



June 27, 2021

Residents and Business Owners,

As you all know, we decided to bring garbage collection back in-house. We are buying two trucks and a number of bright new 96lb., Orange and Black Trash Cans...TIGER PRIDE!!! We have made a smooth transition, with the exception of Leaf and Yard Waste.

We have been trying several solutions, considering our staff size and equipment, and none have been effective to your or our satisfaction. **Therefore, TODAY WE ARE ANNOUNCING OUR NEW PICK- UP PLAN. EFFECTIVE, JULY 15, 2021,** Friday Trash Collection will be combined with Thursday, and Friday will be left for Leaf and Yard Waste pick- up.

**DETAILS OF THE BENTON HARBOR TRASH PICK UP SCHEDULE IS ATTACHED.** Please let us know how this works for you!!!

Ellis Mitchell  
City Manager



<b>2021 CITY OF BENTON HARBOR TRASH PICK- UP SCHEDULE</b>	
HOLIDAY	TRASH PICK-UP NEXT BUSINESS DAY
REGULAR PICK-UP	MON – TUES – WED – THURS (T & F) Thursday & Friday Routes are Combined
SPECIAL PICK-UP (APPLIANCES & FURNITURE)	<b>ARRANGEMENTS 2 DAYS PRIOR TO PICK-UP</b> Call 269-927-8400 Ext. 9 <b>MUST BE PAID BEFORE YOUR TRASH DAY</b>
LEAF & DEBRIS PICK-UP	FRIDAYS PICK-UP <b>LEAVES MUST BE PUT IN BROWN PAPER LEAF BAGS (NO EXCEPTIONS)!!!</b> (No other bags allowed) <b>BRUSH &amp; TREE DEBRIS – MUST BE CUT TO 4 FT LONG &amp; 2 INCH DIAMETER BUNDLES</b>
ADDITIONAL TRASH BAGS	YOU ARE ALLOWED 2 TRASH BAGS IN ADDITION TO YOUR TRASH CAN THERE IS A \$2.00 PER BAG FEE FOR ADDITIONAL TRASH BAGS OVER THE <b>(2) TRASH BAG LIMIT</b>

**PUT CANS OUT NO EARLIER THAN THE NIGHT BEFORE PICK-UP**  
**PUT CANS BACK BY END OF TRASH PICK-UP DAY**