

Dear Lemont Resident:

The information in this brochure will assist you with the refuse, recycling, and yard waste program in Lemont.

For further information, please contact Waste Management at 1-800-796-9696. You can also visit our website at www.wm.com.

Thank you and we appreciate your cooperation.

Sincerely,

Waste Management

Collection Times

All items including yard waste must be placed by the curb no later than 6:00 a.m. the day of collection. Carts should be placed with the handle facing away from the roadway and about two feet apart. After collection, all carts should be removed no later than the evening of your collection day.

Refuse

- Each home is provided with a 96-gallon refuse cart. Additional refuse may be placed in either plastic bags OR containers that are no greater than 32 gallons in size and do not exceed 50 pounds. All refuse should be properly contained to prevent littering.
- One (1) bulk item will be collected with the weekly pickup (i.e., couch, small tables, mattress, etc.).
- Carpet is considered a bulk item and must be cut and rolled into 4-foot lengths. Each roll must not weigh more than 50 pounds. All carpeting and padding must be secured with tape or string. Up to eight (8) rolls of carpeting and padding will be accepted each week as the bulk item.
- Residents also may rent additional 96 gallon trash carts for \$48 per year by calling Waste Management customer service at (800) 796-9696.

Yard Waste

Yard waste such as grass clippings, leaves, tree branches, and brush is collected weekly on your scheduled pickup day from April 1st through the week in which November 30th occurs.

- Yard waste must be placed in kraft paper bags, which can be purchased at local retail stores.
- 96-gallon yard waste carts are available for rent for \$48.00 per year by contacting the customer service center at (800) 796-9696.
- Brush and branches must be cut into 4-foot lengths and bundled with string or twine. Each bundle must not exceed 50 pounds. Unbundled brush will not be collected.
- Please note that sod, whole trees, stumps, and dirt are not included in the weekly yard waste program.

Electronic Waste Ban

Effective January 1, 2012, the State of Illinois has banned electronics from landfill disposal including the following items:

- Televisions
- Monitors
- Printers
- Computers (laptop, notebook, netbook, tablet, desktop)
- Electronic Keyboards
- Facsimile (Fax) Machines
- Videocassette Recorders (VCRs)
- Portable Digital Music Players (MP3 Players, iPods, etc.)
- Digital Video Disc (DVD) Players
- Video Game Consoles
- Small Scale Servers
- Scanners
- Electronic Mice
- Digital Converter Boxes
- Cable Receivers
- Satellite Receivers
- Digital Video Disc Recorders

Residents with these electronic wastes can call **Vintage Tech Recyclers at (866) 631-1707** for **free** home collection. Residents may also bring electronic wastes to the Lemont Public Works Department, 16680 New Ave., 630-257-2532; hours are Monday – Friday between 7:30 AM and 3:00 PM. For more information on recycling opportunities, please go to www.willcountygren.com.

Restricted Items

The following items are excluded from the weekly collection program:

- Large quantities of construction/ demolition materials
- Automotive parts
- Household hazardous wastes (paint, oil, flammables, hot ash, etc.)
- Dirt, Stone, Concrete, Rock
- Medical Wastes
- Materials from fires, floods or evictions
- Tires
- Pesticides/Insecticides
- Antifreeze
- Electronics

The Will County Land Use Department holds several recycling events for hazardous wastes, electronics, and tires throughout the year. Visit www.willcountygren.com for more information or call (815) 727-8834. The Village of Lemont also holds two recycling events annually, in the Fall and Spring. Visit www.lemont.il.us for more information or call (630) 257-1590.

Observed Holidays

Waste Management only observes the following holidays. When your pickup falls on or after one of these holidays, your pickup will be one day late during that week.

NEW YEAR'S DAY	MEMORIAL DAY	FOURTH OF JULY
LABOR DAY	THANKSGIVING DAY	CHRISTMAS DAY

Senior Citizen Discount

Lemont Residents that are 65 or older may receive a \$2.00 per month discount off of the monthly rate. Residents can either mail or fax a document that shows name, address (must match service address) and date of birth. Acceptable IDs include drivers licenses and FOID cards or other official document that matches the service address. The mailing address is 1411 Opus Pl Suite 400 Downers Grove attn: Senior Discount or via fax at 866-863-4834

WM ezPay

Waste Management provides for simplified payment method for your quarterly bill. Just log on to www.wm.com, create a User ID and password for easy access to make payments, update account information, and review payment history. WM ezPay accepts checking accounts, saving accounts, Visa, MasterCard, American Express and Discover Card.



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Cart Recycling Service

All households will receive a cart for recycling. Recycling will be collected on the same day as refuse, but at different times of the day. The following items may be recycled:

 Chipboard and Boxboard	 Brown Paper Bags	 Phone Books, Books, Catalogs and Magazines
 Newspapers	 Paper Cardboard, Dairy and Juice Containers	 Junk Mail Including envelopes
 Glass Bottles and Jars	 Office and School Paper	 Cardboard Collapse boxes. Cut large boxes down to 2'x2'
 Plastic Bottles and Containers #1-#5 Return plastic bags to retail store collections	 Aluminum Foil and Cans	 Tin or Steel Cans

Follow these simple instructions in preparing your materials for recycling.

- Containers should be empty and rinsed free of excess liquids & food residue.
- Please dispose of all caps before placing in the cart.

Do NOT recycle the following:

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| • Utensils | • Lightbulbs | • Hangers/Wire | • Mirrors |
| • Plates | • Fire Extinguishers | • Batteries | • Electronics |
| • Toys | • Propane/Helium
Tanks | • Aerosol Cans | |
| • Garden Hoses | | | |

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