trash which is generated by ordinary
maintenance of a household, but is too
large for containers, items such as:
major appliances (items containing
refrigerant must be drained and tagged by
a certified recycler/technician), water
heaters, furniture, mattresses, dishwashers,
lawn mowers, and grills.

Heavy trash items must be sorted and
stacked in a manner in which it can be
easily lifted onto a truck without special
equipment.

Brush/Tree Limb Pickup

Limit of 2 cubic yards per week.
Must be securely tied together forming
an easily handled package.
Must not exceed four (4) feet in length, six
(6) inches in diameter, and no more than
fifty (50) pounds in weight

City of Kemah

Brush/Tree Limb Pickup
(Pick up on 3rd Wednesday of every month)

Limited to an additional 2 cubic yards of
tree limbs per household.
Must not exceed 6 inches in diameter,
must be less than 7.5 feet in length, and
must be placed on a flat accessible surface
within 3 feet of the roadway.

Prohibited Items

***Construction type materials, junk cars,
engines, tires, oil, paint or other hazardous
materials will not be picked up.***

***The City will not provide on-call brush or debris
pick up. You will need to make alternative
arrangements for the disposal of large
quantity items including tree removals,
tree trunks, and tree stumps. This is not
included in the services provided by the City
of Kemah or Waste Management.***

If Monday or Thursday falls on a Holiday,
your next service will be provided on the next regularly scheduled weekly service date.