



## TRASH CANS

All trash bags must be placed in trash cans between **20 to 48 gallons** in size. Loose trash placed in the container will not be allowed.

Trash cans must be placed in the alley or front curb of houses. There is no limit to the amount of trash cans that can be set out. The city prefers that you use a lid to keep animals out, but you will not be assessed an administrative fee for not using a lid.

Residents can use trash cans they already have that are larger than 48 gallons. For a list of locations that sell city trash bags, visit [www.cityofmesquite.com/SolidWaste](http://www.cityofmesquite.com/SolidWaste)

The city will only apply fees for the additional services that its staff has to provide to service your trash. However, before any additional fee is placed on your solid waste bill there will be an administrative review by city staff, including photographic evidence. Special exceptions will be made by the city for solid waste collection interruptions due to a holiday. We will be reasonable and realistic with every situation.

For more information, visit [www.cityofmesquite.com/SolidWaste](http://www.cityofmesquite.com/SolidWaste) or call the Solid Waste Division 24-hour message and information lines at 972-216-6285 and 972-216-6284