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**City announces no recycling collection next week**

EAST PROVIDENCE, RI – The City of East Providence Dept. of Public Works has announced that due to the Blizzard of 2026, and a scheduling conflict with the City’s rubbish collection vendor, MEGA, there will be no recycling collection the week of March 2<sup>nd</sup> through March 6<sup>th</sup>.

The Department of Public Works located at 60 Commercial Way will be accepting recycling drop-offs through next week from 7:30AM to 3:00PM to help alleviate burdened bins.

We understand that this is an inconvenience, but we ask for your understanding and patience as we continue to navigate through this unprecedented period.

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For questions or more information, please contact DPW Program Coordinator, Donna McMahon at (401)435-7701 Fax: 434-1725.