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BROWN ORGANICS CART COLLECTION
Set your cart out according to the
CALENDAR ON THE BACK OF THIS CARD.

CART SETOUT GUIDELINES
(For your cart to be emptied, following these guidelines is required.)
Set carts out by 7 AM on your scheduled day, year round.
Crews will NOT service carts from storage locations.

FOR STREET COLLECTION—Place your cart between the curb and sidewalk at least three (3) feet away from vehicles or other objects.
FOR ALLEY COLLECTION—Place your cart at the alley line at least three (3) feet away from the garage or other objects.

Return carts to the storage location by 10 PM.
EXCEPTION: Pickups may be postponed due to winter weather.
In this situation, leave cart at the collection point until emptied.

MATERIAL GUIDELINES
Food must be bagged in a paper bag. Yard debris does not need to be bagged.

Only what fits in the cart will be collected by Compost Crusader. For City collection service of bulk piles of leaves or brush, refer to city.Milwaukee.gov/sanitation

If your cart is contaminated with unacceptable materials, it may be collected by a garbage truck. In the event that this is necessary, you will receive a yellow tag on your cart identifying the contamination. Please leave your cart at the collection point until it is emptied by DPW Sanitation employees.

For a complete list of accepted materials and other helpful information, please visit the website at city.Milwaukee.gov/organics

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