

RECYCLING NEWS UPDATE

PROGRAM UPDATE

As we proceed to the end of the year, our hope is that the dust has finally settled with the transition of moving to a new garbage/recycling contractor. Everyone should have been provided new containers by now. If you still do not have your new containers, please contact the clerk's office. If you still have old containers that need to be picked up, please contact the clerk's office. The old containers must be completely empty in order for them to be picked up. We have received a lot of positive feedback regarding the bi-weekly recycling. The Village was able to switch to this new recycling program without any rate increase. One of the major positives with this change to GFL is the Village's ability to have local customer service contact because we are dealing with their regional facility in Chilton again.

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 17, 2022**. 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.

If you have a damaged garbage or recycling container or wish to make changes, please contact the clerk's office. Do not contact the hauler directly.

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 tire recycling event. Dates for these events have not been finalized as of yet. Please watch for the March newsletter which will give more details on these events along with our facebook page and our website.

The following table provides you with the pickup dates for 2022 for garbage and recycling:

GARBAGE PICK UP DATES		RECYCLING PICK UP DATES
January 7, 2022	<u>JULY 9, 2022</u>	January 14, 2022
January 14, 2022	July 15, 2022	January 28, 2022
January 21, 2022	July 22, 2022	February 11, 2022
January 28, 2022	July 29, 2022	February 25, 2022
February 4, 2022	August 5, 2022	March 11, 2022
February 11, 2022	August 12, 2022	March 25, 2022
February 18, 2022	August 19, 2022	April 8, 2022
February 25, 2022	August 26, 2022	April 22, 2022
March 4, 2022	September 2, 2022	May 6, 2022
March 11, 2022	<u>SEPTEMBER 10, 2022</u>	May 20, 2022
March 18, 2022	September 16, 2022	<u>JUNE 4, 2022</u>
March 25, 2022	September 23, 2022	June 17, 2022
April 1, 2022	September 30, 2022	July 1, 2022
April 8, 2022	October 7, 2022	July 15, 2022
April 15, 2022	October 14, 2022	July 29, 2022
April 22, 2022	October 21, 2022	August 12, 2022
April 29, 2022	October 28, 2022	August 26, 2022
May 6, 2022	November 4, 2022	<u>SEPTEMBER 10, 2022</u>
May 13, 2022	November 11, 2022	September 23, 2022
May 20, 2022	November 18, 2022	October 7, 2022
May 27, 2022	<u>NOVEMBER 26, 2022</u>	October 21, 2022
<u>JUNE 4, 2022</u>	December 2, 2022	November 4, 2022
June 10, 2022	December 9, 2022	November 18, 2022
June 17, 2022	December 16, 2022	December 2, 2022
June 24, 2022	December 23, 2022	December 16, 2022
July 1, 2022	December 30, 2022	December 30, 2022

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 23, 2022, 9-11 am, Harrison Public Works Garage located at W5298 Hwy 114
- Friday, May 13, 2022, 9-11 am, Chilton Public Works Garage located at 908 S. Maple St.
- Saturday, June 11, 2022, 9-11 am, New Holstein Public Works Garage located at 1319 Taft Avenue
- Saturday, July 9, 2022, 9-11 am, Harrison Public Works Garage located at W5298 Hwy 114
- Friday, August 19, 2022, 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 25, 2022, 1-5 pm, Chilton Public Works Garage located at 908 S. Maple St.
- Wednesday, August 10, 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