

RECYCLING NEWS UPDATE

PROGRAM UPDATE

With the holiday season upon us, please keep in mind the banned items for landfills. One of the most common items that are replaced this time of year is electronics. With the current landfill ban, they are not allowed to be disposed with your regular garbage. There are several local businesses that will take electronics. Some of the businesses do charge a fee for disposing of the electronics which is never popular, but it is a far better option for the environment than it is to dispose these items. There are also avenues for donating your used cell phones so that they can be handed out to individuals who use them to call 911 when needed. Most cell phone retail outlets will take your old cell phones for this program. There will also be programs sponsored by the county for you to properly dispose of your electronics and hazardous materials. These are listed on the same page as the garbage and recycling pick up dates.

The Village is again picking up real Christmas trees after the holiday season to be recycled. The trees must be placed by the curb and all decorations, wires, bows, lights, etc. must be removed. If these guidelines are not followed, your tree will not be picked up. The deadline for picking up the trees will be **Monday, January 16, 2023**. No trees will be picked up after this time. The village employees will make every effort to pick up the trees in a timely manner but we are at the mercy of Mother Nature. We will not pick up Christmas Wreaths. Because of the wires on them, we cannot chip them. Please dispose of them with your regular garbage. Any wreaths placed out on the curb will not be picked up.

COMPOST SITE

We ask that you continually take care of disposing compost material properly. There are signs at the site that instruct you which pile is the proper location to dump your compost material and brush. We accept brush up to 4" in diameter. If there is a need to have the brush picked up (this is for larger quantities only), we ask that you contact the clerk's office to get on the list. We also ask that you remove all root balls from the brush and bushes. We cannot run those through the chipper.

SPRING CLEAN AND TIRE RECYCLING

There will be a Spring Clean event again this next year along with a tentative tire recycling event. Please watch for the March newsletter which will give more details on these events along with our Facebook page and our website.

STAFF/VILLAGE BOARD CHANGES

We have had several recent changes in our Village Board and staff. Jim Schmidt resigned as Village President in October because he moved outside the Village. James Schrubbe was appointed to fill out the unexpired term of the Village President. Joshua Krueger was appointed to fill out the unexpired Village Trustee term previously held by James Schrubbe. We also hired a new public works employee, Joel Thorpe from the Brillion area who started about 3 weeks ago. We also hired a part-time weekend employee that will assist with weekend duties. This will actually save the village on overtime hours. We have also hired a new Administrator Clerk Treasurer, Beth Nicklaus from the Chilton area who started November 28th and will train under me until my final date of employment on January 20th. If you see any of these new individuals, please welcome them to our community. For the first time in several months, we are now fully staffed.

The following table provides you with the pickup dates for 2023 for garbage and recycling:

| GARBAGE PICK UP DATES | | RECYCLING PICK UP DATES |
|-------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| <u>JANUARY 7, 2023</u> | <u>JULY 8, 2023</u> | January 13, 2023 |
| January 13, 2023 | July 14, 2023 | January 27, 2023 |
| January 20, 2023 | July 21, 2023 | February 10, 2023 |
| January 27, 2023 | July 28, 2023 | February 24, 2023 |
| February 3, 2023 | August 4, 2023 | March 10, 2023 |
| February 10, 2023 | August 11, 2023 | March 24, 2023 |
| February 17, 2023 | August 18, 2023 | April 7, 2023 |
| February 24, 2023 | August 25, 2023 | April 21, 2023 |
| March 3, 2023 | September 1, 2023 | May 5, 2023 |
| March 10, 2023 | <u>SEPTEMBER 9, 2023</u> | May 19, 2023 |
| March 17, 2023 | September 15, 2023 | <u>JUNE 3, 2023</u> |
| March 24, 2023 | September 22, 2023 | June 16, 2023 |
| March 31, 2023 | September 29, 2023 | June 30, 2023 |
| April 7, 2023 | October 6, 2023 | July 14, 2023 |
| April 14, 2023 | October 13, 2023 | July 28, 2023 |
| April 21, 2023 | October 20, 2023 | August 11, 2023 |
| April 28, 2023 | October 27, 2023 | August 25, 2023 |
| May 5, 2023 | November 3, 2023 | <u>SEPTEMBER 9, 2023</u> |
| May 12, 2023 | November 10, 2023 | September 22, 2023 |
| May 21, 2023 | November 17, 2023 | October 6, 2023 |
| May 26, 2023 | <u>NOVEMBER 25, 2023</u> | October 20, 2023 |
| <u>JUNE 3, 2023</u> | December 1, 2023 | November 3, 2023 |
| June 9, 2023 | December 8, 2023 | November 17, 2023 |
| June 16, 2023 | December 15, 2023 | December 1, 2023 |
| June 23, 2023 | December 22, 2023 | December 15, 2023 |
| June 30, 2023 | <u>DECEMBER 30, 2023</u> | <u>DECEMBER 30, 2023</u> |
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Please note that the special pickup dates that will be on Saturdays due to the holiday are bolded, underlined and capitalized.

Below is the information for the Hazardous Waste Disposal and Electronics Recycling:

Hazardous Waste Disposal Dates (APPOINTMENTS REQUIRED):

- Saturday, April 22, 2023, 9-11 am, Harrison Public Works Garage located at W5298 Hwy 114
- Friday, May 12, 2023, 9-11 am, Chilton Public Works Garage located at 908 S. Maple St.
- Friday, June 9, 2023, 9-11 am, New Holstein Public Works Garage located at 1319 Taft Avenue
- Saturday, July 8, 2023, 9-11 am, Harrison Public Works Garage located at W5298 Hwy 114
- Friday, August 18, 2023, 9-11 am, Brillion Public Works located at the end of Gerry's Way or near 638 W. Ryan St.

Appointments are REQUIRED to participate. To make an appointment or for more information go to www.calumetrecycles.com. Alternatively, participants without internet access can call 920-849-1442 and leave a message requesting an appointment or information; calls will be returned promptly.

Electronics Waste Disposal Dates (NO APPOINTMENTS REQUIRED):

- Wednesday, May 31, 2022, 1-5 pm, Chilton Public Works Garage located at 908 S. Maple St.
- Wednesday, August 9, 2022, 1-5 pm, Harrison Public Works Garage located at W5298 Hwy 114

Keep this table for reference throughout the year. Any further questions please contact the clerk's office.

The Recycling Committee