

City of Bristol Tennessee

Media Advisory

Thursday, February 13, 2014

WINTER WEATHER UPDATE - Public Works suspends solid waste collections today

The City's Public Works Department has suspended solid waste/garbage pick-up, yard waste and bulk items collections today. The department will collect solid waste that was normally scheduled for Thursday, February 13 to Friday, February 14. The collection route scheduled for Friday, February 14 will move to Saturday, February 15.

Solid Waste crews are utilized in the Streets Division during severe winter weather events such as those the city is now experiencing. "The snow continues to come down requiring rare utilization of manpower from the Solid Waste Division on the city's snow removal crew. We are making progress on the city's roadways but we must continue to work through this snow event which is requiring some changes to be made in our regularly scheduled operations," said City Manager Bill Sorah. "We will continue to update the community and re-evaluate road conditions throughout the day. Thank you very much for your patience."

For more information on Solid Waste schedules contact dtaylor@bristoltn.org or call 989-5582.