



CITY OF
Mount Pearl

2021
Recycling and Garbage
Guide and Schedules



CLEARLY

We Can Do Better

Mount Pearl's Clear Garbage Bag Program

The City of Mount Pearl requires all residents to use clear garbage bags for household garbage.



Clear bags have a positive impact on the environment by reminding residents to be aware of what items can be recycled instead of thrown out.



Some residents are still throwing paper products, plastic containers and household hazardous waste in the garbage. Clearly, we can do better.



When everyone does their part to reduce, reuse and recycle, we generate less garbage. This reduces operating costs for managing waste and allows us to channel more funds into other areas.

How It Works

Follow these easy steps



#1

Place recyclables in transparent blue bags



#2

Place household garbage in clear bags and place in cart



#3

Two small privacy bags are allowed per cart



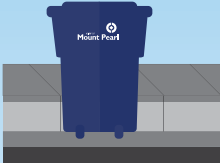
#4

Place recycling & garbage cart at the curb

CART PLACEMENT

Park it

Place cart on the street with wheels against the curb. If your street is indicated below, place cart at the end of your driveway.



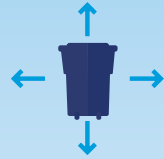
Point it

Arrows on the cart should point to the centre of the road



Space it

Give at least an arm's-length of clearance on all sides.



Residents on Ruth Avenue, Commonwealth Avenue and Topsail Road **please place cart at the end of your driveway.**

A few things to remember:

- Garbage must be placed inside a cart provided by the City.
- Carts must be placed at the curb by 8 a.m. on your collection day.
- Carts should not be placed at the curb before 8 p.m. on the evening prior to your collection day.
- Cart lid must be completely closed.
- If you have trouble pushing your cart to the curb, the truck will have trouble picking it up. Cart weight should not exceed 136kg (300lbs).
- Two small, non-transparent bags (for disposal of sensitive material) are allowed per cart on each collection day. Privacy bags must be no larger than 54.9 cm x 58.4 cm (21.6 in x 23 in).

Special instructions for winter collection:

- You may need to adjust cart placement so that it does not interfere with snowplows.
- Find a clear space and place your cart as close to the street as possible, without obstructing the street or sidewalk. Remember, the arm on the collection truck can only reach a maximum of 10 feet.
- Do not place cart behind or on top of snow banks. Make sure it is visible and accessible.
- Once garbage has been collected, return your cart to a secure location on your property.
- Please use discretion when placing recyclables out for collection on windy days. You may consider holding them until the following week.
- For collection postponements due to snow storms, please visit www.mountpearl.ca. You can also sign up to the City's citizen alert system, which is for emergencies and major disruptions, at www.mountpearl.ca/citizen-alert.

RECYCLABLES

Paper and Cardboard

Recyclables are collected each week on the same day as your household garbage. Do not cover recycling bags when placed at the curb for collection.

It costs the City \$82 for every ton of garbage brought to the landfill, and only \$22 for every ton of recyclables. Clearly, recycling stops us from throwing money away!

The following recyclable items must be placed in a transparent blue bag. For a complete list visit www.mountpearl.ca/recycle.

Boxes

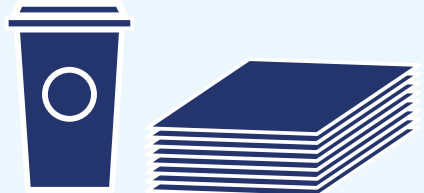
- corrugated cardboard
- food boxes (e.g. cereal, pasta, granola bars, frozen food)
- gift boxes
- packaging boxes
- paper towel rolls
- pizza boxes
- shoe boxes

Mixed Paper

- books (hard covers removed)
- computer and construction paper
- drink and coffee trays
- egg cartons
- envelopes
- empty toilet paper rolls and empty paper towel rolls
- glossy paper
- magazines and catalogues
- newspapers and flyers
- paper bags
- phonebooks
- sticky notes

What's Not Accepted

- bubble envelopes
- candy wrappers
- toilet paper
- tissues
- paper towels
- wax paper
- napkins
- pet food bags
- take out drink containers
- coffee cups
- gift bags & wrapping paper
- diapers
- needles and other sharps
- clothing
- blankets and bedsheets



RECYCLABLES

Containers

The following recyclable items must be placed in a separate transparent blue bag. Please empty, rinse or wipe materials.

