

# **2024 Garbage & Recycling Information**

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#### FRANKLIN RESIDENTIAL BRUSH DROP-OFF AND RECYCLING CENTER LOCATED AT THE FRANKLIN PUBLIC WORKS FACILITY, 7979 W. Ryan Road - 414-425-2592 (For residential drop-off only. Proof of Franklin residency is required.)

**Hours:** Tuesdays and Thursdays, 8 a.m. to 3 p.m., excluding holidays.

**Items Accepted:** brush (up to 6" in diameter), used motor oil, used oil filters (uncrushed with oil drained from them), used antifreeze (2 gal. max per visit), car/truck batteries, clean glass bottles and jars, clean plastic containers with Codes 1-7, clean tin and aluminum cans, newspapers, flattened cardboard boxes.

**Items NOT Accepted:** garden debris, grass clippings, leaves, household trash, styrofoam, plastic bags, windows, mirrors, glass cookware, light bulbs, tires, construction debris, appliances, and electronics. See below for alternative disposal sites.

# WASTE MANAGEMENT METRO LANDFILL, 12200 W. South County Line Road - 414-529-6180 (For residential drop-off only. Proof of Franklin residency is required.)

<u>Hours:</u> Monday, Wednesday, Friday, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Saturday, 7 a.m. to 3 p.m. (Closed Tues. & Thurs.) <u>Items Accepted:</u> lawn and garden waste (including leaves), brush, furniture, carpeting, household trash, construction debris, recyclables, and tires.

**Items NOT Accepted:** appliances (including microwaves), electronics, humidifiers, dehumidifiers, water heaters, furnaces, and hazardous waste such as gas, antifreeze, oil and paint.

**Directions:** Take Loomis Road southwest to Hwy 45 (124th Street), turn left (south) on Hwy 45 to W. South County Line Road, turn left (east) and proceed to the entrance at 12200 W. South County Line Road. <u>OR</u>, you may take 76th Street south to W. South County Line Road and turn right (west) to the entrance at 12200 W. South County Line Road.

# MILWAUKEE COUNTY HAZARDOUS WASTE COLLECTION, 6060 S. 13th Street - 414-225-2066

(Proof of Milwaukee County residency is required / www.mmsd.com/what-you-can-do/home-haz-mat-collection) Hours: Tuesday, 11 a.m. to 6 p.m., Saturday, 8 a.m. to 2 p.m.

**Items Accepted:** oil-based and latex paint, varnish, weed killer, button and rechargeable batteries, fluorescent light bulbs, fertilizer, pesticides, sealers, gasoline and other fuels, cleaning solvents, full aerosol cans, and mercury thermometers. **\*See full list at www.MMSD.com, under "Home Hazmat Collection"**.

## **BRUSH AND LEAF PICK-UPS**

There will be brush and leaf pickups beginning <u>May 6, September 9, October 28, and November 11.</u> Brush and leaves <u>must be curbside and next to the driveway at 7 a.m.</u> on these designated Mondays. Leaves must be in paper compostable yard waste bags or 32-gallon or smaller containers that can be emptied into the collection truck. PLASTIC BAGS OF ANY KIND ARE NOT ALLOWED AND WILL NOT BE <u>PICKED UP, which includes no "compostable green" or biodegradable plastic bags.</u> Brush is limited to ONE pile no larger than 4' x 4' x 5' per household with branches less than 6" in diameter and a pile weight less than 50 lbs. Brush must be piled or bundled (bundled piles are preferred).

#### **CHRISTMAS TREE PICK-UP**

Christmas tree pickup by the Franklin Department of Public Works for the next 2 years will be <u>7 a.m. on</u> <u>January 8, 2024 and January 13, 2025</u>. Trees should be placed at the end of the driveway no more than 24 hours before the scheduled pickup and should be free of decorations, lights, and tree stands. Trees should not be covered with snow or be placed in a bag. (Wreaths are to be disposed of with the regular garbage.)

## SHARPS (NEEDLES, SYRINGES, LANCETS)

Wisconsin Law requires that sharps be properly discarded. The City of Franklin Health Department is a sharps collection site for residents only. Biohazard containers may be purchased from the Health Department. Office hours are 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. Call 414-425-9101 for further information. Sharps may not be placed in household trash.

