

## Standard Service Guidelines

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### Advanced Disposal

Residential Solid Waste Service Schedule for Islamorada  
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*Plantation Key - Windley Key - Upper Matecumbe - Lower Matecumbe*

|   | Monday  | Tuesday   | Wednesday  | Thursday   | Friday  |
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| <b>Residential Solid Waste</b><br>(twice per week)  | <b>Plantation Key</b>   | <b>Windley Key</b><br><b>Upper Matecumbe</b><br><b>Lower Matecumbe</b>  |  | <b>Plantation Key</b>  | <b>Windley Key</b><br><b>Upper Matecumbe</b><br><b>Lower Matecumbe</b>  |
| <b>Residential Yard Waste</b><br>(up to six containers or bundles of yard waste per week) |   | <b>Windley Key</b><br><b>Upper Matecumbe</b><br><b>Lower Matecumbe</b><br>Oceanside from MM 76 and north to the Snake Creek Marina        | <b>Plantation Key</b><br>Oceanside and Venetian Shores &<br>Bayside from Airstream Lane (MM 88.55) to Pippin (MM 87.6) | <b>Plantation Key</b><br>Bayside north of Airstream (MM 88.55) | <b>Lower Matecumbe</b><br>Bayside from MM 75.9 and south to Tollgate Shores &<br>Oceanside from Iroquois Drive to MM 75.9 |
| <b>Recycling</b><br>(once per week)   | <b>Plantation Key</b><br>Bayside south to Lysiloma Lane (MM 89)   | <b>Plantation Key</b><br>Bayside from Rolling Hills Rd south to Gumbo Limbo/Pippin Dr<br><br><b>Windley Key</b><br><b>Upper Matecumbe</b> |  | <b>Plantation Key</b><br>Oceanside and Venetian Shores         | <b>Lower Matecumbe</b>  |
| <b>Bulk Waste (Call to Schedule)</b>  | Bulk waste pickups are scheduled daily and serviced within five working days of the request. Call or email Advanced Disposal to request a special collection. There are <b>no fees for pickup of household items</b> such as furniture, appliances, and rolled carpeting (in 6-foot wide pieces). <b>Fees apply for construction debris, automotive debris and bulk vegetative waste.</b> |   |  |  |   |

Please set your items within six (6) feet of the pavement by 7:00 AM for pick-up on your scheduled day.

Containers may be placed at the curbside no earlier than one day preceding scheduled collection day and shall be removed from the curbside no later than 8:00 p.m. on the collection day. (*Village Code Chapter 46, Section 40.*)

Islamorada's automated residential service provides carts for household solid waste removal:

- one (1) green cart for household waste/trash
- one (1) blue cart for household recyclable items

*Trash and recyclable items placed in any other receptacle will not be removed.*

**\$65.00 fee for an additional green trash cart; \$5.50 fee for each disposal**

**No fees for additional blue recycling carts**

**Household trash and recycling materials must be placed in carts provided;** bagged or stacked items WILL NOT be collected as part of normal service. You must call for non-containerized items to be removed. A minimum \$50.00 fee to collect trash not placed in automated trash carts.

- Each home is provided one 64-gallon **Green Trash Cart** and one 64-gallon **Blue Recycle Cart**
- **Green Trash Carts** are emptied twice each week.
- **Blue Recycle Carts** are emptied once each week.
- Set carts within 6 feet of the roadside and 6 feet apart (if possible) with arrows pointing toward the roadway.
- \$65 one-time fee charged for additional green trash carts; small fee charged for each collection from additional green trash cart (call for rate).
- No fee for additional blue carts.

**Yard waste (vegetation)** is collected manually in 32-gallon containers (provided by the resident) or bundled and tied piles.

- Each home may set out six 32-gallon containers or six bundles to be collected once per week.
- Containers and/or bundles may not weigh more than 50 pounds each.
- Branches must be cut to 4 feet in length.
- Christmas trees are collected at the roadside.

**Carts and containers may be set out no earlier than one (1) day preceding your service day. They must be removed from the roadside by 8:00 PM on collection day.**  
*Village Code, Ch. 46, Sec. 40*

**A RED TAG** is placed on non-compliant household trash, recycling, yard waste and bulk waste that are set out incorrectly. Contact Advanced Disposal to discuss proper disposal methods for collection.