Plastic Containers

- condiments, like ketchup, mustard, honey, etc.
- household cleaning supplies, like dish & laundry detergent, bleach, Windex, windshield wash, etc.
- juice containers
- over-the-counter medicine, like Tylenol bottles, cough syrup, etc.
- plastic flower pots
- plastic tubs, like butter, ice cream, yogurt, etc.
- toiletries, like shampoo, body wash, mouthwash, etc.
- water, pop & liquor bottles

Aluminum Containers

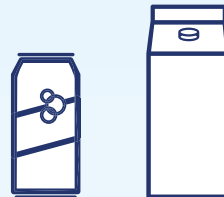
- pop & beer cans
- disposable baking trays, pie plates, etc.
- tin cans & lids (e.g. soup cans, coffee cans, beans, tuna, etc.)

Paper Containers

- milk & juice cartons
- tetra paks

What's Not Accepted

- glass bottles & jars
- styrofoam
- aerosol cans
- plastic bags
- plastic wrap, saran wrap
- aluminum foil
- propane tanks
- CD, DVD, electronic game cases
- full or unopened food containers
- paint cans
- toys (wood, plastic, metal)
- diapers
- kitty litter
- laundry baskets & hampers
- pots & pans
- needles & other sharp objects
- car parts
- Keurig cups & Tassimo discs



Visit our What Can I Recycle guide to learn more about recycling, search specific items and learn about disposal options:

www.mountpearl.ca/recycle

WHAT TO DO with Other Waste



PAINT

Waste paint is not accepted by the City; however, residents can bring paint to the Mount Pearl Green Depot, 5 Old Placentia Road. Please dispose of empty paint cans in your regular curbside garbage collection.



USED TIRES

On-road tires can be returned to any tire retailer in manageable quantities (4-5 tires) during the retailer's normal business hours. Please ensure that tires are in whole form, free of debris and mud, and have their rims removed. Tires may also be collected, with or without rims, in bulk garbage collection.



ELECTRONICS

Electronic waste is accepted at the Mount Pearl Green Depot, 5 Old Placentia Road. These items include televisions, desktop printers, computers, keyboards, telephones, smartphones, etc.



GLASS

Glass beverage containers are accepted at the Mount Pearl Green Depot, 5 Old Placentia Road. Please remove caps, straws, and empty all liquids. All non-beverage glass containers, like pasta sauce jars or pickle and jam jars, should be placed with your regular household garbage.



GRASS and LEAF CLIPPINGS

Mulching and composting leaves are earth-friendly ways to take care of your yard waste and save space in our landfill. Shred the grass and leaves with your lawn mower or a leaf shredder and use as mulch on your lawn and garden.

The City will collect leaves and grass at the curbside as well. Place your leaves in clear bags next to your garbage cart (or inside if there is room). Remember to keep bags at least one metre from your garbage cart. Items not accepted include branches, stumps, root balls, driveway and road sweepings, animal waste, dirt and rocks.

HOUSEHOLD Hazardous Waste

Residents can dispose of their Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) at the HHW Depot, located at Robin Hood Bay, 340 East White Hills Road. The HHW Depot is open Wednesdays and Saturdays from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. This facility is for residential waste only.

What to bring

- Motor oils
- Solvents
- Propane tanks (valve closed)
- Glues
- Brake and clutch fluids
- Wood preservatives and stains
- Pool chemicals
- Cleaning fluids
- Disinfectants
- Paints: oil and latex (do not mix)
- Drain and oven cleaners
- Pesticides, insecticides, herbicides, fungicides, flea powders
- Gas
- BBQ starter
- Lighter fluid
- Paint stripper, turpentine
- Aerosol containers
- Fire extinguishers
- Batteries, battery acids
- Mercury
- Compact fluorescent light bulbs
- Fluorescent light tubes
- Flood lights
- Prescription drugs
- Cooking oil, used or unused
- Nail polish / nail polish remover

What NOT to bring

- Biomedical waste
- Empty paint cans (these go in your regular curbside garbage collection)
- Explosives & ammunition
- Fireworks
- Industrial, commercial and institutional waste
- PCBs
- Radioactive waste
- Smoke detectors

How to bring it

Seal containers securely. Bring the materials in the trunk of your car but do not put items in tied plastic bags. Instead, transport in open-topped boxes. Please make sure that all propane tanks have the valves closed and that there is plenty of ventilation in your vehicle. We recommend that you wear gloves when handling products.

