



Recycling of Large Articles, Appliances, and Tires, Yard & Garden Waste, Tree Limbs & Brush, and Christmas Trees

Just For Fun!

Find the misspelled word!! Mail or drop off an envelope including the misspelled word, along with your name, address and phone number. You must be a Village resident to qualify. If you are correct we will enter you into a drawing for your chance to WIN a \$25.00 Gift Certificate to a local business. There will be 8 lucky winners! The drawing will be held February 1st. **GOOD LUCK!!**



Garbage and recyclables will be picked up weekly on Mondays and Tuesdays. Please refer to the map on page 3 to see your day of collection. **Garbage and Recyclables must be placed in the carts from Hilltopper Refuse and Recycling Service Inc.** These are the **ONLY** containers that are picked up. Carts have a 10 year warranty from the manufacturer. If they lose a wheel, if the lid comes off, or other "normal" repairs, the cart will be repaired or exchanged by Hilltopper Refuse and Recycling Service. There is no cost to the resident for these types of "normal" repairs.

Additional Garbage

Garbage set beside the cart, put out in bags or a can, **will be not be collected.** You can wait and put the extra trash in the cart for the next collection, or haul it yourself to the La Crosse County Landfill or Hilltopper. Both charge a small fee for disposal. If you intermittently have additional trash, you may purchase stickers from Hilltopper for additional bags of trash. These stickers will be paid for in advance, placed on the bag and set next to your cart for pick up. If you find you need more than one cart, contact Hilltopper Refuse and Recycling at 783-6727 and make arrangements to have an additional cart delivered. There is an additional annual charge for the second cart. You will be billed directly by Hilltopper.

Placement of Carts

Place carts at least 3 feet away from obstacles, including but not limited to: other carts, mailboxes, power poles, etc. Place carts within 2 feet of the surfaced edge of the road with the arrow on the cover pointing toward the road (wheels facing away from the road). Carts should be set out by 5 AM on collection day. Carts must be placed on a level surface with the covers reasonably shut for collection.

Do not put grass, leaves, brush, recyclables, electronics, computer components, demolition or construction materials in the cart. Information on disposal of these items is contained in another part of this publication.

Large Article Pick-Up

Large Article Pickup service is not provided by the Village of West Salem. Residents must contract on their own for collection or disposal.

Please check your local yellow page listings for Garbage Collectors.

The La Crosse County Landfill has a citizen drop-off site at 6500 Hwy 16 also. See front cover for additional information. There is a small fee for large articles at drop-off.

White Good & E-Waste

Appliance and Tire Pickup service is not provided by the Village of West Salem. Residents must contract on their own for collection or disposal.

Please check your local yellow page listings for Garbage Collectors and/or Recycling Centers.

Unacceptable Trash

Construction materials

Items include: roofing materials, bath tubs, shower enclosures, windows, siding, sheet rock, lumber, brick, concrete, asphalt, and kitchen cabinets.

Hazardous materials

Cleaners, solvents, gasoline, oil, or other toxic, corrosive, explosive, or highly combustible materials may not be placed in the regular trash. Refer to the front page to see which hazardous materials are accepted at the La Crosse County Household Hazardous Materials Site. If in question, call the facility for a recommendation at 608-785-9999.

Vehicle parts

Vehicle parts and other metal weighing 10 pounds or more will not be collected. Take such items to a salvage yard.



SNOW/ICE REMOVAL NOTICE: All sidewalks shall be cleared of snow and ice within 24 hours after the snow ceased to fall or within 24 hours of the formation of ice, and cause the same to be kept clear from snow and ice, provided that in case the snow shall continue to fall for some time, it shall be removed as soon as practicable after it has ceased to fall and provided that when the ice formed upon any sidewalk so that it cannot be immediately removed, the person herein referred to shall keep the ice sprinkled with salt, an ice melt product, or sand. No person in the course of removing snow or ice from any private property shall cause or permit the snow or ice to be placed or left on any public way, including any public sidewalk or roadway. (Ordinance 5:04(J))

No other notices will be sent. If the Village finds that a sidewalk is not in compliance, you will be charged for removal each time snow or ice is removed from the sidewalk by Village employees according to the provision set forth in Ordinance 5.04(L). Your cooperation is appreciated!