## What goes into your recycling cart?

### CLEAN ALL RECYCLABLES AND PLACE INTO YOUR BLUE RECYCLING CART

Items are sorted at the facility.

#### Metal:

- Aluminum Cans (rinsed/cleaned)
- Aluminum Foil and foil containers (**CLEAN ONLY**)
- Bimetal Cans including aerosol cans (empty)

#### Paper:

- Brown Paper Bags
- Catalogs and magazines
- Telephone books and paperback books
- Fax & copy paper, construction paper
- Corrugated Cardboard (broken down)
- Clean parts of pizza boxes (top is usually clean)
- Juice, Milk, Soup cartons (rinsed/cleaned)
- Junk Mail, including envelopes
- Newspaper with Inserts
- Paper Egg Cartons

#### Plastics and Glass:

- Jars and Bottles (clean and caps removed)
- All plastics #1-7 (rinsed/cleaned) **no Styrofoam**
- Bottle caps and most lids are not recyclable.

*If there is no number on plastic, throw it in the trash.*

**ITEMS MUST BE CLEAN  
TO GO INTO THE RECYCLING CART.**

**NO food, liquids, batteries, Styrofoam,  
packaging foam, plastic grocery bags  
or garbage in your recycle carts!**

- Save batteries for drop off at quarterly Residential Hazardous Household Collections.
- Take plastic shopping bags and Styrofoam to local grocery store collection sites.
- Paper towels, napkins, microwave popcorn bags and food-soiled recyclables must be thrown in the trash.

## Special Collection Services

Contact Advanced Disposal to schedule a special roadside pick-up for collection of items listed below. Special Pick-ups will be made within five working days of your request. **Most household items are collected free of charge.** Fees apply to construction debris, automotive debris and oversized yard waste.

**Do not pile items under wires or near trees. Do not mix items together.**

- **Oversized Yard Waste:** Neatly pile your palm fronds, coconuts and tree branches at the roadside. All must be cut to 6 feet in length. **Fees apply.**
- **White Goods:** Neatly pile your unwanted household furniture and appliances at the roadside. **No Fee.**
- **Carpeting:** Roll and tie your 6-foot-wide carpeting pieces and place at the roadside. **No Fee.**
- **Construction & Automotive Debris:** Before setting out this debris, contact our solid waste provider to discuss whether a special pick-up or the delivery of a dumpster is right for your situation. **Fees apply.**
- **Oversized Recyclable Materials:** neatly pile your oversized recyclable items, such as moving boxes, furniture and appliance cardboard boxes at the roadside. **No Fee.**

## USED MOTOR OIL

**Residential used motor oil is accepted at the quarterly Hazardous Household Collections.**

Free residential used motor oil disposal service is also provided for Village residents year-round.

**Drop-off up to five gallons per visit  
between the hours of 8 AM to noon  
at the Advanced Disposal local office,  
86490 Overseas Highway.**

## Residential Hazardous Household Collection (HHC) Program



Four times a year, Islamorada residents may take household hazardous waste products for free disposal to a special drop off location.

Household waste materials include used motor oil, antifreeze, hydraulic fluids, paints, stains, strippers, wood preservatives, roof and tar patching compounds, adhesives, putty, caulk, fiberglass and epoxy resins, acetone, mineral spirits, muriatic acid, lye, pesticides, fertilizers and weed killer, household and drain cleaners, pool cleaning products and tires off the rim that do not exceed a light duty SUV. Batteries of all sizes, electronic and florescent lighting waste are also accepted during the events.

Visit [www.islamorada.fl.us](http://www.islamorada.fl.us) for quarterly collection dates and location.

For more information call  
Advanced Disposal at 305-853-3433 or the  
Islamorada Public Works office at 305-852-6933.

## E-Waste Disposal Computer & Electronic Waste

Contact Advanced Disposal to schedule a free residential roadside pick-up of televisions, electronic entertainment devices, computers, monitors, printers, fax machines and mobile phones. Service is year round. Pickups made within five working days.

Electronic waste is also accepted at the quarterly Residential Household Hazardous Collections.