



# Tired of Bears Getting into your Garbage? GET A BEAR-PROOF CAN!

- The trash can looks just like the one you have now, but has been reinforced with a push-to-open latching system making it bear-proof, guaranteed.
- Citizens in Wakulla and Franklin counties requested bear-proof cans, and Waste Pro now offers them in these areas.
- Make your voice heard! Call your waste service provider and local government officials to ask for bear-proof cans. If enough citizens take action, these cans may be offered in your area.



## OTHER OPTIONS TO SECURE TRASH:

- Build a garbage shed (caddy)



- Install a motion-activated alarm (e.g., Critter Gitter\*)



- Screwtop garbage cans



- Use electric fencing



- Retro-fit existing garbage cans



- Install a motion-activated sprinkler (e.g., Water Scarecrow\*)



For more information on these and other methods, contact the Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission Regional Office nearest you or visit [http:// MyFWC.com/bear](http://MyFWC.com/bear).

\*Available at most online retailers

⌋ Must receive permission from your waste service provider before curbside use