



Curbside Recycling Guidelines

Here are the things you need to know when recycling curbside in Lake County.
Place only accepted items together in your recycling container:

THANK YOU FOR RECYCLING

RECYCLE MORE OF THESE:

PAPER

Newspaper, Magazines, Mail, and Cardboard Boxes



Flatten

PLASTICS

Kitchen, Laundry, Bath: Bottles and Containers



Empty and Replace Caps

METAL

Aluminum
and Steel

GLASS

Bottles
and Jars



Empty, and Replace Caps

DO NOT RECYCLE:



No Plastic
Bags or
Product Wrap

No Clothing,
Textiles or
Shoes

No Big Items
(Electronics, Wood, Furniture,
Plastic, Propane Tanks or Metal)

YUCK
No Food,
Liquid, Diapers,
or Needles

No Tangles
(Hangers, Hoses,
Cords, or Chains)

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Place all recyclables loose in toter.

NO USED Bathroom items: feminine products, toilet paper, Kleenex, wipes, or paper towels. Also NO cigarette butts, styrofoam or produce/food scraps or yard waste, propane bottles, all batteries and plastic shopping bags.

— Please Retain for Future Reference —

NO PLASTIC BAGS!

DO NOT BAG Recyclables



Collecting recyclables in a bag?
Empty the contents into the cart.
Return plastic bags to retailers.

847-381-9300
www.prairielanddisposal.com

Prairie Land Recycling & Disposal

FOUR COUNTY Provider

Yard waste, food scraps, & dog kitty litter/stable waste organics

**Please
no trash
or recycling
in your
yard waste can
or Kraft bag**

**YARD
WASTE
BAG**

Keep your can clean
by putting your food
waste and scraps
in paper bags
or newspaper,
then place in can.
**No biodegradable
or plastic bags**

No plastic bags including
compostable plastics

No garbage
or recycling

No liquid waste,
oil or grease

No hazardous
waste

No PLA coated cups &
take-out containers

No rocks
or tree stumps

No Sudden Oak Death
infested material

No dimensional
lumber & treated wood

For more information please contact

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**Office Hours are 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday – Thursday
8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Friday - 8:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Saturday**

“You must be the change you wish to see in the world” -Gandhi

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Important Information about
your new Refuse, Recycling
& Yard Waste/Food Organics
Program by

Prairie Land

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Please Don't Throw Away
Please Retain for Future Reference

Dear Lake Zurich Resident,



As of September 1, 2020 the Village of Lake Zurich has contracted Prairieland Disposal and Recycling to be your new service provider for unlimited weekly refuse, recycling, yard and food waste collection. We are an environmentally conscious waste hauler serving the greater Lake, McHenry, Cook and Boone Counties and are excited to provide you service for a cleaner, greener Lake Zurich!

Our mission is to provide the residents of Lake Zurich with honest service-oriented collection. We take waste reduction seriously. Our state-of-the-art collection truck is a “ONE-PASS” truck, which collects two materials at the same time – garbage and recycling. Please see our website to see how our state of the art truck works.

Prairieland Disposal will provide these benefits to your neighborhood:

- Service will include a 95-gallon toter for unlimited residential trash pick-up and a 95-gallon toter for unlimited recycling.
- *Limited service is available and will include a choice of a 65 gallon or 35 gallon trash toter and a 95 gallon recycle toter. Bulk items will require 3 stickers and any bags outside the toter will require a sticker. Requests can be made with the enclosed post card.
- *10% Senior discount will be available to residents 65 or older. No other discounts will apply. A valid ID is required, please email to sales@prairielanddisposal.com or fax to (847) 382-5244.
- * Townhomes with toter service will receive a 10% discount, 65 gallon or 35 gallon refuse and 65 gallon recycling limited service. Bulk items will require 3 stickers and any bags outside the toter will require a sticker.
- Toters must be out by 7:00 A.M. on the morning of your scheduled collection.
- To accommodate our One-Pass truck, please separate toters at least 3’ away from each other, and 5’ from stationary objects. (Mailboxes, basketball hoops, vehicles, etc.)
- Service includes 15 bags of yard waste. All organics will be recycled at a state-licensed compost facility. Yard waste pick-up will also occur on the same day as your regular pick-up day. Yard waste service will run annually from April 1st to the second full week of December.
- Leaf vacuuming weekly service at curb is from October 12 to December 11, 2020. Rake loose leaves to curb/street side. Any leaves in ditches or farther than 2 ft. from street and not at least 3 ft. from obstructions will not be collected.
- Food organics and pet/dog waste/kitty litter will be accepted in the yard waste program.

