

## **RECYCLING NEWS UPDATE**

### **PROGRAM UPDATE**

Who would have thought that a year after the world was turned upside down with COVID this would still be a topic of discussion? It would be an understatement to say that it has been quite a year. There was so much that had to be navigated last year with this. It appears that things are beginning to move in the right direction and it will hopefully continue. While this past year has been very trying for so many people, we have come out stronger and we will continue to persevere as we always have before. We want to thank each of our residents for their understand and patience as we have navigated through this pandemic. It was greatly appreciated!

We were able to finally hold a Spring Clean in the fall of 2020. While this date was much later than previously, we feel that it was still a very successful event and we want to thank everyone for being understanding while we had to navigate this event differently due to the pandemic.

We are happy to announce that we have scheduled a 2021 Spring Clean Event for Saturday, May 1, 2021 from 8 a.m. – 11 a.m. We felt that the event went so well last fall that it would be safe to plan it in May this year. We will be running it in a similar fashion this year as it was last fall. Enclosed with this newsletter is information regarding the event. Also enclosed with that flyer is the 2021 dates for electronics recycling and hazardous waste events that are being held by the county. Some of the events require you to pre-register while others do not require registration. Please check the county's website at [calumetrecycles.com](http://calumetrecycles.com) for further details.

### **YARD WASTE**

Please remember that we still have our compost site available for residents to drop off their brush and yard waste. This program is for residents of the village only and is not open to anyone outside of the village even if they have a Hilbert mailing address. Please keep an eye open and if you see someone that is not a village resident bringing in yard waste or brush, please grab a license plate number along with the date and we will contact them to educate them about this facility only being available for village residents. As has been the case in the past, please use care in dumping your yard waste and brush at the site. Please ensure that you are dumping the material on the correct pile. There is a multiple year process that the material goes through in order to become usable compost material. If there is material dumped on the incorrect pile, it can cause issues with this composting process. We also ask that you use care in ensuring that only the allowable material is brought to the site. This area is not a dumping site for other materials such as concrete, brick, garbage, etc. If you have concrete material that needs to be disposed of, it can be done at the wastewater treatment plant by appointment. We recycle the concrete there and use the recycled material as base in our projects. Please contact the clerk's office to make arrangements. Also, please remember to keep all grass clippings out of the roads as the weather starts to get warmer and we begin to think about cutting our lawns again. It is against current ordinance and if we have to clean it up out of the gutters, you will be billed accordingly. Lastly, we will chip brush up to 4" in diameter. If you have brush that needs to be chipped, you can either haul it to the compost site and place the brush on the brush pile. If it is a small amount of brush, we ask that you haul it to the compost site. We can also chip on site for larger quantities. You must contact the clerk's office at 853-3241 to request the chipping at your property. We usually chip once a week on Wednesdays. If you do not call to have the brush picked up and chipped, it will not be done.

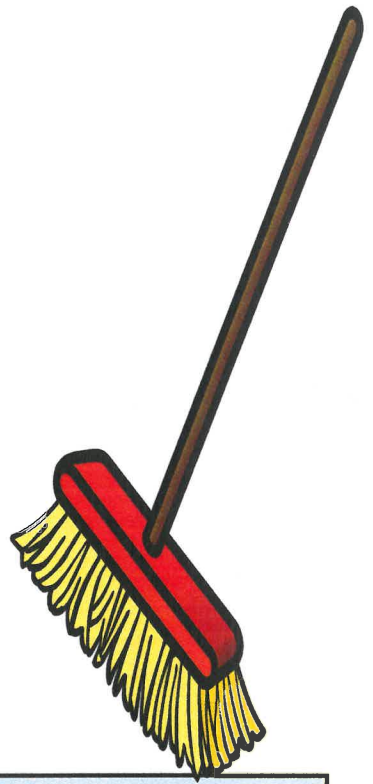
The Recycling Committee

# VILLAGE OF HILBERT RESIDENTS SPRING CLEAN UP EVENT

**Saturday, May 1st 8 AM – 11 AM**

**At the gravel area on 5<sup>th</sup> St. across from the Community Center!**  
The Village of Hilbert will be providing a heavy refuse drop off day to all Village residents for Heavy Refuse Items on **Saturday, May 1st** only. Village residents can drop off items listed on the acceptable list from 8 a.m. – 11a.m. *If non-acceptable items are brought to the site, you will be required to take them back with you.*

**All residents are to follow the signs on how to enter/exit the site. Volunteers will be available to advise you on where to put the items but they WILL NOT unload or touch any of the items. This is the responsibility of the resident – so, if you need help with this process please bring extra help with you. Thank you for your cooperation!**



## ACCEPTABLE ITEMS

- Couches, chairs, tables, desks, sinks, toilets, or any other household furniture.
- Carpeting, pads from carpeting, and rugs. **MUST** be cut into 4' sections and tied securely.
- Bedsprings, mattresses, bed frames, swing sets, clothesline poles (with concrete removed from the poles), bicycles and parts.
- Non-hazardous household refuse that is properly bagged or bundled. All loose material must be bagged or bundled. **No loose material will be accepted.**
- Scrap Metals
- Freon Free Appliances (Washers/dryers, stoves, water heaters, dishwashers, etc)

## NON-ACCEPTABLE ITEMS

- Computers & Electronics (telephones, laptops, CPU's, fax machines, printers, photocopiers, VCR's, DVD players, Blue Ray players, televisions, radios)
- Microwaves
- Appliances Containing Freon (even if removed)
- Fuel Powered Engines
- Large amounts of construction & remodeling debris (plaster, shingles, siding). These items require that you schedule to have a dumpster at your own expense.
- Yard Waste
- Liquids (such as leftover spray cans, chemicals, paints, varnishes, etc.)
- Fluorescent bulbs
- Batteries
- Tires
- Residential recycling items

**PROOF OF  
RESIDENCY  
MAY BE  
REQUIRED**

**Please see the back of this page for  
ELECTRONICS & APPLIANCES & HAZARDOUS WASTE RECYCLING EVENTS**

## **ELECTRONIC & APPLIANCES EVENTS**

*There is no need for an appointment but be prepared to wait in line. (Fees will apply for any television or computer monitor.)*

**WEDNESDAY, June 2, 2021** 1 p.m.-5 p.m. @ Chilton Public Works Garage  
908 S. Maple Street, Chilton

**WEDNESDAY, August 4, 2021** 1 p.m.-5 p.m. @ Harrison Public Works Garage  
W5298 Hwy 114, Menasha

For more information and a list of acceptable items at this event, please go to  
[www.calumetrecycles.com](http://www.calumetrecycles.com)

## **HAZARDOUS WASTE EVENTS**

*You must pre-register. You can register online at [calumetrecycles.com](http://calumetrecycles.com) or call  
(920)849-1493 Ext. 2404*

### **NEW HOLSTEIN PUBLIC WORKS GARAGE**

1319 Taft Avenue, New Holstein  
SATURDAY, June 12, 2021  
9a.m.-11a.m.

### **HARRISON PUBLIC WORKS GARAGE**

W5298 Hwy 114 Menasha  
SATURDAY, April 24, 2021  
SATURDAY, July 10, 2021  
9a.m.-11a.m.

### **CHILTON PUBLIC WORKS GARAGE**

908 S. Maple Street, Chilton  
FRIDAY, May 14, 2021  
9a.m.-11a.m.

### **BRILLION PUBLIC WORKS**

Near 638 W. Ryan Street Brillion, WI (end of Gerry's Way)  
FRIDAY, August 20, 2021  
9a.m.-11a.m.

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