



GARBAGE PROGRAM

Village of Richton Park

Family owned and operated since 1956, Homewood Disposal is proud to be the new hauler for your garbage, yard waste, and recycling services. The following information includes everything you need to know about your program. Upon pickup day, all materials should be placed at the curb.

PICKUP DAYS ARE: TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, and THURSDAY.

Each resident will receive, at no cost, a brown 95-gallon garbage cart and a green 95-gallon recycle cart. These carts are on wheels and have lids, which help keep the community clean by reducing rodent, insect, and litter problems. All carts are owned by Homewood Disposal. Serial numbers have been recorded and designated to each address. In the event you move out of your home, both carts must remain at the original address. Please do not put your address on the carts.

You will continue to be billed for service by the Village of Richton Park.



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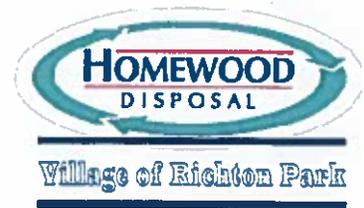
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Service



Here are some things you should know about our new program:

GARBAGE

- ◆ Garbage cart will be picked up each week on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday. All garbage must be placed at the curb by 6:00am.
- ◆ If you have extra garbage that will not fit in the cart, you can place it in your own cans or bags and set it next to your cart on garbage day.
- ◆ We will also pick up one large item per week at no additional cost. See “bulk items” on page 4.
- ◆ This brown cart is to be used for garbage only - no yard waste or recycling.
- ◆ **IMPORTANT!** Please be sure all garbage is placed in garbage bags before you put it in your cart. This helps reduce odor and keeps material from blowing out of the cart when it is emptied. Placing your garbage in bags also helps maintain the cleanliness of the cart.

RECYCLING

- ◆ Your new GREEN recycling cart will be picked up EVERY OTHER WEEK, along with your designated garbage pickup day.
- ◆ See Calendar of recycle pickup days. Calendars can also be found at www.mydisposal.com
- ◆ This cart is for recyclables only. - No garbage or yard waste. A list of accepted materials can be found on page 3.

YARD WASTE

- ◆ Grass clippings, leaves, branches, etc. are considered yard waste (no dirt or rock).
- ◆ Yard waste is picked up weekly on your regular pickup day during yard waste season. (April-November 30th only)
- ◆ All yard waste must be placed in 33-gallon paper yard waste bags or your own 35-gallon cans that are clearly labeled with a yard waste sticker. Stickers can be found at our Village Hall.
- ◆ Branches should be bundled and cut in 3-4 ft. lengths, no wider than 6 in. in diameter.
- ◆ 96-gallon yard waste carts are also available to rent for \$2.70/month from Homewood Disposal. If you rented a yard waste cart from your previous hauler or are interested in renting a cart this season, please call our office or order online at www.mydisposal.com.

WeSort

So you don't have to.

RECYCLING

ACCEPTED ITEMS

Cartons- NEW!

Both shelf-stable products and refrigerated products.

This includes juice, milk, soup, broth, wine, cream, egg substitutes cartons.

Paper and Other Fibers

Newspapers, magazines, envelopes, white/colored copy paper, wrapping paper, computer paper, glossy paper, file folders, telephone books, and paper back books.

Cardboard and Paperboard

Cardboard, cereal boxes, cake mix boxes, etc.

Plastic Containers Marked #1-#7 (excluding #6)

Pop bottles, water bottles, cooking oil bottles, peanut butter jars, milk and juice jugs, margarine/butter tubs, yogurt cups, ketchup bottles, household cleaners and coffee creamer containers. Labels and lids can be left on.

Tin and Aluminum Cans

Pop cans, soup cans, coffee cans, etc. Cans should be empty.

Labels can be left on.

Glass Bottles and Jars

Both clear and colored glass containers.

Containers should be empty. Labels and lids can be left on.



