Important Rules to Remember About Automated Trash & Recycling Collection

Each residence is provided with two wheeled 95 gallon containers, specifically designed for automated collection. The gray container is for household waste and the blue container is for recycling. Residents place their trash or recycling in the container and a special truck with a lifting mechanism empties the container and returns it to the curb.

There is no charge for the initial two cans, however if a resident would like an additional trash and/or recycle container they must pay \$55.00 for each container. In addition, there is an annual \$300.00 Tipping fee for any <u>additional</u> trash container (not recycle containers).

- All trash must be placed in the container issued by the Borough of Fair Haven
- Trash left beside the containers or in other receptacles will not be collected
- Trash must be bagged before being placed in the Borough issued container.
- The container must be set in an accessible location: At least 3 feet from any obstacle such as cars, trees and mailboxes, within 2 feet of the curb.
- Containers that are inaccessible will not be collected until the next scheduled collection day.
- The container must be turned so that the arrows point to the street.
- Containers must be at the curb by 6:00 AM on your scheduled trash day.
- No hazardous or building materials, yard waste, brush, recyclables or corrugated cardboard can be put in your trash container.
- Do not place trash, building materials, yard waste or any other non-recyclable item in with your blue recycling container. If non-recyclable items are in your blue container it will not be emptied.
- Fair Haven has single-stream recycling. Please all recyclable items together in blue can.
- Do not place recyclable items in trash bags. They will not get picked up.
- Containers for recycled items are available for drop-off at the DPW location, 1 Allen Street, from 7:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. – No Bulk items – JUST RECYCLING!