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Dear Resident,

The Town of La Plata is pleased to deliver your new trash receptacle. Please use this receptacle for disposal of your household trash. Our new automatic tippers are in place on all town trucks so the Town now has the capability to dump the cans without requiring manpower to lift each can. The use of these new cans will make it easier on our employees as well as our residents.

Please note that the cans are the property of the Town but are assigned for use at your specific residence. Please be aware of your ID number on your can as that can has been Geo-coded to your residence and will track when your trash is collected. Also, if you move from your residence, please leave the container for the use of the next resident.

The container that has been delivered to your residence is a ½ cubic yard trash can unless you requested a smaller size. This size has become the standard for residential use in the industry. **Is this container too big for you? *Don't worry***, there are smaller containers available. These containers are either 1/3 cubic yard or ¼ cubic yard and have been on display in Town Hall so you can see which one suits you. A different container may be requested by calling Public Works at (301) 934-8421. The exchange container will be delivered promptly. You may also ask any questions about the use of the container by calling Public Works as well.

Thank you in advance for your help implementing this program in La Plata. The goal is to provide better service and reduce the risk of injury to our employees while improving efficiency. There is additional information at <http://www.townoflaplata.org> under the **Sanitation** tab on the left side of the screen.

Sincerely,

Daniel J. Mears
Town Manager