



City of Sevierville

Public Works Department

Commercial Dumpster Collection Information

Being our customer includes the following services:

- **Brush collection** at least once a month (no particular scheduled day) – must not be cut by a contractor.
- **Loose leaf and grass clippings collection** at least once a month (no particular scheduled day)—or you may place them in your dumpster.
- **Bulk Rubbish** in **small** amounts (Junk, such as broken pallets, barrels, metals, etc.) is collected free of charge on regular collection day (Call 429-4567 for collection day.).
- **Bulk Rubbish** in **large** amounts (Truck Load or more) will be charged at the following rates: \$150 haul fee plus Sevier Solid Waste, Inc. (SSWI) tip fee. Call the Public Works Facility to schedule a pickup. This service is not available on a continuous basis.
- **Cardboard Containers** (8 Cubic Yard) are available for City of Sevierville customers at a rate of \$39 per pickup plus \$25 monthly dumpster rental.
- **No Fuel Surcharge** – The City of Sevierville does not charge a fuel surcharge.
- **Six Days of Service** – The City of Sevierville offers customers dumpster pickup Monday through Saturday.
- **Recycling/Diversion Guarantee** – The City of Sevierville hauls all solid waste to SSWI where up to 70% of all solid waste they receive is composted at their composting facility.

Collection Rates

Beginning January 2024, Commercial dumpster collection rates will transition to a levelized billing system that will provide customers a consistent and predictable monthly bill based on the number of pickups per week scheduled by the customer. Please call 865-429-4567 to determine the rate based on desired need and level of service.

Container Rental

8 Cubic Yard	\$25.00
8 C.Y. Cardboard	\$25.00

Rates for on-call dumpsters or special pickups will be double the prices above. Call for more information.

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Service Guidelines

The City of Sevierville does not maintain a monopoly on commercial dumpster collection within the city. However, all private haulers must be approved and permitted by the city before they can provide service. Commercial establishments who elect to hire a private hauler to haul their refuse do not receive other services such as leaf, brush, bulk rubbish, or cardboard collection except for a fee. Any commercial establishment wishing to switch to a private hauler must have a zero balance on their account with the City of Sevierville before doing so.

All garbage collected by the City of Sevierville is taken to SSWI's state-of-the-art Co-Composting facility (see www.seviersolidwaste.com for more information), we are not allowed to take the following items with garbage, please do not place these items in dumpsters:

- Real heavy items or bulk rubbish. Call for information on collection.
- Wood, concrete, asphalt, carpet, building materials, etc. These items **in limited** amounts would be included in the collection of bulk rubbish.
- Shrubbery and tree trimmings, stumps, or large pieces of wood. We collect brush separately in a different truck. Must be no more than 18" in diameter or longer than 6 feet in length.
- Any material that could be hazardous or injurious to the City of Sevierville or Sevier Solid Waste Authority employees or which could cause damage to City equipment.
- Flammable liquids, solids, or gases such as gasoline, oil, benzene, alcohol, or other similar hazardous materials. Used oil may be taken to most local auto parts stores.
- Hot materials such as ashes or cinders. Please wait until they cool.
- Any infectious waste or biomedical waste. Call your medical supplier for disposal.
- Human or animal waste, unless it is properly placed in a secure bag before being placed in the container.
- Large automobile parts, including tires. Tires (removed from the rims) may be taken free of charge to Five Oaks Tire (passenger car tires only), Sevier Farmers Co-op, and Goforth Tire. Call before going.

If the dumpster contains any of these items, the container may not be emptied until such items are removed. An explanation will be attached to the dumpster in such cases.

A hazardous waste site is being setup at one of Sevier County's convenience centers for the disposal of chemicals, motor oil, etc. Please call for more information.

If you have paint that you need to dispose of it should be dried out by either leaving the top off (small amounts) or mixing it with material such as kitty litter/shredded paper etc. When dry place open cans at curbside for pickup with bulk/junk waste.

Questions? Please call:
Public Works Office at
(865) 429-4567