



## Meridian Township Recycling Cart Conversion Frequently Asked Questions

### **What is happening?**

Granger is allowing Meridian Township residents to recycle more than ever before by replacing recycling tubs with Curby Recycler carts that have more than five times the capacity of the old tubs.

### **Who is eligible?**

All Granger trash customers who have weekly service (not bag tag service) living in Meridian Township are eligible for every other week no additional charge recycling collection with a Curby Recycler cart.

Commercial customers and customers who have service through homeowners associations, condo associations, etc., may receive recycling as negotiated.

Bag tag customers may add recycling collection with a Curby Recycler cart to their service for an additional monthly charge.

### **Why is Granger doing this?**

This change is a win-win.

There are many advantages for residents:

- Carts have the capacity to allow residents to recycle much more on each collection day.
- Rolling carts make it easier to take recycling out to the street.
- Carts are better than tubs at protecting recycling from the elements and keeping it contained.

Carts also make recycling collection safer and more efficient for Granger associates.

### **What are the costs/cost changes (if any)?**

Customers will receive this cart at no additional cost. Those customers who already have carts will no longer have to pay the cart rental fee. They will see this change reflected on their bill with their next billing cycle.

### **When will carts be distributed and when will tubs be removed?**

Cart delivery/tub pickup will begin the week of April 27. To facilitate this process, Granger will be delivering carts and picking up tubs on residents' recycling collection day when the tubs will already be out. If Granger is not be able to complete all exchanges on a particular service day, the exchange will be completed on that resident's next service or a subsequent service day. (For example, if the exchange for a resident whose collection day is April 28 can't be completed that day, it will be bumped to May 12 or May 26.) This process may take more than a month to complete.

**What if residents don't have room for the carts?**

While the cart may seem large, its footprint is quite small. Most of a Curby Recycler cart's capacity is in its height. It doesn't take up much more room on the floor of a garage than a recycling tub does.

Due to their durability, carts can be stored outside. They do not need to be kept in a garage, carport or shed. So, if residents truly don't feel they have room for it inside, they can keep it on the side or back of their home or garage.

**May residents opt out of receiving a Curby Recycler cart?**

Granger is no longer offering a tub option for recycling. Residents will need to use the Curby Recycler cart if they want to continue to have recycling collection.

**What if residents don't currently have Granger service? Can they still get the no additional charge recycling if they sign up now?**

Any Meridian Township resident who is not a Granger customer can sign up for regular or small cart service now and receive no additional charge recycling with a Curby Recycler cart. Residents should visit [www.grangerwasteservices.com/request-service](http://www.grangerwasteservices.com/request-service) or call 517-372-2800 or 1-888-947-2643 to sign up.

*For more information or for additional questions on this program, residents can contact Granger directly at [info@grangernet.com](mailto:info@grangernet.com) or 517-372-2800 or 1-888-947-2643.*