

## 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

## Restricted Items

**The following items will not be collected:**

- Construction/demolition materials
- Automotive parts
- Hazardous wastes (oil-based paint, oil, flammables, hot ash, etc.)
- Dirt, stone, concrete, rock
- Medical Wastes Needles
- Swimming pools
- Tires
- Pesticides/Insecticides
- Antifreeze
- Banned electronics

The Will County Land Use Department holds several recycling events for hazardous wastes, electronics and tires throughout the year. You can visit the website at [www.willcountygovern.com](http://www.willcountygovern.com) for more information or call (815) 727-8834. Residents can also visit the Illinois EPA website at [www.epa.illinois.gov](http://www.epa.illinois.gov) for other recycling options.

## Observed Holidays

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

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



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about your residential Refuse,  
Recycling, & Yard Waste Program.

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# The Village of Channahon

## Refuse, Recycling, & Yard Waste Program

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## Dear Channahon Resident:

The Village of Channahon provides residents a comprehensive program designed to encourage recycling, reduce materials headed to the landfill, and ensure that all waste is disposed of in an environmentally responsible manner. Waste Management looks forward to helping Channahon be as clean – and green – as possible in the years ahead. We take this opportunity to provide you updated information regarding your waste, recycling and yard waste services.

**For further information, questions or concerns, regarding service, please contact the Village of Channahon at (815) 467-6644.**

Thank you and we appreciate your cooperation.

Sincerely,

Waste Management and The Village of Channahon

## Collection Times

Per Village ordinance #1689, all items placed out for collection, including yard waste, must be placed by the curb no earlier than 6:00 p.m. the day before collection and at least by 6:00 a.m. on 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 your collection day.

**Please note: If you are a member of an active homeowners association (HOA), your covenants may address additional hours/locations for refuse services.**



## Refuse

The Village utilizes a modified-volume based refuse collection program. Residents can choose from three cart sizes; 35-gallon, 64-gallon, or 96-gallon that best fits your weekly refuse needs.

- Residents must contact Village Hall at (815) 467-6644 to establish service.
- Each resident can choose 35-gallon, 64-gallon or 96-gallon carts as the primary refuse container.
- Additional refuse materials may be placed in bags next to the cart.
- A pre-paid sticker must be attached to each bag outside of the cart.
- Bulk items such as a chair, couch or furniture will be collected with the weekly pick-up. You are allowed one bulk item per week. Stickers are not required for these items.
- Carpeting and padding must be cut and rolled into 4-foot lengths. Each roll must not weigh more than 50 lbs. and be securely tied. Improperly prepared carpeting will not be accepted. A maximum of four rolls of carpeting and padding will be accepted as a bulk item.



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## Recycling

- Each home is provided with a wheeled refuse cart as the primary recycling container.
- Recycling collection will occur every week.
- Please see the adjacent panel to learn about the Recycle Often. Recycle Right.<sup>SM</sup> program and acceptable materials. To learn more or to become a Recycling Ambassador, visit [www. RecycleOftenRecycleRight.com](http://www.RecycleOftenRecycleRight.com).
- White goods such as refrigerators, washers, dryers, dishwashers and water heaters require a separate pick-up for a \$45.00 charge. Arrangements for white good collection can be made by calling Waste Management at (800) 796-9696.

## Sticker Locations

Stickers for extra refuse and yard waste may be purchased at the following locations:

Village of Channahon: 24555 S. Navajo Dr. (815) 467-6644

The Private Bank: 23840 Eames St. (815) 467-5321

Casey's General Store: 25258 W. Eames St. (815) 467-9847

Stickers may also be purchased by calling Waste Management Customer Service at (800) 796-9696 and prepaying by credit or debit card.

## 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. The Village also utilizes a modified-volume based program for yard waste materials.

- All yard waste must be placed in Kraft paper bags which can be purchased at local retail stores.
- A pre-paid sticker must be attached to each bag of yard waste prior to collection.
- Brush and branches must be cut into 4-foot lengths, bundled with string or twine. Brush and branch bundles do not require a sticker.
- Each bundle must not exceed 50 lbs.
- Whole trees, tree stumps and/or improperly prepared bundles will not be accepted.
- Leaves will be collected from Oct 1 through November 30 at no charge.
- Leaves must be placed in Kraft bags.
- Two additional leaf collections will take place on Saturday in the fall. Please check with the Village for the dates and set-out requirements.

Yard waste subscription services are available for residents with greater yard waste needs. Residents can call Waste Management to rent a 96-gallon yard waste cart for an annual fee of \$170.83 in lieu of purchasing Kraft bags and stickers. To subscribe for the yard waste cart, please call Waste Management directly at (800) 796-9696.

Residents utilizing this service can place all of their yard waste in the provided 96-gallon cart and include up to 5 additional Kraft bags without stickers. Stickers are required for any additional bags over the 5-bag limit. This service will also be billed directly to residents from Waste Management and is billed annually with a required one-year commitment.



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RECYCLE RIGHT.<sup>SM</sup>**



Great things happen when Channahon residents use **Recycle Often. Recycle Right.<sup>SM</sup>** By recycling everyday items like those shown below, tons of raw materials, time, energy and money are saved. Plus the recycled materials become new products – if you recycle an aluminum can today, it could be back on the shelf as a new one in 60 days – and the cycle continues.

- Place only the acceptable recyclables shown below together in your recycling cart – no sorting needed.
- Containers that held food should be rinsed free of food debris and liquid.
- Do not put recyclables in plastic bags.

Acceptable materials for curbside recycling include:

### Always recycle:



**Plastic Bottles & Containers**



**Food & Beverage Cans**



**Paper**



**Flattened Cardboard & Paperboard**



**Food & Beverage Cartons**



**Glass Bottles & Containers**

### Do NOT include in your mixed recycling cart:



**NO Food Waste**  
(Compost instead!)



**NO Plastic Bags & Film**  
(Find a recycling site at [plasticfilmrecycling.org](http://plasticfilmrecycling.org))



**NO Foam Cups & Containers**  
(Check [Earth911.org](http://Earth911.org) for options.)



**NO Needles**  
(Keep medical waste out of recycling. Place in safe disposal containers like Waste Management's MedWaste Tracker<sup>®</sup> box.)

**To Learn More Visit:  
[RecycleOftenRecycleRight.com](http://RecycleOftenRecycleRight.com)**

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