



Summary of PAYT Program

PAYING FOR CURBSIDE PICK-UP

Members of the Township's Pay-As-You-Throw (PAYT) program pay West Whiteland Township for trash and recycling pick-up service once per year. The fee for trash and recycling pick-up in 2026 is \$223, which covers the calendar year January – December. (If you also have Township sewer service, then your total bill is \$508 annually, as the services are combined in one bill.)

Additionally, due to the nature of the Pay-As-You-Throw program, you will also **buy special West Whiteland Township trash bags**. These are \$2.50 each and are available at [stores throughout the Township](#). Under the PAYT system, residents pay a very low annual rate. Beyond that, each household pays for the actual amount of trash they generate. You buy and use the WWT trash bags as needed, thus paying as you throw items in the trash.

NOTE FOR NEW RESIDENTS

When you move into the Township as a homeowner, you do not need to call the Township to set up your trash and recycling pick-up or your sewer billing. We receive this information automatically from Chester County.

QUESTIONS?

For questions regarding trash and recycling pick-up, please email solidwaste@westwhiteland.org.

For questions regarding your trash bill, please email sewerbills@westwhiteland.org.

Or check our website at westwhiteland.org

WEEKLY PICK-UP

Trash and recycling are picked up at the curb every Tuesday. Please check our website for [holiday collection schedules](#). The haulers will also pick up [one bulk item](#) each week. Curbside [yard waste pick-up dates](#) are scheduled in the spring and fall.

When putting your trash and recycling at the curb, please remember the following:

- All trash **MUST** be in **Township trash bags**. The haulers will not pick up any trash that is not in a WWT trash bag. Please see our [website](#) for retailers that sell the Township trash bags.
- Trash bags must be securely tied or sealed. Please place all items at the curb by 6 a.m.
- All **recycling** must be placed in rigid wall containers. Recycling materials in plastic bags will not be collected. Recycling bins can be purchased at any hardware store or through the hauler, A.J. Blosenski.
- All **cardboard** must be flattened and tied or bundled or flattened and placed in a rigid wall container clearly labeled for recycling. Please do not set out loose boxes.