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## **No Garbage, Organics, Recycling Collection, or Street Cleaning on Thanksgiving Day, Thursday, November 22**

The New York City Department of Sanitation announced that in observance of Thanksgiving Day, there would be no garbage, organics nor recycling collection, or street cleaning, on Thursday, November 22, 2018.

- Residents who normally receive Thursday **garbage and organics collection** should place their materials out at curbside after 4 p.m. on Thursday, November 22 for pickup.
- Residents who normally receive Thursday **recycling collection** should place their materials out at curbside after 4 p.m. on Wednesday, November 28 for collection on Thursday, November 29.

In addition, all Sanitation administrative offices will be closed on Thursday, November 22, in observance of the holiday.

To help provide city residents with Sanitation-related service reminders, updates and special event schedules, the New York City Department of Sanitation has launched DSNY Info, its smart phone and tablet app. The app also includes tips to reduce, reuse and recycle, making it easier for New Yorkers send zero waste to landfills by 2030. The free app is available for both iOS and Android operating systems, and can be found by searching DSNY Info in the [Apple App](#) and [Google Play](#) stores.

### **About the New York City Department of Sanitation**

The Department of Sanitation (DSNY) promotes a healthy environment through the efficient management of solid waste and the development of environmentally sound long-range planning for handling refuse, including recyclables. The Department operates 59 district garages and manages a fleet of more than 2,000 rear-loading collection trucks, 450 mechanical brooms and 695 salt/sand spreaders. The Department clears litter, snow and ice from approximately 6,500 miles of City streets and removes debris from vacant lots as well as abandoned vehicles from City streets.