NOT ACCEPTED

Styrofoam
Plastic Bags
Shredded Paper
Stickers / Labels
Flat Glass
Light Bulbs
Aerosol Cans
Pizza Boxes
Plastic Silverware
Carry-out containers
Paper Towel
Solo Cups
Aluminum Foil
E-Waste
Household Garbage
Yard Waste
Film Plastic (saran, bubble wrap)
Tissue Paper
Gum/Candy Wrappers

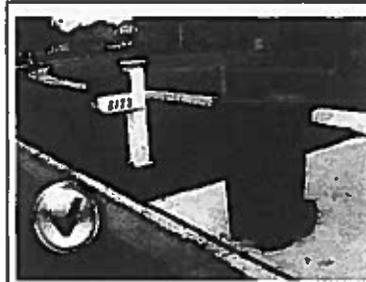
Tips for Successful Recycling

- Please do not put recyclables in plastic grocery bags.
- Leaves bottle caps on.
- Shredded paper is not accepted in our facility. Due to its size, the small pieces of paper end up with the glass and cannot be recycled.
- Pizza boxes and used paper plates are not recyclable.
- Fully rinsing out containers is not required.
- Check our Hard to Handle page @ www.mydisposal.com for more recycling and disposal options.

TIPS FOR CART PLACEMENT

Your new program is a semi-automated program. It is very important that your carts are placed at the curb properly. A mechanical arm is used to pick up and empty the cart. To help us better serve you, please be sure to follow the guidelines below.

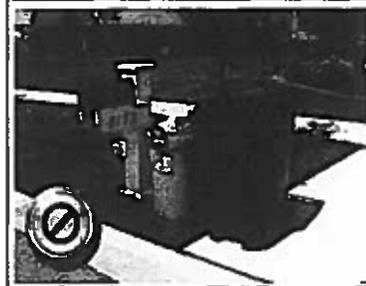
- Place your cart within two feet from the curb.
- Avoid placing the cart near low hanging tree branches.
- Place the cart at least two feet away from permanent structures like mailboxes, walls, lamp posts, utility boxes, vehicles, etc.
- Place your cart on a level surface prior to pickup.
- Make sure nothing is in between your cart and the street. A good place for your cart is in the driveway.
- When at the curb, cart wheels should be closest to the house.
- Additional placement instructions are also on the lid of your new cart.



DO

Do keep your cart where it is easily accessible and facing the proper way.

Do place your cart at least 2 feet from mailboxes or trees.



DO NOT

Do Not block the cart with a vehicle.

Do Not place cart too close to obstacles like mailboxes or parked cars.

Bulk Items

Included in your service, is the pickup one large item per week (or bulk items). This includes:

Appliances: Washer, dryer, dishwasher, refrigerator, etc.

By law, all refrigerator doors must be removed.

Mattresses (including and box spring)

carpeting: We will take up to four rolls per week of carpeting free of charge. Carpeting needs to be cut into lengths no longer than three feet, rolled up and tied in bundles that one person can pick up.

Construction Debris: We will take two cans of construction debris per week as long as they weigh no more than 50 pounds each.

Holiday Schedule

Should your pickup fall on or after the following holidays, your pickup will be delayed one day for that week only:

NEW YEARS DAY

MEMORIAL DAY

FOURTH OF JULY

LABOR DAY

THANKSGIVING DAY

CHRISTMAS DAY

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VILLAGE OF RICHTON PARK YARD WASTE CART ORDER FORM

Please fill out this form if you wish to rent our blue 95-gallon yard waste cart.

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP CODE: _____

PHONE: _____

Yes, I would like to lease a yard waste cart @ \$2.70/month
(billed annually in April).

SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____

Lessee assumes the responsibility to occasionally clean the cart when needed. Cart is only to be used at the service address of lessee. Unauthorized use of the cart will result in removal of cart by Homewood Disposal. Lessee will hold Homewood Disposal harmless of any incidents as a result of cart usage. Carts may become heavy during use and are to be used and handled by adults only. Lessee is responsible for theft, loss or damage to cart beyond normal uses. Lessee will notify Homewood Disposal to remove cart if it is no longer needed. All payments due for the cart must be paid in full. Lessee agrees to prompt and full payment for use of cart according to the terms, conditions, and schedules which Homewood Disposal has established. Lessee is responsible for replacement cost of equipment and collection costs of amounts due if lessee does not maintain the obligations above. Fees are based on projected costs at yard waste recycling centers and are subject to change. **Yard waste will be picked up between April 1st and November 30th ONLY.**

*Lessee agreement is for a one year time period.
There will be a \$20.00 redelivery/retrieval charge if applicable.*

FOR OFFICE USE ONLY

DELIVERY DATE _____

DRIVER'S SIGNATURE _____

CART # _____

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