Village of Lincolnshire

2015 WASTEHAULER
Information Packet
For Individual Homeowners and Residents of Westminster Woods

This information does not apply to the following locations:
Heritage Creek, Hidden Lakes, Indian Creek, Rivershire, Sutton Place, Westgate and Woodcreek Courts

Waste Management Contact Numbers: 1-800-796-9696 or 1-866-570-4702
You the homeowner contract with Waste Management for service. Difficulties or questions about your service should be directed to Waste Management.

Difficulties with Waste Management? Contact the Village at 847-883-8600 x 2382 for assistance.

SERVICE OPTIONS FOR WASTE:	**MONTHLY FEE:**
Limited household waste – one 35 gal. toter cart	$**17.26**
Limited household waste – one 64 gal. toter cart	$**18.35**
Limited household waste – one 93 gal. toter cart	$**19.45**
Sticker for any household waste over the "limited" service level	$**3.04**
(Sold in quantities of 5 - $15.20 - no refunds for unused stickers)	
Unlimited household waste - one 35 gal. toter cart	$**17.89**
Unlimited household waste - one 64 gal. toter cart	$**19.39**
Unlimited household waste – one 93 gal. toter cart	$ **20.49**
Senior Citizen discount from above rate	**10%**
Backdoor collection service (addition to fee above)	$**10.93**

RECYCLING COLLECTION:

Unlimited recycling - one 64 gal. toter cart	**None**
Unlimited recycling – one 96 gal. toter cart	**None**

LANDSCAPE WASTE COLLECTION:

Unlimited, Subscription Service, fee per season	$**162.63**
Sticker Service – individual sticker applied to each bag or bundle	$ **3.04**
(Sold in quantities of 5 - $15.20 – no refunds for unused stickers)	

Unlimited Collection:
If a resident needs to dispose of household waste, in addition to the material placed in their toter cart, they may do so at no additional charge.

Limited Collection:
If a resident needs to dispose of household waste, in addition to the material placed in their toter cart, they will be required to purchase a waste sticker which shall be placed on each container of household waste placed at the curb. Stickers may be purchased at the Village Hall, Lincolnshire's Walgreens or Sunset Foods in Lake Forest.

To Change Service Levels:

During the month of January, residents may change their service level or toter size **at no charge.** If changes are made in a month other than January, there will be a $**25.00** service fee for the change.

Collection Hours:

Collection takes place between the hours of 7:00 am and 5:00 p.m. on Wednesdays.

Waste must be placed at the curb by 7:00 a.m. on collection day regardless of when the wastehauler usually collects on your street. Substitute drivers do not always use the same routing.

Village Code prohibits placement of waste at the curb prior to 9:00 p.m. the day before collection and requires that containers be returned to their storage area by 9:00 p.m. the day of collection.

Holiday Collection:

When one of the following holidays falls on a Monday, Tuesday, or Wednesday, collection will be delayed by one day – collection will occur on Thursday of that week.

New Years Day Memorial Day
Labor Day 4th of July Christmas

Recycling:

Recycling is a very important part of waste disposal. The landfills are filling and waste disposal costs are rising. See the section at the end of this brochure for recycling tips and information.

Residents may choose – at no additional charge - a 64 gallon recycling toter cart or a 96 gallon recycling toter cart.

New Residents:

Call Waste Management at either of the numbers listed on the front of this brochure to start your service.

Christmas Tree Pick Up

Waste Management will pick up your Christmas tree on pick up days between January 1st and 29th. Place your tree at the curb on the morning of collection and they will take it.

Spring Clean Up Event:

Waste Management will conduct a Spring Clean Up on Saturday, **April 11, 2015**. (For more information on this event go to http://lincolnshireil.gov/ All goods must be placed at the curb by 7:00 am the day of collection. Residents may begin placing materials at the curb 7:00 pm the night prior to the event.

Residents may put out household goods. Items such as carpet or lumber must be bundled in lengths of not more than 4 feet long and 2 feet wide. All items must be of such a size that one person can lift them.

The following items will **NOT** be taken: white goods – appliances, household chemical waste and landscape waste.

Visit the Solid Waste Agency of Lake County website at www.swalco.org for locations where items might be recycled or donated.

The Electronics Collection originally scheduled for Saturday April 4, 2015 has been **cancelled** due to the termination of the previous electronics collection agreement through SWALCO. For information on alternative recycling options, please visit www.swalco.org and click on collections/electronics

- DO NOT THROW AWAY MATERIALS THAT CAN BE REPURPOSED, RECYCLED OR USED BY SOMEONE

Collection Equipment:

Waste Management uses three different trucks to collect materials. One truck picks up waste, another recycling and the third landscape waste.

Leave at least three feet of open space around your recycling toter cart for collection. This collection is mechanical and the equipment needs adequate space to grab the toter.

Special Collection:

If you have multiple bulk items that need to be picked up, a special collection may be required. Contact Waste Management for pricing.

Billing Cycle:

Waste Management will send bills to your home. quarterly. Bills should be received on the following cycle:

January – for the months of Feb., Mar.& Apr.
April – for the months of May, June & July
July – for the months of Aug., Sept. & Oct.
October – for the months of Nov., Dec. & Jan.

