VILLAGE OF SCHAUMBURG

Beginning May 1, 2022, LRS will be the new service provider for curbside waste, recycling and yard waste for Schaumburg homes.

- Each home will receive two carts; one for waste and one for recycling. **There is no cost for the carts.** Carts are available in the following sizes: 35-gallon, 64-gallon, and 96-gallon.
- Residents must choose their preferred cart size for waste and recycling by March 18, 2022. Residents who fail to select carts through the web portal or customer service team will receive the default sizes of 96-gallon for waste and 64-gallon for recycling. Townhomes will receive the default size of 64-gallons for both waste and recycling.
- Residents may continue to use their own containers but will need to select this option through the web portal or by calling the customer service team to avoid receiving default carts.
- If you receive the standard size/default carts and requested something larger or smaller after the March 18 deadline, please know that LRS will still happily exchange your delivered carts. Please begin using the carts provided for the May 1 start while waiting for your preferred size(s) to arrive.

SELECT YOUR CARTS BY MARCH 18, 2022

Visit the web portal (recommended) at <u>LRSrecycles.com/Schaumburg</u> or call LRS Customer Service at **844.633.3577**



WHEN SERVICE STARTS

Delivery of new waste and recycling carts will take place during the month of April. These carts will be placed curbside and should not be used until the first week of May as they will not be serviced prior to this time. Carts currently in use will be removed by the current hauler the last week of service.

New service with LRS will begin on May 1, 2022. Waste and recycling will both be collected on the same day as has been past practice. Schaumburg will move to a 5-day service schedule; most residents will retain their current service day. The new service map will be provided on both the village's website at www.Schaumburg.com and with cart delivery indicating any changes in service days. While there will be no service interruptions, typical service times may initially vary as drivers adjust to new routes.

Garbage, recycling and landscape waste shall be placed curbside the day of collection no later than 7 a.m. to ensure it is collected.

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WASTE COLLECTION

Waste collection will continue on a new 5-day schedule. Schaumburg and LRS will continue to allow residents to place unlimited personal receptacles out in addition to the standard cart. This also includes tightly tied and/or sealed trash bags.

In addition to curbside waste collection, LRS offers a variety of other waste services.



BULK ITEMS / EXCESS GARBAGE

LRS will take 2 cubic yards of additional waste that is not able to fit into your cart as long as it is within Illinois landfill regulations and it is safe to handle by the driver(s). Up to 2 bulk items will be collected as long as each item is under 50 pounds.

For items that do not fit the above criteria, LRS will provide service as needed, scheduled at an agreed upon per-yard basis. This service will be upon request and billed separately.



ADDITIONAL CART(S)

Should you need an additional waste (or recycling) cart, LRS will provide one at a cost of \$3 per month, per cart.

DUMPSTER SERVICES

LRS is one of Chicago's and the northwest suburbs' largest providers of roll-off dumpster boxes. For larger cleanout projects, or move-ins and move-outs, we encourage residents to reach out to us for competitive pricing and availability.





HOLIDAYS

The below holidays will impact service only if it falls before or on your day of service from Sunday through Friday. Holidays falling on a Saturday will not impact your collection day. The following are holidays LRS recognizes and will be closed:

NEW YEAR'S DAY INDEPENDENCE DAY THANKSGIVING MEMORIAL DAY LABOR DAY CHRISTMAS

RECYCLING COLLECTION

LRS will provide residents with one recycling cart at no cost that will be collected weekly on the same day as your waste. Residents may place out as many recyclable items as they wish each week for collection. Recyclable material that won't fit in recycling carts may be placed at the side of the cart. It is recommended that larger or bulky boxes be broken down before collection.

YARD WASTE / ORGANICS

LRS will provide seasonal yard waste collection from the first full week in April through the second full week in December. Residents may use and place out their own 35-gallon or smaller cans with yard waste, or brown kraft bags free of charge. User-owned cans should be clearly marked as "YW," and may not weigh more than 50lbs (this weight limit also applies to kraft paper bags). Bundles of twigs, sticks and branches may not exceed 4 feet in length and 18 inches in diameter.

As part of the village's new contract with LRS, residents may place organic material and compostable food waste with the yard waste they set out for collection. Nearly 20% of all food waste ends up in landfills, so we encourage participation. LRS will post additional information on which types of food and organic material are accepted on its web page: **LRSrecycles.com/Schaumburg**. Residents may also rent a yard waste/compost cart for a fee.

Your yard waste service day will be on the same day as your waste and recycling.

CHRISTMAS TREES

LRS will provide curbside collection of Christmas trees for the month of January at no charge. Only live trees (not in bags) free of any tinsel, lights or ornaments will be accepted.



WHITE GOODS

Upon request, LRS will provide collection of major appliances, including but not limited to ovens and refrigerators.

Residents simply need to call LRS and speak to a representative who will setup a date to collect the item and provide a quote for removal. This will be billed separately.



ACCEPTED RECYCLABLES

PAPER

Newspaper & inserts
Computer printouts
Glossy brochures
Stationery
Envelopes
Cardboard boxes
Office paper/notebooks
Greeting cards

Magazines, catalogs & phone books
Hanging file folders (remove metal and trash it)
Index cards
Fax paper
Junk mail

Brown paper grocery bags Pastel sticky notes Manila folders Paperback books

• Recyclable items must be clean.

Chipboard/paperboard

- NO used paper plates or pizza boxes, or fluorescent paper (they contaminate the paper stream with food, dye, or plastic coating). If pizza box top is clean you can tear it off and recycle it.
- NO paper towels, tissues, or napkins, which are not recyclable because the fibers are too small to reuse (please compost them with kitchen food scraps if possible).
- NO shredded paper loose shredded paper causes major sorting problems in the recycling facilities.
- NO frozen food boxes, which are made of a hybrid of paper and plastic, and are not wanted by paper mills.
- NO paper cups, which are also made of a hybrid of paper and plastic rendering them unrecyclable.

PLASTIC CONTAINERS

Plastic bottles, tubs & iugs

- NO plastic bags or plastic film (plastic wraps, sandwich bags, freezer bags, tarps).
- NO plastic utensils or plates (plastic wraps, sandwich bags, freezer bags, tarps, cups, lids or straws).
- NO candy wrappers, cereal bags, potato chip bags or snack bags.
- NO empty motor oil, pesticide or chemical bottles.
- NO Styrofoam, polystyrene (do not put in curbside bin).

ALUMINUM CANS & FOIL

Aluminum cans, foil, pie plates & trays

CARTONS

Milk, soup, and juice cartons & boxes

STEEL TIN / CANS

Food cans & lids, metal paint cans & lids and empty aerosol cans

 NO utensils, propane tanks, wire hangers or small appliances.









GLASS BOTTLES & JARS

All colors are accepted

 NO window or auto glass, bakeware, ceramics, mirrors, light bulbs, coffee pots or drinking glasses.