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Baltimore City Clean Guide

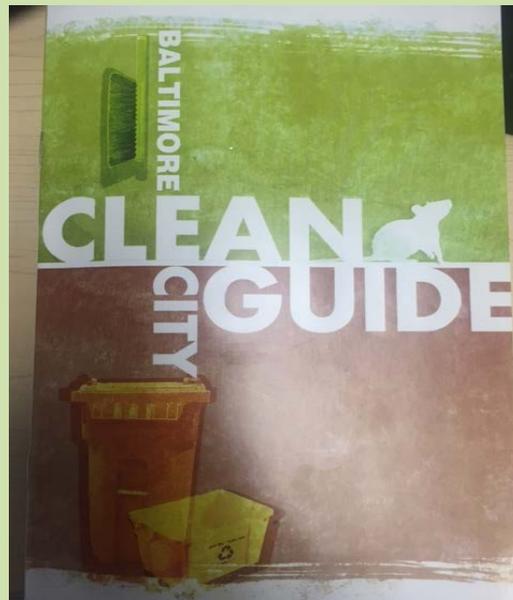
It is here, the Baltimore City Clean Guide! Inspired by the Patterson Park community guide, the **Baltimore City Clean Guide** gives residents detailed information about trash removal, recycling, rat prevention, stormwater fee credits, and so much more. The Baltimore City Clean Guide is part of the Clean Corps Initiative to make Baltimore a cleaner city.

Too often residents become frustrated when they are unable to connect with the right agency to address sanitation concerns, or need direction on how to find resources to organize efforts to make their communities cleaner and greener. The Baltimore City Clean Guide promises to fill that void by providing residents with the tools and tips to keep their streets, alleys, and backyards clean.

What's Inside the Guide?

- How to use 311
 - Recycling
- Locate citizen drop off centers
 - Combat rat population
 - Municipal Trash Can FAQs
 - Fines and consequences
- Responsibilities for landlords
 - Resource tips
 - Stormwater Fee credits
- Mechanical Street Sweeping
- How to join Clean Corps Baltimore

****And so much more****



To download a copy of the Baltimore City Clean Guide please visit:

<http://tinyurl.com/CleanGuide>

Physical copies of the book are available by request to the Office of Recycling at 410-396-4511.

Hazardous Household Collection for 2015

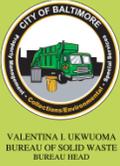
Fri. May 6 & Sat. May 7

9 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Northwest Citizens' Convenience Center
2840 Sisson Street

Holiday Reminder

Memorial Day, Monday, May 30 2016, is a Baltimore City Holiday and all offices are closed. It is not a regularly scheduled trash & recycling collection day. Citizens' Convenience Centers are closed and there will be no Mechanical Street Sweeping.



Please don't use plastic bags!

You can use anything as a container for your recyclables **except** plastic bags. Many grocery stores and supermarkets will recycle plastic bags.



Acceptable and Unacceptable Recycling Materials

Acceptable Recycling Material:

- Aerosol Cans (empty)
- Aluminum: cans, beverage and food containers, foil (clean), and pie pans
- Bottles: narrow-neck bottles
- Cartons (waxed): used for a liquid such as juices, milk or soups
- Glass containers such as bottles and jars (brown, clear or green)
- Metal: beverage and food containers
- Plastic: bottles and jars
- Prescription bottles, including caps
- Steel: beverage containers and food
- Tin: cans and foil

Rigid Plastics

(to be taken to the citizen drop-off centers)

Rigid plastics include milk/soda crates, buckets, laundry baskets, children's toys, etc.

Unacceptable Recycling Material Examples:

- Cookware and plates (plastic)
- Containers of toxic substances -e.g., cans motor oil, pesticides, etc.
- Contaminated paper products -e.g., napkins, paper towels, and tissue
- Dry cleaning bags
- Glass (window and mirror)
- Waxed paper

Reminders

Extended Convenience Center Hours

From Memorial Day to Labor Day, there will be extended hours at the following Convenience Centers:

NW Citizen Convenience Center

2840 Sisson Street
Mon-Sat: 9 a.m.-7 p.m.
Sun: Closed

Eastern Sanitation Yard

6101 Bowley's Lane
Mon-Sat: 9 a.m.-7 p.m.
Sun: Closed

Western Sanitation Yard

701 Reedbird Ave
Mon-Sat : 9 a.m.-7 p. m.
Sun: Closed

Mechanical Street Sweeping Program

Citywide Mechanical Street Sweeping is here! The Bureau of Solid Waste is working to make Baltimore City neighborhoods cleaner by sweeping the neighborhood **EVERY WEDNESDAY!** Please do your part to help make Baltimore cleaner and greener by moving your cars so street sweepers can provide a "clean sweep" of our streets.

Monthly Street Sweeping Schedule:

NW & SE Quadrants:

Odd Sides 1st Wednesdays
Even Side: 2nd Wednesdays

SW & NE Quadrants

Odd Sides: 3rd Wednesdays
Even Sides: 4th Wednesdays