Bulk Collection:

Residents will be allowed to discard one bulk item per week at no additional charge. (No appliances.)
This item must be of a size that one person can lift it.

LANDSCAPE WASTE COLLECTION:

Landscape waste must be placed in paper landscape bags, rigid plastic containers or bundled in bundles not to exceed 2 feet in width and 4 feet in length. The weight of each item cannot be more than 50 lbs. Metal/Plastic containers may not exceed 33 gallons in size.

Landscape waste collection is available for residents during the months of April, May, June, July, August, September, October and November. Two service options are available:

Unlimited landscape waste collection
Annual Fee: $162.63

Limited landscape waste collection
Per Container: $3.04 per sticker

Stickers are sold at the Village Hall, Lincolnshire's Walgreens and Sunset Foods in Lake Forest. Stickers are sold in quantities of 5 for $**3.04 per sticker**. There are no refunds for unused stickers.

OTHER COLLECTION OPPORTUNITIES:

Household Chemical Waste Collection:

The Lincolnshire Riverwoods Fire Protection District is a household chemical waste collection satellite. They collect materials typically twice per month. Please call 847-634-2512 to set up an appointment.

Electronics Collection:

The Electronics Collection originally scheduled for Saturday April 4, 2015 has been **cancelled** due to the termination of the previous electronics agreement through SWALCO. Residents can still take their electronics to sites in Highland Park, Waukegan, Wauconda, Grayslake, Antioch and Ingleside, For alternative Recycling options, please visit www.swalco.org

Clothing and Household Goods:

There are a number of charitable organizations who are always looking for clothing and household donations. Two of many are Salvation Army (Intersection of Rt. 60 and 83) and Goodwill (761 S. Midlothian, Grayslake).

RECYCLING INFORMATION:

Recyclable materials are collected from your toter cart by automated trucks. It is **VERY IMPORTANT** that you leave at least 3 feet of open space around your recycling toter cart so the truck can "grab" the container and empty it into the truck. If your driveway is narrow, place your recycling toter at the curb and the waste toter approximately 3 feet behind the recycling toter cart.

Recyclable materials are picked up from your home and taken to the recycling facility in Grayslake. At the recycling facility the materials are sorted and packaged to be delivered to companies that can utilize these goods for future products.

It is important the recyclable materials be prepared properly for disposal. Otherwise, when the materials get to the sorting facility they will be discarded. The conveyor belts at the sorting facility move very quickly and sorters do not have time to prepare materials.

Following is a list of materials that can be recycled:

Category	Acceptable Items	Not Accepted	Preparation
Plastic	All plastic household containers, bottles, jugs, tubs, cups, clamshell style containers, laundry baskets, hangers, buckets, storage totes, kitty litter tubs, plant pots unmotorized toys and small non inflatable pools.	Foam cups, foam cartons, foam packaging material, plastic bags, plastic wrap, plastic utensils and garden hoses.	Caps, lids, rings, handles and labels should be left on the plastic containers. Plastic containers should be clean, empty of all liquids and free of food residue.
Metal	Aluminum Cans, foil, foil pans; steel cans, tin cans spray cans, paint cans, kitchen pots, pans, trays and utensils.	Propane tanks, helium tanks, needles, syringes, electronics, small appliances, batteries, hangers, wire, holiday lights, ammunition, flares and combustible liquids or gases.	Caps, lids, pull tabs and labels may remain on the containers. Place metal lids inside of empty cans. Metal containers and foil should be clean, clean of all liquids and free of food residue.
Paper	Scrap paper, mail, envelopes, copy paper, office paper, shredded paper, cards, cardboard boxes, cereal and frozen food boxes, newspaper, ads, inserts, catalogs, magazines, phone books, hardcover and softcover books, paper egg cartons, paper cups, milk and juice cartons, paper tubes and wrapping paper.	Plastic bags, plastic wrap, straws, corrugated cardboard, wax-coating, paper towels, napkins, facial tissue, photos, laminated paper or paper coated with food, wax or foil.	Shredded paper should be bagged. Cardboard boxes should be flattened and must be cut down to pieces no larger than 3'x3'. Paper boxes and cartons should be clean, empty and free of all liquid, food residue or packing materials.
Glass	Clean and empty glass bottles and jars, all colors.	Light bulbs, drink glasses, ceramics, bakeware, mirrors, ornamental glass, window and auto glass.	Remove all caps and lids. Glass containers should be clean, empty of all liquids and free of food residue.

PLASTIC FILM

Plastic film is that plastic which is used for dry cleaning, plastic shopping bags, produce bags, packaging for products such as paper towels , toilet paper, etc. This film is <u>not recyclable</u> through Waste Management's curbside collection. The plastic film clogs the conveyor belts and machinery at the sorting facility.

HOWEVER – your local grocery store will take plastic film. This material can then be recycled into other products. Simply bundle your plastic film inside one of used the plastic film bags and drop it off at the store when you go to purchase your groceries.