

# INSTRUCTIONS

***NOTE: THIS CART, BY CONSIGNMENT OF SERIAL NUMBER, IS ASSIGNED TO THIS ADDRESS. THE CART IS AN AUDITED ASSET THAT BELONGS TO MONROE COUNTY AND SHALL REMAIN AT THIS ADDRESS NO MATTER THE OCCUPANT. DESTRUCTION OR THEFT SHALL BE CONSIDERED A CRIMINAL OFFENSE.***

**This cart was delivered and placed where we would like for you to position it on collection day.**

The goal is to place the cart approximately five (5) feet from the nearest public road without blocking the mail box. If this is not possible, please use a "common sense" approach and put the cart in a location that is safe, stable and accessible.

Within 30 days after receiving this Cart all roadside bins, barrels or other garbage storage structures must be cleaned and removed. Failure to do so may result in a citation for violating the Monroe County Solid Waste Ordinance.

## **Rules:**

- Garbage shall be bagged before being placed in the cart and the accumulated weight of all materials in the cart shall not exceed 200 pounds.
- Loose garbage will not be picked up. Loose garbage is a disease and injury risk to our collection personnel, impedes productivity and creates litter that can easily become airborne.
- Over-flow bags or boxes that will not go into the container will be picked up. Bags may be placed in other plastic containers to protect the garbage from animals.
- An additional cart may be provided for an additional charge per month. Call the number at the bottom of this notice for further information.
- Monroe County will dump other roll-out commercial carts provided by the resident but under no circumstances shall Monroe County be responsible for damage caused by mechanically dumping these containers.
- Waste such as sofas, mattresses, recliners, appliances and other bulky waste shall be collected on a "call in" basis.

**Call 369-6654**

# **PLEASE HELP**

- ☐ **Place cart within 5 feet of the roadway.**
- ☐ **Monroe County will dump a dumpable cart provided by resident such as a contractor grade yard waste cart but under no circumstances will Monroe County be responsible for damage caused by mechanically dumping these containers.**
- ☐ **This cart was delivered and placed where we would like for you to position it on collection day.**
- ☐ **Only household garbage, furniture, or small appliances will be accepted. Appliances containing Freon will not be accepted.**
- ☐ **No limbs, leaves or other yard waste will be accepted.**
- ☐ **Please do not place your cart where it may block your mailbox.**
- ☐ **Garbage must be out by 7:00 a.m. on your scheduled collection day.**
- ☐ **According to our records there is no one getting a bill at this address. Please call 1-800-253-0831 and give them your billing information.**

**If you have problems or questions call  
Monroe County Solid Waste at 369-6654.**

**Materials that should NOT be placed  
in the Cart are as follows:**

- Bricks, asphalt, concrete.
- Boards over 2 (two) feet in length.
- Heavy metal objects.
- Household hazardous waste including but not limited to paints, paint thinner, household chemicals, pesticides, herbicides, etc. (Empty cans and containers are acceptable).
- Liquid waste (including grease, cooking oil, etc.).
- Large batteries (including automobile, tractor, lawnmower, etc.).
- Shingles, sheet rock, toilets, sinks, rugs, bulky waste or rubbish that may cause damage/harm to the cart or collection personnel by either excessive weight or sharp protrusions.
- Stable matter, dead animals, cat litter, animal or human excrements, needles, body fluids or any other material that may harbor infectious diseases.
- Limbs, leaves or yard waste.

**FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION  
CALL 369-6654  
7:00 - 4:00 MONDAY THRU FRIDAY**