Food Scraps & Yard Debris

Food Scraps

- Bread, pasta & grains
- Coffee grounds & filters
- Eggshells, nutshells
- Fish, meat & dairy
- Fruits & vegetables
- ▶ Tea bags

Food Soiled Paper

- Greasy pizza boxes
- ▶ Paper bags with food
- Paper plates and take-out containers (uncoated)
- ▶ Paper towels & napkins

Yard Debris

- Branches (under 4' long, 4" wide)
- Grass, leaves & twigs
- Houseplants
- Weeds



Tips for Collecting Food Scraps

Collect food scraps and food-soiled paper in a paper or compostable bag, or washable container with lid.

Control odors and fruit flies:

- empty and rinse containers daily
- sprinkle containers with baking soda or rinse with vinegar
- line containers with food-soiled paper or shredded paper.

Avoid overweight carts: fill only half full of wet leaves and grass.

Handling Extra Yard Debris

Put extra yard debris in:

- paper yard debris bags
- 32-gallon cans with handles and lid
- Additional fees apply

No plastic in this container