No plastic or bio-degradable bags will be accepted in yard waste or recycle toters.

- Our experienced friendly drivers operate clean, environmentally friendly trucks that run on Bio-Fuel reducing emissions.
- Free electronics drop off at our recycling facility in Lake Barrington - one TV or monitor per visit and up to five other smaller electronic items, plus unlimited Christmas lights and cords.
- Electronics Waste curbside service collection **Once per year on regular collection day, July 13 or July 14, 2021.** Residents are limited to five electronic items per pick-up, plus 1 TV or computer monitor.
- Live Christmas tree pick-up will be the first 2 weeks of January on your regular pick-up day.

Chemical Waste:

- Household/residential paint (water based only) and chemical pick-up, at the curb for a handling fee to resident upon residents request. Limit of 5 gallons of paint per pick-up. Household chemicals are unlimited. Or residents can drop off at our Lake Barrington facility for a fee, 6 days a week.

If you have any questions or concerns, please call our customer service staff at (847) 381-9300. We look forward to serving you in the near future. Thank you for being good stewards of the environment. Please visit our website for additional information, www.prairielanddisposal.com, and click on the Lake Zurich tab to access information on all Village of Lake Zurich services.

Solid Waste and Recycling

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Your Service Day may have changed. Please see flyer for your possible New Service Day!

	Year One 9/1/20 - 8/31/21
Plan A Unlimited Household Service 95 Gallon Refuse toter and 95 Gallon Recycling toter Weekly yard waste included 15 Bags Bulk Item included	\$23.53
Plan B Limited Service 65 Gallon Refuse toter and 95 Recycle toter Weekly yard waste included No Bulk	\$22.53
Plan C 35 Gallon Trash 95 Gallon Recycle Weekly yard waste included No Bulk	\$22.53
Leaf vacuum service weekly from. October 12, 2020 to December 11, 2020	Included
Landscape Toter Monthly charge billed to resident	\$5.00
Additional 95 gallon refuse toter Monthly charge billed to resident	\$5.00
Additional 95 gallon recycling toter Monthly charge billed to resident	\$5.00
Food organics recycling included in yard waste program	Included
First Bulk Item is Free Additional Bulk Items (per item)	3 Stickers
Special Collection (per cubic yard) Pre-paid by resident	\$15.00
Once per year curbside E waste pick-up. Included one tv or monitor per residence.	Included
Stickers	\$3.10

Village of Lake Zurich Pick-up Schedule

General Guidelines

***Prairieland utilizes an automated OnePass split body truck system. These vehicles pick up BOTH trash and recycle at the same time. A different truck will pick up any acceptable items including bulk outside of toters. Please see our website to view the truck in action.**

- All solid waste materials must be placed at the curb for collection by 7:00 a.m. the day of your scheduled collection. We cannot guarantee a specific time the driver will be at your home.
- Trash and recycling should be placed by the drive. **This new service requires cans to be placed 2 feet apart to accommodate our OnePass truck** and 3 feet from stationary objects (mailboxes, basketball hoops, vehicles, etc.) No competitor or personal cans accepted since they are not compatible with our One-pass System.
- Cardboard must be broken down (2x2 max) and placed in toter - “DO NOT JAM” to accommodate the One-pass truck.
- Recycle Guidelines: Place recyclables loose, **no plastic shopping bags.** All recycling collected at the curb must be **free of refuse and contamination – this will be strictly enforced to ensure clean loads.**
- **PLEASE DO NOT JAM ITEMS IN ANY TOTER.**

Yard Waste

- Up to 15 bags of yard waste is included in your service (no stickers are needed).
- Yard waste, such as grass clippings, leaves, tree branches and brush, is collected from April 1st through the second full week of December.