<u>SPECIAL PICK-UP</u> - To dispose of large amounts of carpet, large furniture, electronics, and refuse not considered "regular household garbage", <u>call Johns Disposal Service at 1-888-473-4701 or 262-473-4700 to arrange a special pickup and for pricing</u> (prepay by credit card only).

# AUTOMATED GARBAGE AND RECYCLING PICK-UP



Garbage (brown cart) and recycling (green cart) are picked up <u>weekly</u>, both on your scheduled garbage collection day. <u>Cart Placement</u>: The arrows on the lid of the carts must point to the street. Handles and wheels should face away from the street. The garbage cart should be placed within 2 feet of the street on one side of the driveway and the recycle cart should be placed within 2 feet of the street on the other side of the driveway. Please keep 6 feet of clearance between the carts and other objects, especially

mailboxes and vehicles. Carts should not be placed in the street.

#### Items to be placed in Green Recycling Cart:

aluminum cans, clean aluminum foil, tin/steel/aerosol cans, empty/dried paint cans, glass bottles/jars, #1-7 plastic, milk/soup/juice cartons, newspaper, magazines, books, mail, school/office paper, brown corrugated cardboard, cereal/shoe boxes, paper bags, shredded paper secured in a clear plastic bag. No other recycling should be placed in bags.

#### Items NOT to be placed in Green Cart:

styrofoam, yard waste, trash, household hazardous waste, construction materials, electronics, clothing

#### Items to be placed in Brown Garbage Cart:

plastic wrap, plastic bags, broken toys, ceramics, light bulbs, bagged garbage, food waste, styrofoam, other loose trash—please put bagged trash in the brown cart. Bags that are tied keep the carts clean.

#### Items NOT to be placed in Brown Cart:

yard waste, recyclables, household hazardous waste, cardboard boxes, construction materials, electronics, medical waste/sharps

**Holiday Delays:** As is current practice, when a holiday falls on a weekday, pickup of garbage and recycling will be delayed by 1 day for the remainder of that week. The schedule of holidays where garbage and recycling will not be picked up and be delayed by 1 day for the remainder of that week is as follows:

January 1st May 27th July 4th September 2nd November 28th December 25th

Garbage & Recycling Questions: Call Johns Disposal Services at 1-888-473-4701 or 262-473-4700.

### **APPLIANCE AND ELECTRONICS RECYCLING**

#### **APPLIANCE DROP-OFF:**

**Refrigerant Depot, LLC**–5311 S. 9th Street, Milwaukee, WI 53221, 414-627-1152, M–F, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. FREE Drop-Off: will recycle unwanted working/non-working item(s) dropped off at facility. **No appointment necessary and no residency restrictions or ID required for drop off. Visit www.appliancerecycling.net for a list of items accepted/not accepted.** 

#### **ELECTRONICS DROP-OFF:**

**Refrigerant Depot, LLC**–5311 S. 9th Street, Milwaukee, WI 53221, 414-627-1152, M–F, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. TV's and computer monitors recycled for a fee; other electronics are recycled for free. **No appointment necessary and no residency restrictions or ID required for free drop off. Visit www.appliancerecycling.net for a list of items accepted/not accepted.** 

**Legacy Recycling**–9825 Durand Avenue, Building 7A, Sturtevant, WI 53177, 262-930-4228, M–F, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Residential drop off only. TV's and computer monitors are recycled for a fee; other electronics are recycled for free. **Please call or visit www.legacy-recycling.com for additional information.** 

**Best Buy**—4610 S. 76th Street, Greenfield, WI 53220, 414-281-3434. Please contact for store hours and items accepted/not accepted. TV's and computer monitors are limited in quantity and size and are recycled for a fee. Other electronics are recycled for free.

**Milwaukee PC**–4160 S. 108th Street, Greenfield, WI 53228, 414-427-6965. Please contact for store hours and items accepted/not accepted. No TV's are accepted. Fees for some items (monitors, printers, shredders, etc.); other electronics recycled for free.

#### PICK-UP OF APPLIANCES AND ELECTRONICS (for a fee):

John's Disposal: 262-473-4700 (appliances and electronics) Refrigerant Recovery: 414-643-7740 (appliances only)

