Trash Services for the Town of Paonia have rules set by ordinance and resolution: Emergency Ordinance 2015-02, Ordinance 2018-01, and Resolution No. 2020-19. These rules have been set for the health and safety of the Town’s employee’s and citizens.

**Did You Know?**

* Your trash must be set out for collection by 8 am on your trash pick-up day.
* Trash cans may not be larger than 33 gallons.
* Dumpsters must be resting on a permanent, level, hard surface to certain specifications.
* Dumpsters that are blocked by vehicles or other obstacles will not be collected.
* Oversize items can be set to the side of your receptacle for collection. The town will pick up small appliances i.e., toasters, microwaves.

Large appliances or anything with freon will not be picked up, even if it is certified empty.

The Town reserves the right to reject any garbage based on size, weight, or hazard for the safety of its employees or citizens. As such the town will not collect the following items:

* Tires
* Grease/oil
* Construction/demolition materials
* Loose trash not contained in bags
* Trash cans weighing more than 100 lbs.

Tree and hedge trimmings will be collected if they are:

* Tied in bundles no more than 5 feet in length
* The bundles aren’t more than 18 inches in diameter
* Do not weigh more than 75 lbs.

Thank you for your understanding and cooperation!