- Yard waste collection will occur weekly, same day as trash day.
- Yard waste must be placed in biodegradable Kraft paper bags (which can be purchased at a local retailer). Residents may also rent a 95-gallon toter for yard waste collection, supplied by Prairieland for a monthly fee. Personal cans will be accepted, not weighing over 50 lbs.

Please Note:

You may use a can for landscape waste instead of the biodegradable Kraft paper bags. Prairieland will not be responsible for any damage to personal cans since they are not compatible with our equipment.

- **All organics are composted at a state approved facility. • See chart for extra organics we accept in your yard waste.**
- Yard waste in plastic will not be picked-up.
- Brush and branches must be cut into 4-foot lengths and bundled with string or twine, (no metal twine). Each bundle must not exceed 50 lbs. Unbundled brush will not be collected.
- Please note that sod, dirt, rock, concrete, railroad ties, whole trees, limbs greater than 2 inches and stumps are not part of the weekly yard waste program.

*** Yard waste/ organics is picked-up in a separate vehicle.**

Brush and Tree Trimmings

Bundled brush is included. Must be bundled and tied with biodegradable twine or string (no metal) in distinct piles that are no longer than 4 ft. in length, 2 ft. in diameter and weighing no more than 50 lbs. with no individual branch being greater than 2” in diameter.

Bulk Items

- A weekly bulk item is included in this service, 50lbs and under, no construction debris. For special bulk item pick-up please contact Prairieland to schedule pick-up and arrange for payment.

Unacceptable Bulk Items

These bulk items left at the curb will not be picked up:

- Items longer than 4 feet in length
- Items weighing more than 50 pounds
- Yard Waste
- Tires
- Household refuse
- Rocks, concrete and construction materials including roofing materials and lumber
- Large appliances such as freezers, refrigerators, stoves, washing machines, dryers, etc. even if broken up, cut up, crushed or flattened
- Any items that could be recycled as noted previously
- Any type of metal post, pipe, swing set, antenna, etc.
- King and Queen mattresses
- Electronic waste, or e-waste such as computer equipment, televisions, etc.

Disposal of Additional Trash for Special Pick-ups

All containers/bags in excess of normal size trash containers, excluding recycling containers must contact Prairieland directly at 847-381-9300 to arrange for a special collection or to order a dumpster. Full payment will be required at that time.

- Basketball hoops, sheds, hot tubs, construction debris, glass windows and doors, pianos, etc., and white good appliances can be picked up for a disposal fee.

Appliances

Due to EPA regulations, appliances cannot be disposed of in Illinois Landfills. Many local appliance companies will dispose of your old appliance free of charge when you purchase a new one. Prairieland will accept your white goods/appliances from curbside pick-up or at our Lake Barrington drop off location. A fee may apply.

Christmas Trees

Christmas trees will be collected the first two weeks of January at no additional charge from all residential households. All decorations, stands, etc. must be removed from trees in order to be collected. Do not place trees in plastic bags. Trees in plastic bags will not be collected.

Free drop-off at our Lake Barrington facility at 21N988 Pepper Rd. for all Village of Lake Zurich residents includes:

- Shoes – please band together
- Christmas lights
- Wine corks
- Food Scrap
- Electronic Waste
- Batteries – rechargeable, car etc., but no alkaline
- Floral vases, 10” max. Please make sure vases are wrapped to prevent breakage.

Drop-off items are subject to change