Fire Hydrant Flushing (----- on calendar)

Fire hydrants will be flushed April 11-15 and September 19-23. During this time rusty or discolored water may be noticed, which is only temporary.

Christmas Tree Pickup

Christmas trees are collected curbside during the month of January only. Please remove tinsel, ornaments, lights, etc. Trees placed in bags will not be picked up.

Yard & Garden Waste VILLAGE RESIDENTS ONLY

Yard Waste Disposal Site: You may dispose of leaves, grass clippings and garden waste **ONLY - NO GARBAGE OR DEBRIS** - on West Avenue North just north of the Village Garage. Bags and containers must be emptied and disposed of properly in garbage cans provided at the site.

These materials may be left at the yard waste disposal site at any time during daylight hours. This area is for your convenience, please do not abuse it by leaving household trash or other unacceptable materials.

PLEASE - Brush, branches or limbs are accepted at the yard waste disposal site only. DO NOT place in grass or compost site. Violators will be ticketed.

No person shall permit grass clippings from mower swaths to remain upon sidewalks, street pavements, gutters of any public street, or on abutting property not owned or occupied by said person. Placing these items in the gutter may create problems with our storm water system and may cause a backup.

Tree Limbs & Brush (○ on calendar) VILLAGE RESIDENTS ONLY

Brush chipping is a service to Village residents and is to be used on an occasional basis such as spring cleanup and/or storm damage. The service is not to clear woods, remove large trees or clear building sites. It is not for larger properties with many trees to use on a constant basis. Properties repeatedly using this service will be notified that their brush will not be chipped.

The Village collects tree limbs and brush curbside on the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of each month from April through October. Tree limbs and brush may not be placed on any boulevard for regular Village pick up more than 5 days prior to the scheduled pick up date. Violators will be ticketed for littering on public right-of-way. (see calendar opposite). Please follow these guidelines:

- Brush must be cut less than 12 feet long and cannot be thicker than 6 inches in diameter. Disposal of brush in excess of 6 inches diameter is the homeowner's responsibility. Branches shorter than 24 inches and less than 3/4 inch in diameter should be taken to the yard waste disposal site.
- Brush and tree limbs should be placed curbside no later than 7:00 am on collection days, and must be neatly stacked with stems pointing in one direction. Tree limbs and brush may also be bundled tightly.
- Residents are allowed to place 2 medium-sized piles no more than 4 feet high for scheduled pickups. Disposing of tree limbs and brush in excess of this amount is the resident's responsibility. If a resident hires a private tree service to assist with brush clearing, the tree service is responsible for disposing of the material. **The Village of West Salem does not allow private tree services to use the Village disposal site.**
- Tree stumps, roots or shrubs with intact root balls will not be collected and disposal of such is the responsibility of the resident.

Contact Information

Village of West Salem
175 S. Leonard St.
West Salem, WI 54669
Phone: 786-1858

Hilltopper Refuse & Recycling
W6833 Industrial Blvd., Onalaska
Phone: 783-6727

Household Hazardous Waste Site
(La Crosse County Landfill)
6500 Hwy 16, La Crosse
Phone: 785-9999

You will receive a brochure like this at the beginning of each year, so please keep this brochure! If you misplace it, please call 786-1858 for a new one.

Please visit our web site www.westsalemwi.com

Important Village Phone Numbers

- Village Hall.786-1858
- Public Works Dept. . . 786-2850
- Public Works Emergency792-3395
- Recreation Dept. . . . 786-0222
- Police Department . . 786-0407 (non-emergency)
- Fire Department786-0111 (non-emergency)
- Emergency 911
- US Post Office786-1710
- Public Library786-1505
- Swimming Pool 786-0323
- West Salem Public Schools:
District Office786-0700
- High School786-1220
- Middle School786-2090
- Elementary School . . 786-1662
- West Salem Parochial Schools:
Christ Lutheran786-1250
- Coulee Christian 786-3004

