



Storm Debris Removal Resource Guide

Debris should be placed curbside without blocking the road or storm drains. Additionally, residents should avoid placing debris near or on structures such as trees, poles, mailboxes, fire hydrants and meters.

Guidelines from the [Federal Emergency Management Agency](#) require debris to be separated into six categories:

- **Electronics:** televisions, computers, stereos, phones, DVD players and other devices with cords
- **Large appliances:** refrigerators, washing machines and dryers, air conditioners, stoves, water heaters and dishwashers
- **Hazardous waste:** oil, batteries, pesticides, paint, cleaning supplies and compressed gas
- **Vegetative debris:** tree branches, leaves, logs and plants
- **Construction debris:** building materials, drywall, lumber, carpet, furniture and plumbing
- **Household garbage:** bagged garbage, discarded food, paper and packaging

The specifics

Local government entities may have varying requirements in their debris pickup procedures. Additional information is linked below.

- **[Fort Bend County \(608\) 492-0522 \(833\) 307-9937](#):** Please be patient. Following a storm, the top priority is our community's health and safety and the county's restoration. Keep household garbage, recycling, and vegetative and/or construction storm debris in separate piles. Debris must be neatly stacked or piled curbside by debris type. Don't block roadways, traffic signs, drains, or stormwater structures.