# Garbage Service Update | Starting October 1, 2024

**Incorporated New Lenox Residents Only** 







35 GALLON



Red refuse stickers are still required for extra material.



65 GALLON



Red refuse stickers are not required for extra material.



95 GALLON



Red refuse stickers are not required for extra material. This is the standard size cart.

## RED EXTRA REFUSE STICKERS (UPDATE)

Red refuse stickers are no longer required for residents who have a 65-gallon or 95-gallon cart. Additional material placed at the curb in personal garbage cans or bags will be collected at no additional charge. Additional cans or bags must not exceed 32-gallons in size.



All residents who have a 35-gallon cart will continue to place one red sticker on each item placed outside of the cart.

Refuse stickers for all 35-gallon cart households (Senior and Non-Senior)

will increase to \$2.70/sticker and are available at Berkots, Jewel and Village Hall.

## **CARTS AND CART SIZES**

Each New Lenox household is provided a HDS wheeled garbage cart with their weekly service. Households are required to use the HDS cart for automated collection, safety and lifting injury prevention.

Over the next few years, pricing for a 65-gallon cart and a 95-gallon cart will be the same.

Residents who wish to receive a larger cart may switch cart sizes. There is no charge to switch your cart size. Please visit www.mydisposal.com/newlenox to switch and to review service pricing.

### **BULK ITEMS**

Residents may continue to place one bulk item out for collection each week with no sticker. Examples of bulk items are sofas, mattresses,



ovens, rolls of carpet, and desks. No TV's, computers or other electronics are accepted curbside. Please call Homewood Disposal at 708-798-1004 for a special electronics pick up or if the bulk item cannot be lifted safely by one driver.

## **RECYCLING & YARD WASTE**

The recycling and yard waste programs are unchanged. For more details please visit www.mydisposal.com/newlenox.

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# **CURBSIDE RECYCLING**

ACCEPTED ITEMS



Aluminum, Tin & Metal Cans



Plastic Bottles & Containers



Glass Bottles & Jars



Cartons - Milk, Juice, Broth, Soup & Other



File Folders, Office Paper, Envelopes



Junk Mail, Glossy Paper, Magazines



Flattened Cardboard Boxes



Paperboard Boxes -Cereal, Tissue & Frozen Food Boxes



Newspapers, Catalogs, Phone Books, Paper Bags

The items listed below can contaminate other recyclable material, slow the sorting process, damage equipment, or can be hazardous to recycling facilities and workers.

# **NOT ACCEPTED**

#### **PLASTIC**

Snack Bags

Bubble Wrap
CD, DVD Packaging
Clam Shell Containers
Clothes Hangers
Flex Packaging
(baby food pouches, fruit
snack pouches, etc.)
Greasy Pizza Boxes
Large Storage Bins
Motor Oil Containers
Plastic Bread/Storage Bags
Plastic Silverware
Plastic Wrap
Prescription Bottles

(chips, fruit snacks, etc.)

Solo Cups Straws Styrofoam

#### **PAPER**

Gum / Candy Wrappers Paper Cups Paper Towels Self Stick Labels Shredded Paper Tissue Paper Used Paper Plates

#### **GLASS**

Waxed Paper

Dishes / Drinking Glasses Light Bulbs Mirrors, Window Glass

#### **CARTONS**

Foam Egg Cartons Ice Cream Cartons

#### **METAL**

Full Aerosol Cans Large Scrap Metal

#### **OTHER**

Batteries Christmas Lights Clothes Diapers Electronics and TV's Garden Hoses Wood Yard Waste



Visit our online recycling guide. Partner with us as we seek to be responsible stewards of the world and its resources.

# **QUICK TIPS**

- Do not put recyclables inside plastic bags or garbage bags.
- Leave your bottle caps on empty bottles.
- Please gently rinse or wipe your containers.

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