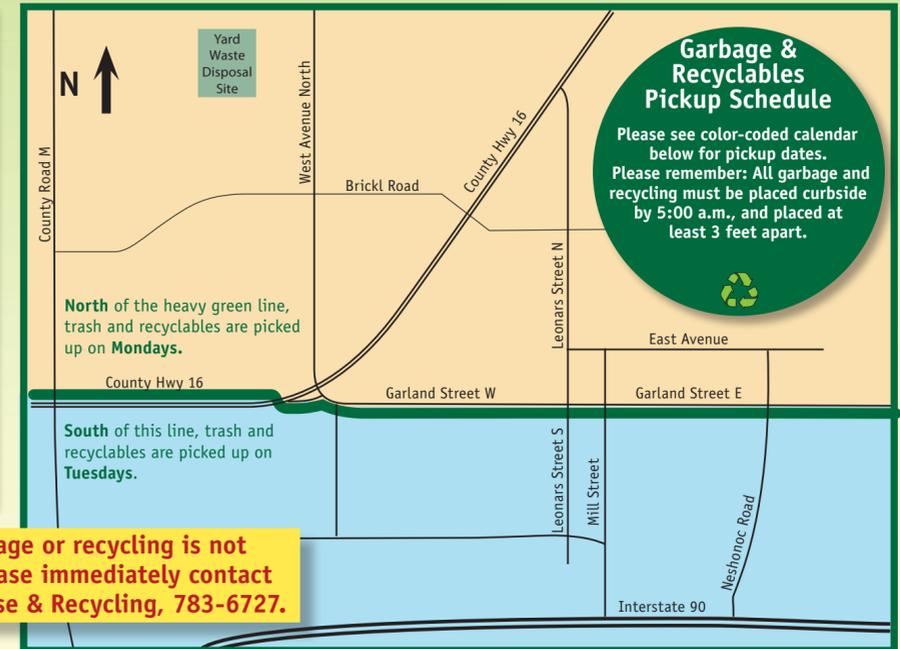
Curbside Trash Guidelines

Garbage is collected every Monday and Tuesday and Recycling is picked up every other Monday and Tuesday. (Please see calendar below.) **Your pickup day may be delayed one day in the event of a holiday.**

ALL of Garland Street and NORTH of Highway 16 extended west of West Avenue will be picked up on Mondays.

Residences located South of this line will be picked up on Tuesdays.

Both garbage and recyclables should be curbside by 5:00 a.m. and placed at least 3 feet apart. See Page 2 for details.



If your garbage or recycling is not picked up, please immediately contact Hilltopper Refuse & Recycling, 783-6727.

Calendar for Pickup of Garbage, Recycling, Tree Limb & Brush • Hydrant Flushing

If you have questions or concerns, please call the Village Administration Office at 786-1858

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○ Tree limb & brush pickup (April-October, 1st & 3rd Tuesday) ----- Fire Hydrant Flushing (April 11-15, September 19-23) ♻️ Recycling Weeks ☆ Holiday - No Collection

How to Prepare Recyclables

<p>GLASS: Jars and bottles only!</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • NO light bulbs, dishes, glassware, window glass, mirrors, or ceramics. • Remove lids and metal rings, empty, and rinse clean. 	<p>TIN CANS: Empty food, paint, aerosol cans only!</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • NO chemicals, scrap metal, or vehicle parts. • Empty, rinse clean, and remove labels. Ends of cans can stay attached. Flattening of food cans is appreciated. 	<p>ALUMINUM: Cans only!</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • NO food or pie plates • Drain liquid and rinse cans clean. Flattening is appreciated. 	<p>PLASTIC: Bottles only!</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • NO plastic packaging, ice cream buckets, food containers, or Styrofoam. • Look for #1 thru #7. • Rinse clean; discard cap. 	<p>CARTONS: Milk, juice, broth, soup, and other food & beverage cartons</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What is a carton? It's a type of food and beverage packaging. There are two types: shelf-stable (broth, soup, soy milk, juice, milk, wine) and refrigerated (milk, juice, cream, egg substitutes). • Drain liquid.
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Additional Acceptable materials for recycling include:
Newspapers (including shiny inserts), magazines, phone books, office paper/white paper, fiberboard (cereal boxes, soda cartons, beer cartons, etc.) and corrugated cardboard.

Place recyclable glass containers, steel cans, aluminum cans, plastics #1 through #7, cartons, paper, newsprint, fiberboard and corrugated cardboard together loosely in the recycling cart with the blue lid.