RECYCLING AND GARBAGE

Statutory Holiday Collection Schedules

Regular household garbage and recycling is collected once a week, from Tuesday to Friday, with each street receiving collection on a specific day. To determine your regular collection days, please refer to pages 11-16.

On statutory holidays your collection schedule may change. Please see below for more details. Collection schedules and area maps can also be viewed online at www.mountpearl.ca/recycling.

TUESDAYS

- **BOXING DAY:** Due to the Boxing Day holiday, collection on Tuesday, December 28, 2021, will be moved to Wednesday, December 29, 2021.

WEDNESDAYS

- **REGATTA DAY:** Collection on Wednesday, August 4, 2021, will be moved to Monday, August 9, 2021.

THURSDAYS

- **CANADA DAY:** Collection on Thursday, July 1, 2021, will be moved to Monday, July 5, 2021.
- **REMEMBERANCE DAY:** Collection on Thursday, November 11, 2021, will be moved to Monday, November 15, 2021.

FRIDAYS

- **GOOD FRIDAY:** Collection on Friday, April 2, 2021, will be moved to Monday, April 5, 2021.

BULK GARBAGE Collection

Prescheduled bulk garbage collection takes place in **April and May**. Collection takes place on Mondays and may take up to one week to complete. To determine your bulk collection day, please refer to pages 11-16. If you require collection at any other time, you may avail of our pick-up service, which requires a prepaid fee of \$25 for each service.

Accepted

- Mattress/boxspring (sealed in plastic bag)
- Sofas, chairs, furniture
- Bathroom fixtures
- Carpet
- Wood waste (trees, branches and small logs)
- Glass, securely packaged
- Minor renovation materials
- Other bulk items normally associated with a household

NOT Accepted

- Construction materials
- Concrete
- Landscaping materials
- Any items with nails not removed
- Oil products
- Auto parts
- Loose materials not bundled or boxed or in clear bags

Bulk Garbage Guidelines

- Items are not allowed to the curb prior to the evening before collection day.
- Items must be placed at the curb by 8 a.m. on your collection day.
- Loose materials must not exceed 22kg (50lbs).
- **Residents must separate metals from other bulk garbage.**
- Items not intended for bulk collection should be removed from the curb.
- Wood waste guidelines: Logs/branches must be diameter of six (6) inches or less. NOT permitted: construction, building, or other human-made materials, lumber, fence posts, signs, roots, root wads, stumps, anything that grows below the soil, anything that contains dirt, sand, gravel or rocks, and no materials that contain metal (nails, screws, fencing), string or other human-made materials.

RESIDENTIAL

Wood Chipping and Mulching Program

The City of Mount Pearl is offering a free chipping program for residents who want to remove wood waste from their property. The wood waste is collected and turned into mulch that will be used for the City's public parks, gardens, and landscaped plantings.

How to Participate

- **BULK GARBAGE COLLECTION:** Wood waste is accepted on your regularly scheduled bulk garbage collection date. Simply place your wood waste to the curb in a separate pile. Branch piles not to be placed on the sidewalk or roadway.
- **SPECIAL PICK-UP:** A special pick-up can be scheduled for a fee of \$25 by calling us at 748-1016.
- **CHRISTMAS TREE COLLECTION:** During the month of January, you can place your Christmas tree at the curb on your household garbage collection day. Trees must be free of ornaments, lights, and garland.

Accepted

Accepted materials includes trees, tree branches, small-diameter logs, and brush (cut away from root mass).

NOT Accepted

- Logs or branches with a diameter greater than six (6) inches
- Construction, building or other human-made materials
- Lumber, fence posts or signs
- Roots, root wads, stumps or anything that grows below the soil
- Materials that contain dirt, sand, gravel or rocks
- Materials that contain any metal (nails, screws, fencing), string or other human-made materials

Benefits of Mulching

Mulch created from chipped wood waste is a valuable natural resource, which can significantly improve soil structure, increase water-holding capacity, and provide nutrients.

