

HOLIDAY TRASH/RECYCLING AND FOOD WASTE COLLECTIONS SLIDE GUIDE

2026

When a holiday occurs, trash/recycling your collection day “slide” to the next day for the rest of the week.

In twice-a-week collection areas (Monday/Thursday or Tuesday/Friday): Monday slides to Tuesday and Thursday slides to Friday; Tuesday slides to Wednesday and Friday slides to Saturday. For more information, call 311 or (202) 737-4404 or visit www.dpw.dc.gov.

Holiday Occurs On:

Collections Occurs on

Monday

Tuesday

Martin Luther King Jr. Day - **Jan 20**
Washington's Birthday - **Feb 17**
Memorial Day - **May 26**
Labor Day - **Sept 8**
Indigenous Peoples' Day - **Oct 13**

Wednesday

Thursday

Veterans Day - **Nov 12**

Thursday

Friday

New Years Day - **January 2**
Emancipation Day - **Apr 17**
Thanksgiving - **Nov 27**

Friday

Saturday

Juneteenth - **June 20**
Christmas Day - **Dec 26**



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