

TRASH FAQS

1. What should I do if the red status light is blinking and the green light is on?
 - a. Open the gate with your trash card
 - b. The compactor door will not be fully closed
 - c. Open the compactor door
 - d. If there is room for your trash
 - i. Deposit your trash and close the door
 - ii. Make sure the door is fully closed
 - iii. Drive off the inductive strip
 - iv. After the door has been closed for approximately a minute, the compactor will automatically compact
 - e. If there is not enough room for your trash
 - i. Close the door
 - ii. Make sure the door is fully closed
 - iii. Drive off the inductive strip and drive back onto the inductive strip after the gate has closed
 - iv. The green light will flash momentarily and then the compactor will automatically compact. If the compactor hopper is very full, it may require several cycles for all of the trash in the hopper to compact.
 - v. When the green light turns on, you can open the gate and deposit your trash
2. What should I do, if I can't get all of my trash in the hopper?
 - a. Close the door
 - b. Make sure the door is fully closed
 - c. Drive off the inductive strip and drive back on the inductive strip after the gate has closed
 - d. The green light will flash momentarily and then the compactor will automatically compact. If the compactor hopper is very full, it may require several cycles for all of the trash in the hopper to compact.
 - e. When the green light turns on, you can open the gate and deposit your trash

3. What should I do, if compaction lasts for more than 5 minutes?
 - a. Contact the GBPOA Trash & Security Access Admin at <http://www.gainesbendpoa.com/board-of-directors.html>
4. What should I do if both green lights are on?
 - a. Drive to the second compactor (East Side) and deposit your trash
5. What should I do, if both lights are flashing yellow and neither of the red lights are on?
 - a. Drive to the second compactor (East Side)
 - b. Wait for the green light to come on
 - c. Open the access gate with your Trash Card
 - d. Deposit your trash
6. What should I do, if both lights are flashing yellow and one of the red lights are on?
 - a. Drive to the compactor where the red light is off
 - b. Wait for the green light to come on
 - c. Open the access gate with your Trash Card
 - d. Deposit your trash
7. What should I do, if both red lights are flashing and both green lights are on?
 - a. Open the first gate with your trash card
 - b. The compactor door will not be fully closed
 - c. Open the compactor door
 - d. If there is room for your trash
 - i. Deposit your trash and close the door
 - ii. Make sure the door is fully closed
 - iii. Drive off the inductive strip
 - iv. After the door has been closed for approximately a minute, the compactor will automatically compact
 - e. If there is not enough room for your trash
 - i. Close the door
 - ii. Make sure the door is fully closed
 - iii. Drive off the inductive strip and onto the inductive strip of the other compactor
 - iv. Deposit your trash