



**TOWN OF GARDNERVILLE**  
**TOWN OPERATIONS MANUAL**  
**DIRECTIVES AND PROCEDURES**

**Number 21.5**

**SUBJECT: Extra Trash Collection Days**

**Issue Date**

**Directive:** Gardnerville Health & Sanitation collects extra trash bags or cans from your neighborhood twice a year: spring and fall. Please use the directions below to ensure proper use of the program and to help keep your neighborhood clean.

**Procedure:**

1. A maximum of six (6) bags, boxes or cans of trash will be collected from each home per extra trash collection.
2. Place your items out by 5:30 AM.
3. Place items out on your normal day of trash service during your scheduled Extra Trash service week.
4. Make sure the items are visible and placed at least 2 feet away from your trash container, cars, poles and other obstructions.
5. Only set out bags or cans during your scheduled Extra Trash Service week. Setting items out at other times is considered illegal dumping.
6. Put trash in containers or bags no larger than 32 gallons and weighing no more than 50 pounds, or it cannot be collected.

Up to six (6) bags of trash per collection, including:

- Household trash
- Greenwaste

**UNACCEPTABLE ITEMS FOR EXTRA TRASH COLLECTION**

- Furniture weighing 50 pounds or more
- Mattresses and box springs
- Dressers, tables and television stands
- Toilets and sinks
- Carpet and rugs (must be rolled into pieces no larger than 4 feet in height or not greater than 50 pounds each piece)
- Exercise equipment (treadmills, stationary bikes, etc.)

Construction materials:

- Building materials, such as insulation or drywall
- Concrete or bricks
- Wood boards or fencing

Automotive/Lawn Garden materials:

- Automotive parts or fluids
- Car tires, batteries
- Lawnmowers, gas motors

Hazardous materials:

- Paints & chemicals
- Electronics (televisions, computers, etc.)
- Liquids
- Hot ashes
- Medical waste
- Propane tanks

Appliances:

- Freon-containing appliances, such as refrigerators, freezers and air conditioners
- Large metal appliances, such as stoves, dryers and washers
- Tubs, hot tubs or spas

Other:

- Commercial or industrial waste