

RECYCLING PROGRAM

ADVANCED DISPOSAL • 262-679-0860



Here's what you should do:

- Place **ALL recyclables** (see reverse side) **INSIDE** of the **commingled green recycling cart** and place all other trash in your brown tipper cart. Only items in the recycling cart will be picked up – no items left outside of the cart.
- If the material is NOT listed as acceptable on the reverse side of this recycling guide, discard the material with your normal household refuse.
- Recycling carts mixed with household refuse or garbage carts mixed with recycling will NOT be picked up.
- Carts required four (4) feet of clearance on both sides as well as behind them for automated pick-up.

RECYCLING PICK-UP DATES FOR 2019 HOLIDAYS:

Holiday	Regular Pick-up	Rescheduled Pick-up	Recycling Week
New Year's Day	Tuesday, January 1, 2019	Saturday, January 5, 2019	Yellow
Memorial Day	Monday, May 27, 2019	Friday, May 31, 2019	Orange
4th of July	Thursday, July 4, 2019	Friday, July 5, 2019	Yellow
Labor Day	Monday, September 2, 2019	Friday, September 6, 2019	Orange
Thanksgiving Day	Thursday, November 28, 2019	Saturday, November 30, 2019	Orange
Christmas Eve	Tuesday, December 24, 2019	Friday, December 27, 2019	Orange
Christmas Day	Wednesday, December 25, 2019	Saturday, December 28, 2019	Orange
New Year's Eve	Tuesday, December 31, 2019	Friday, January 3, 2020	Yellow
New Year's Day	Wednesday, January 1, 2020	Saturday, January 4, 2020	Yellow

2019

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STREET DEPARTMENT

SELF DEPOSIT STATION HOURS

Winter Hours

December 1st through March 31st
Tuesday AND Friday 11:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m.
Saturday 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Summer Hours

April 1st through November 30th
Tuesday AND Friday 11:30 a.m. – 6:30 p.m.
Saturday 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Hours are subject to change. Please check the City's website for the current Self Deposit Station hours or call the Street Department at 768-8075.

The Self Deposit Station will be closed on the following dates:

Tuesday, December 25, 2018	Friday, November 29, 2019
Tuesday, January 1, 2019	Tuesday, December 24, 2019
Friday, April 19, 2019	Tuesday, December 31, 2019

SELF DEPOSIT STATION REGULATIONS

1. South Milwaukee Residents only – ID required
No Contractors or contractor material.
2. No Dump trucks allowed.
3. Instructions of the attendant must be followed at all times.
4. A 5-minute maximum unloading time.
5. Lumber and boards not to exceed 5 feet in length
6. Used motor oil and anti-freeze only
7. No paints or hazardous chemicals
8. Charges are as follows:

User Fee (each day)	\$ 3.00
Tires exceeding 17" rim size (off rim only)	\$ 7.00 each
Tires less than 17" rim size (off rim only)	\$ 3.00 each
Grass bagged or 32 gallon container	\$ 1.00 each
Televisions and computer monitors	\$15.00 each

***Fees subject to change and current fees will be posted at SDS.**



YARD WASTE

The City provides for drop off of yard waste at the Self Deposit Station. Residents may bring leaves, yard debris, garden debris, plants, shrubs and thatch to the Self Deposit Station for disposal with no charge other than the daily user fee. Green grass clippings are accepted for an additional fee of \$1.00 per bag or 32 gallon container. Any yard waste that has green grass clippings in it is chargeable at the above rate. No yard waste is collected at the property. Do not put grass clippings and yard waste in your tipper cart. Landfill regulations require that these items be disposed of separately.

GRASS DISCHARGE INTO ROADWAY IS PROHIBITED

Disposal of grass clippings into the curb/gutter, alley or roadway is prohibited and is a violation of Section 12.13 and 15.81 (A) of the City of South Milwaukee Municipal Code.

LEAVES

Leaves can be placed in the curb beginning **October 1 through November 15**. No other yard waste, branches or plants can be placed in the curb. Due to landfill requirements and the added costs involved, we ask you to consider mulching your leaves as an environmentally friendly alternative.