COLLECTION Schedule

Street Name	Recycling and Garbage Collection Day	Bulk Garbage Scheduled Collection Date
Abbey Lane	Friday	May 31
Ambassador Place	Tuesday	May 3
Amber Place	Friday	May 31
Armstrong Crescent	Thursday	May 17
Ash Place	Friday	May 31
Ashford Drive	Wednesday	May 17
Aspenwood Place	Tuesday	May 3
Athens Drive	Friday	May 31
Avery Place	Thursday	May 25
Babb Crescent	Wednesday	May 10
Badcock Place	Wednesday	May 31
Baffin Drive	Tuesday	May 3
Bannister Street	Thursday	May 25
Barbour Drive	Friday	May 31
Bartlett Place	Thursday	May 17
Benson Place	Wednesday	May 10
Bettney Place	Friday	May 31
Billard Avenue	Thursday	May 25
Birch Avenue	Thursday	May 25
Blackmarsh Road	Tuesday	May 3
Blade Crescent	Tuesday	May 3
Blamey Place	Tuesday	May 3
Blandford Place	Friday	May 31
Bletchley Crescent	Friday	May 31
Blossom Avenue	Thursday	May 25
Bonfoy Place	Tuesday	May 10
Bradley Place	Tuesday	May 10
Bragg Crescent	Friday	May 31
Brant Drive	Tuesday	May 3
Brett Place	Friday	May 31
Brodie Street	Tuesday	May 3
Burgess Avenue	Friday	May 31
Burrage Avenue	Thursday	May 25
Cadiz Close	Friday	May 31
Carleton Drive	Wednesday	May 17
Carroll Drive	Friday	May 31
Castlehaven Place	Tuesday	May 3
Castors Drive	Tuesday	May 3
Chambers Cove Avenue	Tuesday	May 3
Champlain Crescent	Tuesday	May 3
Chancery Place	Friday	May 31
Churchill Avenue	Thursday	May 25

Street Name	Recycling and Garbage Collection Day	Bulk Garbage Scheduled Collection Date
Clinton Place	Tuesday	May 10
Cloverbrae Crescent	Tuesday	May 3
Cochius Lane	Thursday	May 31
Collingwood Crescent	Friday	May 31
Collins Place	Thursday	May 17
Commander Place	Thursday	May 25
Commonwealth Avenue	Thursday	May 25
Corte Real Place	Tuesday	May 3
Crewe Place	Wednesday	May 17
Crocker Place	Friday	May 31
Croucher Crescent	Thursday	May 25
Crystal Place	Friday	May 31
Dalhousie Crescent	Wednesday	May 17
Dalton Avenue	Friday	May 31
Darby Place	Wednesday	May 10
Davis Place	Thursday	May 25
Delaney Avenue	Thursday	May 25
Denine Place	Friday	May 31
Diamond Place	Wednesday	May 31
Dollard Place	Wednesday	May 10
Donovan Street	Tuesday	May 10
Dunluce Crescent	Tuesday	May 3
Dunne's Road	Thursday	May 25
Dunn's Lane	Thursday	May 25
Dunrobin Street	Tuesday	May 3
Easton Place	Wednesday	May 31
Edinburgh Drive	Thursday	May 17
Edwards Place	Wednesday	May 10
Elmcliffe Street	Tuesday	May 3
Emberley Place	Thursday	May 25
Emerald Drive	Friday	May 31
Eriksson Crescent	Tuesday	May 3
Evans Place	Tuesday	May 3
Exploits Place	Tuesday	May 3
Fairweather Avenue	Wednesday	May 31
Farrell Drive	Tuesday	May 3
Finlaystone Drive	Tuesday	May 3
Firgreen Avenue	Thursday	May 25
First Street (Civic #'s 15-62)	Thursday	May 17
First Street (Civic #'s 1-6)	Tuesday	May 10
Fleet Street	Friday	May 31
Forest Avenue	Thursday	May 25
Forsey Place	Tuesday	May 3
Fourth Street	Thursday	May 17
Frobisher Avenue	Tuesday	May 3
Frontenac Avenue	Tuesday	May 3
Gadwall Place	Tuesday	May 3
Galway Crescent	Thursday	May 3
Gates Place	Friday	May 31
Gibraltar Close	Friday	May 31

