

## **BULKY ITEM DISPOSAL POLICY**

Discovered some unusable, large household items that you want to get rid of? Large items are not collected as part of the regular refuse collection program, however there is a special bulky item collection program in place that allows those large items to be picked up at the curb or in the lane way.

The Bulky Item Collection Program is a user-pay system that operates year-round, one week per month.

1. Do not put out bulky waste for regular waste collection. Bulky waste is classified as refuse that will not fit in the containers used for weekly collection.

### **Bulky Item Pick-Up Restrictions**

- City of Brandon Residents ONLY
  - Size Requirements
    - Limited to 25 kgs in weight and a maximum 1 meter in dimension in any one way (with exception of household appliances/furniture or wood/tree branches)
    - Furniture and Appliances are exempt to weight and size restrictions
    - Tree branches and or wood is to be bundled and not to exceed 2 meters in length, or 25 kgs per bundle
    - 1 tag required per item or bundle
    - NO Hazardous Waste accepted under this program
2. Acceptable items may include furniture, large appliances (fridges, freezers, air-conditioners, stoves, etc.) hot water tanks and mattresses. Contact Eastview Landfill at 204-729-2281 for a special pick up. A charge will apply for each item.
  3. Household construction/renovation materials, such as drywall, lumber (both treated and untreated), shingles, concrete, doors, bathtubs, windows or carpets must be taken to the Eastview Landfill Site for disposal. There is no fee for a weight under 500 kg, however, residents will be charged a landfill entrance fee in accordance with the City of Brandon Fee Schedule. Information on the Eastview Landfill Site is available online at [www.brandon.ca](http://www.brandon.ca). Commercial haulers operating within the City will also provide bins for collection of construction materials.
  4. You can also contact the CMHA RE-Store about donating your construction/renovation materials. The Re-Store is a building supply store that accepts and resells quality new and used building materials. Contact them at 204-728-2227. We encourage reuse of materials wherever possible.
  5. Yard waste and branches can be taken to the Eastview Landfill Site for composting and grinding. There is no charge for this service for loads under 500kg.

**If you have a large item you wish to dispose of using this program, just follow the three simple steps below:**

1. Purchase a bulky item ticket at one of the following locations:

**City Hall - Finance**

410 – 9th Street

Monday to Friday, 8:30 am – 4:00pm

Please note that each item requires a ticket. Ticket costs are according to the fee schedule.

2. Call the East View Landfill at 729-2281 to schedule a pick-up date (please have your purchased ticket on hand).
3. Have your bulky item(s) out to the curb or back lane by 7:00 am on the specified collection day and we will take care of the rest. City crews are unable to enter onto private property to retrieve items. Ensure that all items are tagged. Any untagged items will not be picked up.

For more information on this program, please call 204-729-2281 or email [sanitation@brandon.ca](mailto:sanitation@brandon.ca)