

## **Monitoring of the Scavenging Service**

The District Council provides the following services in connection with street cleaning, refuse collection etc...

- (a) Twice weekly (on regular days) door to door collection of refuse. Garden/green wastes including branches should be cut to less than 1 metre long and should be less than 15 centimetre in diameter. Non compacted refuse from every household should be less than 2 m<sup>3</sup> in volume for each service.
- (b) Collection of refuse from streets, and public places.
- (c) Collection of Bulky Wastes at least once every three months.
- (d) Street sweeping and drain cleaning.
- (e) Herbicide spraying along street borders.
- (f) Mowing/weeding along street borders and public places.
- (g) Lopping of branches along street borders
- (h) Removal of posters and banners
- (i) Collection and disposal of post cyclonic wastes
- (j) Organisation of cleaning campaigns and distribution of pamphlets
- (k) Cleaning of covered drains on a regular basis
- (l) Cleaning of rivers, canals, rivulets within human habitations.



**Cleaning of rivulet at Chamarel**

Collection of refuse from hotels, restaurants and other major commercial concerns are done as per agreed frequencies and upon payment of fees prescribed under the District Council of Black River (Collection and Disposal of Refuse) Regulations 2013 as subsequently amended.

The above regulations is also being amended to empower the council to charge a yearly fee of Rs 3600.00 per residential unit for the collection and disposal of refuse from gated communities.

The council also organizes a house to house collection of bulky wastes thrice yearly or upon request whereby bulky items like old furniture, mattresses, and unused electric appliances are collected and disposed of at La Chaumiere Transfer station. The villagers concerned are informed accordingly through the distribution of pamphlets.



**Bulky waste Collection at Chamarel**

E-Wastes collection campaigns are normally organized and coordinated on a national level by the Ministry of Environment once yearly in collaboration with the District Council.

After the passage of a cyclone or natural calamity, the Public Health Department is responsible for the carting away of all resulting wastes and in the clearing of all drains and water courses of all obstructive matters within the least reasonable delay.

The Schedule days for collection of refuse are as follows:

**Mondays and Thursdays** : Richelieu and Petite Riviere (right hand side on the way to P. Louis), Flic en Flac, Cascavelle/B Songes, Carlos Road, Morc Cambier, Cite EDC Grande Riviere Noire, La Preneuse, Main Road Carlos, Hibiscus and Cotteau Raffin La Gaulette, Ilot Fortier

**Tuesdays and Fridays** : Richelieu and Petite Riviere (left hand side on the way to P. Louis), Bambous, Tamarin, La Mivoie, Morc Carlos

**Wednesdays and Saturdays** : Albion, Gros Cailloux/ Canot, Petite Riviere Noire, Case Noyale, La Gaulette, Morne, Chamarel, Grande Riviere Noire Village

The above schedule may be subject to changes. The inhabitants concerned are informed accordingly through the house to house distribution of pamphlets.

The street cleaning, refuse collection and disposal services etc.. including carting away of post cyclonic waste is fully contracted out. Lot 1 comprising the villages of Richelieu, Petite Riviere, Albion, Canot/Gros Cailloux, Bambous and Flic en Flac is actually being serviced by Maxi Clean Co. Ltd while Lot 2 consisting the villages of Cascavelle/Beaux Songes, Tamarin, Grande Riviere Noire, Petite Riviere Noire/ Case Noyale, La Gaulette, Morne and Chamarel are being serviced by ATICS Ltd.