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Giles Place	Wednesday	May 31
Gilham Crescent	Friday	May 31
Gillespie Place	Thursday	May 17
Gillett Place	Friday	May 31
Glendale Avenue	Tuesday	May 10
Glendenning Place	Thursday	May 17
Goldeneye Place	Tuesday	May 3
Gosse Place	Friday	May 31
Graham Place	Friday	May 31
Grandy Crescent	Tuesday	May 3
Greenwood Crescent	Tuesday	May 3
Grey Place	Wednesday	May 10
Groves Place	Thursday	May 25
Gushue Avenue	Wednesday	May 31
Hagen Place	Friday	May 31
Halleran Place	Friday	May 31
Hann Place	Wednesday	May 31
Hanrahan Place	Friday	May 31
Harlequin Crescent	Tuesday	May 3
Harnum Crescent	Tuesday	May 10
Harvard Drive	Wednesday	May 17
Hemmer Jane Drive	Tuesday	May 3
Hillhurst Street	Tuesday	May 3
Hodder Place	Friday	May 31
Holden Street	Tuesday	May 3
Horatio Close	Friday	May 31
Hounsell Avenue	Friday	May 31
Hubbard Place	Tuesday	May 3
Humber Drive	Tuesday	May 3
Ingerman Street	Tuesday	May 3
Iron Springs Road	Tuesday	May 3
Jackman Drive	Friday	May 31
Jacobs Place	Wednesday	May 10
Jacqueline Road	Thursday	May 17
Jeffers Drive	Wednesday	May 31
Jeffers Place	Wednesday	May 31
Jersey Avenue	Thursday	May 25
Jubilee Place	Thursday	May 25
Kean Place	Thursday	May 17
Kelburn Place	Tuesday	May 3
Kennedy Place	Thursday	May 17
Keough Crescent	Tuesday	May 10
Lady Anne Place	Tuesday	May 3
Lancaster Crescent	Wednesday	May 17
Larsen Street	Tuesday	May 3
Lasalle Drive	Tuesday	May 3
Laumann Place	Friday	May 31
Laval Place	Wednesday	May 17
Lawn Point Avenue	Tuesday	May 3
LeDrew Place	Wednesday	May 31

Street Name	Recycling and Garbage Collection Day	Bulk Garbage Scheduled Collection Date
Leger Crescent	Tuesday	May 10
Lidstone Crescent	Wednesday	May 10
Lindbergh Crescent	Wednesday	May 17
Luther Place	Tuesday	May 3
MacCarthy Crescent	Tuesday	May 10
Macroom Place	Tuesday	May 3
Maisonneuve Drive	Tuesday	May 3
Manley Place	Friday	May 31
Maple Street	Thursday	May 25
Marclay Avenue	Thursday	May 25
Marconi Place	Wednesday	May 17
Marlin Drive	Tuesday	May 3
Massey Crescent	Tuesday	May 10
McCurdy Place	Friday	May 31
McGill Crescent	Wednesday	May 17
McGrath Crescent	Wednesday	May 10
McMaster Place	Wednesday	May 17
Medley Place	Wednesday	May 10
Michener Avenue (Civic #'s 2-710 and 1-51)	Tuesday	May 10
Michener Avenue (Civic #'s 76-100 and 53-137)	Wednesday	May 10
Moffat Road	Tuesday	May 3
Montclair Street	Tuesday	May 3
Montgomery Avenue	Tuesday	May 10
Moore's Drive	Wednesday	May 10
Mortimore Drive	Friday	May 31
Mount Carson Avenue	Tuesday	May 3
Mount Carson Place	Tuesday	May 3
Munden Drive	Friday	May 31
Municipal Avenue	Thursday	May 25
Murley Drive	Friday	May 31
Muskerry Place	Tuesday	May 10
Nash Crescent	Tuesday	May 3
Neal Place	Friday	May 31
Nelder Drive	Wednesday	May 10
Nelson Place	Wednesday	May 17
Norman Drive	Friday	May 31
Norma's Avenue	Thursday	May 17
O'Flaherty Crescent	Wednesday	May 10
O'Keefe Avenue	Thursday	May 25
Old Placentia Road	Friday	May 31
Olympic Drive	Friday	May 31
Opal Place	Friday	May 31
Orchard Avenue	Thursday	May 25
Osmond Place	Wednesday	May 10
Oxford Crescent	Wednesday	May 17
Paddon Place	Wednesday	May 10
Park Avenue	Thursday	May 25
Parsons Avenue	Thursday	May 25
Peckford Place	Wednesday	May 10
Pembury Close	Tuesday	May 3