STREET DEPARTMENT

GARBAGE COLLECTION

Garbage must be brought out by 7 a.m. on the day of collection. **During winter months, garbage or other refuse shall not be placed on snow banks or on sidewalks behind snow banks but shall be placed in a cleared driveway or a cleared section of the deposit area if there is not a driveway. Do not put tipper carts in the roadway.** Tipper carts must always be in an unobstructed area and require a minimum clearance area of four (4) feet on each side as well as behind each cart. Call the Street Department at 768-8075 or see the City website at www.smwi.org for more information. Non-compliant carts cannot be serviced.



CHRISTMAS TREE AND WREATH DISPOSAL

Christmas trees and large wreaths should be placed at the curb for collection. Please remove all lights and decorations. Wreaths that fit inside of the tipper cart will be collected with the garbage. Do not place wreaths on top of or next to the tipper cart.

SNOW REMOVAL

It is the responsibility of each property owner to remove the snow and ice from the sidewalk in front of or adjacent to their property within 24 hours of daylight after the snow or ice has fallen. Snow should be removed to the full width of the sidewalk. **Throwing snow into the roadway is prohibited.** The garbage pickup area should be cleared of snow before your garbage collection day. Snow shall not be shoveled, blown or plowed into or across the street or alley right-of-way.

ELECTRONICS

Electronics such as televisions, computers, printers, monitors, DVD's, VCR's etc. are banned from landfills. Items can be taken to the Self Deposit Station. There is currently a fee for televisions and computer monitors.

SPECIAL PICK UP - HOUSEHOLD and/or BRANCH/BRUSH

The Street Department provides Special Pick Up's of waste material not normally collected with your regular garbage. Generally this is for large household items and/or branches and brush that can go through the chipper (No yard waste). Properties get one free pick-up with size and material limitations. Residents must call during operating hours to schedule the pick-up. See the City website or call for more information.

STREET LIGHT OUTAGES

Street light outages should be reported to WE Energies. Call 1-800-662-4797 or go onto the WE Energies website to report.

HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE

Milwaukee County residents can bring household hazardous waste to these year round drop-off points.

Veolia Environmental Services	Tuesday	(11 a.m. – 6 p.m.)
10518 S. 124th Street	Saturday	(8 a.m. – 2 p.m.)
Franklin, WI 53132		

City of Milwaukee Self Help Station	Thursday, Friday & Saturday	(7 a.m. – 3 p.m.)
3879 W. Lincoln Avenue		
Milwaukee, WI 53215		

Go to www.mmsd.com for the most up to date information on hazardous waste disposal.



GUIDE TO RECYCLING

PAPER PRODUCTS

Corrugated boxes should be flattened and cut to a size that will not get stuck in cart.

ACCEPTABLE

- Newspapers & inserts
- Magazines & books
- Junk mail & envelopes
- Phone books & Catalogs
- Office paper (any color)
- Corrugated cardboard
- Paper grocery bags
- Non-corrugated cardboard (cereal boxes, soda pack boxes)



NOT ACCEPTABLE

- Tissue products and paper towels
- Frozen food boxes
- Dairy carton boxes
- Paper contaminated with food residue or other debris
- Pizza boxes or carry out food wrappers

GLASS – Clear, green, brown, and tinted glass

Please rinse and remove lids and caps.

ACCEPTABLE

- Any color glass bottles, jugs or jars
- Glass beverage & glass food containers



NOT ACCEPTABLE

- Ceramic items (dishes, vases, cups)
- Drinking glasses or crystal
- Light bulbs
- Window or auto glass

PLASTIC – Containers labeled 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 or 7

on the bottom. Please rinse and remove lids and caps. Not necessary to remove paper labels.

ACCEPTABLE

- Soda bottles
- Milk & water jugs
- Laundry bottles
- Shampoo, conditioner, lotion & cosmetic bottles



NOT ACCEPTABLE

- Motor oil & Antifreeze bottles
- Styrofoam or microwave containers
- Plastic toys, flower pots/garden plastics
- Pesticide or herbicide containers
- Dairy tubs (butter, margarine, yogurt, sour cream)
- Medical supplies
- Plastic bags

CANS – Please rinse all cans Not necessary to remove paper labels.

ACCEPTABLE

- All aluminum cans
- All steel or bi-metal cans
- Metal lids & bottle caps



NOT ACCEPTABLE

- Aluminum foil & pie tins
- Paint cans & aerosol cans
- Car parts, nails & screws
- Pots & pans
- Gasoline cans & scrap metal

Please direct any questions regarding recycling procedures to:

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