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Rubbish Collection Change for Columbus Day

EAST PROVIDENCE, RI – The city of East Providence Dept. of Public Works has announced that due to the Columbus Day holiday there will be no rubbish or yard waste collection on Monday, Oct. 12, 2026. Monday's rubbish and yard waste will be collected on Tuesday, Oct. 13, 2026 and rubbish and yard waste collections for the remainder of the week will be delayed by one day.

Residents are asked to have rubbish and yard waste containers at the curb by 6 a.m. for collection.

Bulky item collection remains the same, collection will be Friday, October 16, 2026.

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For questions or more information, please contact DPW Program Coordinator, Donna McMahon at (401) 435-7701 option #7 Fax: 434-1725.