



Bald Head Association ~ “The voice for BHI property owners”

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Who Do I Call? Trash Pickup

For trash pickup, the Village of BHI Public Works has “back-door service.” That means you **DO NOT** have to take trash to the curb. Property owners and renters place trash in the home’s secured trash enclosure and turn the YES/NO sign on the address bollard to “Yes,” to notify the trash truck to stop for pickup.

Between Memorial Day and Labor Day, trash pickup is twice a week. Did you know it takes two full days for the trash truck to pick up trash on the entire island? Depending on where your home is located, your trash is picked up either on Monday and Thursday or Tuesday and Friday. If the rental schedule or cleaning service occurs after trash pickup, new renters could have remaining trash in the receptacle, which would be picked up on the next trash pickup day.

If you rent your home, inform all renters to place trash in the secured trash enclosure, **NOT** at curbside. Openly exposed trash bags can attract raccoons and other wildlife, with a detrimental effect not only to wildlife but also to the environment, when contents of open trash are spread by winds and mar the beauty of Bald Head Island.

Remember, if you have trash, turn your YES/NO sign to “Yes,” and if you do not, leave it on “No.” If the sign is not on “Yes,” the garbage truck will not stop. If you lose your YES/NO sign or need a new one, you can pick one up at Public Works, located behind the Public Safety Complex at 273 Edward Teach Extension. If you have questions about trash pickup, call Public Works at 910-457-5422.

Public trash receptacles are picked up twice a week (Monday and Friday) all year. Public trash receptacles are for people to use when they are coming off the beach or riding around the Island and have trash to dispose of. These receptacles are not to be used for household trash.

BHI Public Works does **NOT** take **ANY** construction materials. If you have a contractor with construction materials to dispose of, they must make arrangements to remove it from the island. If property owners have minor construction projects themselves and need a smaller-sized construction dumpster, there are 4’x8’ wooden dumpsters. Contact Joe Walker, Windamere Homes, at 910-367-1167. For a 20-yard dumpster, Island Contracting Inc. is located at 2 Merchants Row, BHI, and can be reached at 910-457-5816.

Remember, **ALL** external modifications to homes in BHA-managed areas (the entirety of BHI except Middle Island and the Harbour) must receive approval from BHA’s ARC (Architectural Review Committee) **before any work begins**. Call Karen Mosteller at 910-457-4676, ext. 22 or email Karen@BaldHeadAssociation.com.

Trash pickup is handled by Waste Industries and managed by the Village of BHI. Private equity owners merged Raleigh’s Waste Industries with Canadian environmental services company GFL Environmental in the fall of 2018. This \$2.8 billion deal created the largest privately owned environmental services company in North America. Waste Industries acquired Coastal Ladies Carting, Inc. (a.k.a. Pink-Trash based in Wilmington, NC) in March 2019.