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**Corner Cans, Median
Strips and Public
Rights-of- Ways**

**Are Not for Household
Trash**

Today, Baltimore City
Department of Public
Works Acting Director
Matthew W. Garbark
reminds City residents and
businesses that corner cans
are not for household or
business trash. These cans
are for pedestrian litter only.
Placing household trash in
public corner cans results in
overflowing cans and rodent
problems.

Director Garbark also
reminds residents that
placing household trash in
median strips and/or other
public rights-of-way for
collection is and has never
been appropriate. It is

unattractive and can also cause rodent problems.

Municipal Trash Cans were distributed for residents to properly dispose of trash. If your residence does not have a Municipal Trash Can, please call 311 to request one.

We all have a role in keeping the city clean. Residents and business owners are encouraged to clean any litter and trash from the front and rear of their homes and business establishments, including curbs and gutters.

Crews from the Departments of Public Works, Transportation, and Recreation and Parks are working to address trash

issues in median strips,
public rights-of-way, and
parks.

Dumping trash in the street,
alleys and/or empty yards is
illegal. Any concerns about
trash in these locations
should be reported to 311 or
called in to 410-396-5352.

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*After hours, weekends, or holidays
please call 410-396-3100 for the
duty officer.*

The Baltimore City Department of
Public Works supports the health,
environment, and economy of our City
and region by cleaning our
neighborhoods and waterways and
providing its customers with safe
drinking water and sustainable energy
practices.

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