

## Recycle Centers

Peach County operates two 24/7 recycling centers.

- Fort Valley Center located at 508 Old Macon Road
- Byron Center located at Jail House Alley and Church Road

The centers accept:

- newspaper, magazines and catalogs
- mail, shredded paper and computer paper
- paperboard
- cardboard
- household plastic (#1-7 only; no bags of any kind)
- Clear and colored glass
- Aluminum cans, computers and printers (Fort Valley site only)
- Motor oil (Fort Valley site only)

## Landfills

Peach County does **not** have a landfill. For items which do not comply with Waste Management Contract or Convenience Center Guidelines, please contact one of the local landfills below for proper disposal. Each landfill accepts different items and may have applicable fees.

**Macon County Landfill, Montezuma, GA**  
(478) 836-3782

**Taylor County Landfill, Mauk, GA**  
(478) 862-2504

**Houston County Landfill, Kathleen, GA**  
(478) 987-0089



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Call Public Works @ 478-825-8717  
to Schedule Appointment for Yard  
Debris and Bulk Item Pickups

PLEASE be courteous and remove trash  
cart from street after collection.

## Convenience Center

508 Old Macon Road

Hours of Operation:

Monday—Friday	8AM—6PM
Saturday	8AM—4PM

The center accepts large quantities not covered  
in the Waste Management Residential Contract.  
Exclusions are:

- \* Batteries
- \* Commercial Trash
- \* Contractors Material
- \* Liquids, Oils or Paints, etc.
- \* Household Trash
- \* Landscaping Company Trash & Debris

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IN COLLABORATION WITH



Peach County Public Works  
410 Old Macon Road  
Fort Valley, GA 31030  
**Phone: (478) 825-8717**

Visit our website at: [www.peachcounty.net](http://www.peachcounty.net)

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## General Information

Peach County has revised the contract with Waste Management, Inc. for household trash, **As of October 1, 2022, Waste Management will only be responsible for collection of Household Garbage.** Each citizen's Solid Waste fee will continue to be itemized on the yearly Property Tax Statement and the fee is set by the Board of Commissioners. The fee includes: single 95 gallon cart, weekly pickup of household trash

- ◇ Owners of properties that are vacant may appeal to have the fee removed from their statement. Contact Peach County Tax Commissioner's office at (478) 825-3161 for more information on the appeal process.
- ◇ Trash Collection service may be started or reinstated by contacting the Public Works Department at (478) 825-8717.
- ◇ Public Works monitors all citizen calls regarding Waste Management services through final disposition.

## Prohibited Items

- ◆ Batteries
- ◆ Tires
- ◆ Hazardous Waste or chemicals
- ◆ Sleeper sofas / chairs, & Recliners
- ◆ Items containing refrigerant, oil, or gasoline. Items with refrigerant **MUST** be tagged by a Certified Technician stating coolant has been removed from unit **or** the entire part containing coolant must be removed.



## BY APPOINTMENT ONLY

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## Peach County Public

### Yard Debris Collection

- ⇒ Call 478-825-8717 to Schedule an Appointment for Yard Debris Collection
- ⇒ Place waste:
  - ⇒ By road by 6:00 AM on scheduled pickup day
  - ⇒ Within 4 feet of edge of road
  - ⇒ 4 feet from any poles, lamp posts, vehicles, or other obstructions
- ⇒ Limbs no longer than 4 feet, and no larger than 6 inches in diameter
- ⇒ No single piece of yard waste greater than 40 lbs.
- ⇒ Small yard waste such as leaves and grass **must be bagged**
- ⇒ Total yard waste is limited to 4 cubic yards per pickup (Excess of 4 cubic yards will not be picked up)
- ⇒ Whenever possible use trash cart for small items / quantiles

### White Goods (Bulk Items)

- ⇒ Call 478-825-8717 to Schedule an Appointment for Yard Debris Collection
- ◇ **NO** "Construction Material" (lumber, toilets, carpeting, cabinets, etc.)
- ◇ Mattress / Sofa—cannot be wet

## Waste Management

### Household Trash Collection

**All trash must be within cart (Do not stack trash on top of cart)**

- \* Pickup will be one time per week Monday through Friday (unless there is a holiday)
- \* Place Container:
  - ◇ By road by 6:00 AM on scheduled pickup day
  - ◇ Within 2 feet of the road edge
  - ◇ Cart wheels facing toward the house
  - ◇ On opposite side of the driveway from the mailbox
  - ◇ 4 feet from any poles, lamp posts, vehicles, or other obstructions

### Cart Replacement

If a cart becomes damaged please call Public Works and report the problem. A Work Order will be placed for a replacement. After notification to Public Works, please allow 5 to 10 business days for delivery and leave existing cart at curb.

### Additional Trash Carts

The trash fee that Peach County homeowners pay on their tax statement **only authorizes one trash cart**. If you need or desire an additional trash cart you must contact Waste Management directly at (478) 405-5000. There is an additional cost for extra trash cart(s) that will need to be paid directly to Waste Management. Please note that unauthorized additional carts may be picked up by Waste Management.