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Penmore Drive	Thursday	May 25
Pike Place	Friday	May 31
Pinebud Crescent	Thursday	May 25
Pinware Crescent	Tuesday	May 3
Pittman Place	Thursday	May 25
Pleasant Avenue	Thursday	May 25
Pollux Drive	Tuesday	May 3
Portsmouth Close	Friday	May 31
Princeton Crescent	Wednesday	May 17
Pumphrey Avenue	Wednesday	May 31
Putney Place	Friday	May 31
Relay Road	Friday	May 31
Rideau Place	Wednesday	May 10
Riverview Avenue	Thursday	May 25
Rodes Place	Friday	May 31
Roehampton Place	Friday	May 31
Roland Drive	Thursday	May 17
Roosevelt Avenue (Civic #'s 26-67)	Thursday	May 17
Roosevelt Avenue (Civic #'s 1-210)	Tuesday	May 10
Rosedale Place	Thursday	May 25
Royal Sovereign Close	Friday	May 31
Ruth Avenue	Thursday	May 10
Samson Street	Wednesday	May 10
Sandhurst Close	Friday	May 31
Sapphire Crescent	Friday	May 31
Sauve Street	Wednesday	May 10
Scammell Crescent	Thursday	May 17
Schreyer Crescent	Wednesday	May 10
Seabright Place	Tuesday	May 3
Sears Street	Tuesday	May 10
Second Street	Thursday	May 17
Selkirk Drive	Tuesday	May 3
Senate Crescent	Wednesday	May 10
Simcoe Drive	Tuesday	May 3
Smallwood Drive (Civic #'s 128-1106 and 151-165)	Friday	May 31
Smallwood Drive (Civic #'s 2-1210 and 1-1107)	Thursday	May 25
Spruce Avenue	Thursday	May 25
St. Andrew's Avenue	Thursday	May 17
St. David's Avenue	Thursday	May 17
Stojko Place	Friday	May 31
Stonefield Place	Tuesday	May 3
Stonegate Crescent	Tuesday	May 3
Sunrise Avenue	Thursday	May 17
Surin Street	Friday	May 31
Sycamore Place	Thursday	May 25
Talon Place	Wednesday	May 10
Tavenor Place	Tuesday	May 3
Teasdale Street	Thursday	May 17
Thames Place	Friday	May 31
Third Street	Thursday	May 17

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Thomey Place	Wednesday	May 31
Toope Place	Wednesday	May 10
Topaz Place	Friday	May 31
Topsail Road	Tuesday	May 3
Tower Lane	Friday	May 31
Trafalgar Drive	Friday	May 31
Trudeau Place	Wednesday	May 10
Truxtun Place	Tuesday	May 3
Tweedsmuir Place	Tuesday	May 10
Valleyview Avenue	Thursday	May 25
Victory Lane	Friday	May 31
Waterloo Crescent	Wednesday	May 17
Webb Place	Tuesday	May 10
Wellington Crescent	Wednesday	May 17
Wells Crescent	Wednesday	May 10
Wembley Crescent	Friday	May 31
Westbrook Landing	Friday	May 31
Westminster Drive	Friday	May 31
Whelan Avenue	Wednesday	May 31
White Place	Wednesday	May 31
Whitehall Place	Friday	May 31
Whiteley Drive	Wednesday	May 31
Wilchris Place	Friday	May 31
Wilcox Place	Friday	May 31
Wilkes Avenue	Tuesday	May 3
Wilson Crescent	Friday	May 31
Winsor Place	Friday	May 31
Winston Avenue	Thursday	May 25
Woodford Drive	Wednesday	May 31
Woodford Place	Wednesday	May 31
Worrall Crescent	Thursday	May 25
Wyatt Boulevard	Tuesday	May 3
Yale Place	Wednesday	May 17
Yetman Drive	Friday	May 31

Questions?



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