SORT IT OUT
What you need to know about recycling and garbage collection

Aerosol Cans
- Empty & rinse

Plastic Containers
- #1, #2 or #5 includes beverage, cleaning, and laundry containers

Aluminum Cans & Foil
- Empty & rinse/Discard food waste

Tin & Steel Cans
- Empty & rinse

Glass Bottle & Jars
- Empty & rinse

General household garbage
- Household garbage is picked up at the curb twice a week.
- Place garbage cans at the curb after 5pm the night before scheduled collection.
- Garbage cans must be removed the evening of collection.
- Trash cans should be 32 gallons or less and no more than 50 lbs.

Cardboard
- Flatten boxes – place at curb

Newspapers - NO PLASTIC BAGS!
- Place in a brown paper bag, loosely in a container or tied with string.

Magazines - NO PLASTIC BAGS!
- Place in a brown paper bag, loosely in a container or tied with string.

Books
- Remove covers, tie in bundles.

OPEN ➔ Monday-Saturday 9 am-1pm
Drop off appliances, batteries, bottles & cans, cardboard, cooking oil, electronics, furniture, lightbulbs, magazines, motor oil, newspapers, paint cans, EMPTY propane tanks, styrofoam, and yard waste.
- Proof of residency required
- NO Commercial or Rental vehicles permitted

Trash is picked up once a month
- North of Mt Vernon-1st Thursday
- Mt. Vernon & South-1st Friday

Trash includes bags of clothing, furniture, mattresses and toys
- NO HAZARDOUS waste materials will be picked up at the curb.
- Appliances, computers & tires will not be picked up on trash day.

“White Goods” are picked up at the curb on Wednesday mornings.
- “White Goods” consist of air conditioners, BBGs, computers, dishwashers, dryers, fans, FAX machines, freezers, hot water heaters, metal items, monitors, printers, refrigerators, stoves, tires, TVs and washing machines.
- Call 201-440-4860 by Tuesday to schedule a pick-up

Yard waste is picked up once a week
- Mt. Vernon & South-Mondays
- North of Mt Vernon-Tuesdays
- Place in cans or paper bags
- NO PLASTIC BAGS!

Leaves may be raked into the street during October, November & December.
- Place on the sweeper side of the street on the appropriate day

Unsure How to Dispose of a Particular Item?
Call the DPW @ 201-440-4860