

## *Disposal of Difficult Wastes, Made Simple*

Computers and television break or become unwanted. So do fluorescent light bulbs, microwave ovens, dehumidifiers, and a number of other items that shouldn't be thrown in the trash. Help protect the county's water resources, and think twice before you toss these items. Finding an environmentally safe disposal option for these and other hard-to-manage items doesn't have to be complicated if you know where to look. One good place to start is [calumetrecycles.com](http://calumetrecycles.com) where lists of recycling options for each of the following items are included.

**Appliances** can often be recycled by a scrap metal recycler. However, there may be a fee for this service. Appliances that contain CFC's and Freon, such as dehumidifiers, air conditioners, and refrigerators, will require special handling to make sure the refrigerants are not released into the atmosphere. Mid-Shores Disposal in New Holstein and Outagamie County Solid Waste Dept. are two outlets for these items.

**Electronics** such as televisions and computers are banned from landfill disposal according to Wisconsin law. Free and low-cost year-round options for recycling these items include Best Buy retail locations. Calumet County also hosts a temporary low-cost option in the spring, typically in conjunction with the hazardous waste Clean Sweep events.

**Fluorescent bulbs** contain mercury, and should be properly disposed for recycling. Most times, disposal of the compact, curly, bulbs is free; there is usually a nominal fee to recycle the tube fluorescent light bulbs. Common outlets are Home Depot, Batteries Plus, and Bulbs Plus stores. Some local True Value and Ace Hardware stores will also accept them.

### **Hazardous wastes from home, farm and business:**

Calumet County hosts a temporary Clean Sweep collection event for hazardous wastes. Collection sites will be offered for hazardous waste disposal for all county residents, farms, and businesses. Specific times and locations will be announced early each year. Check [calumetrecycles.com](http://calumetrecycles.com) website for more details.

**Leftover medications:** Calumet county residents can safely dispose of leftover medications at a permanent drop off box located at the Brillion Police Dept. during normal business hours or by appointment. Also drop off boxes are available at the Appleton Police Dept. or the Calumet County Sheriff's Dept. 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

## General Guidelines

Garbage and recycling shall not be placed curbside prior to 6pm the evening before collection, but shall be out by 4am on the collection day. Garbage & recycling cans need to be removed from the curbside by midnight the day of collection.

## The City of Brillion

## 2020 Garbage and Recycling Schedule



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# City Recycling Services

The City Contracts with **Advanced Disposal** for all garbage and recycling pickup needs. You can contact them at 920-458-6030 or toll free at 1-888-688-4005. **Call Brillion City Center if you need to replace/repair your garbage or recycling barrel - 920-756-2250**

Recyclable materials will be picked up bi-weekly, alternate sides of the City. If you need your trash can replaced or have questions regarding this Garbage and Recycling Collection Schedule, please contact the Brillion City Hall at 756-2250.

If you have yard waste, please discard at the City compost site, conveniently located off USH 10.

## Recycling Guidelines

- Please place all recyclable material loosely into your recycling cart. There is no need to separate paper from glass, aluminum, plastic and tin.
- DO NOT place recyclables in plastic bags. No plastic bags are allowed in your recycling carts. Please recycle these at local stores where acceptable.
- DO NOT place trash in your recycling carts.
- All recyclables must fit inside your cart with the lid closed. For overflow recyclables, you may save them for a future collection date or ask your neighbor if they have extra room in their cart.
- Cardboard boxes should be broken down and possibly cut to fit into the cart loosely.

- Acceptable recyclable items include; cardboard, paper, food boxes, mail, beverage cans, food cans, glass & plastic jars, plastic bottles & caps, glass bottles.

### Large Item Pickup:

Pick up is scheduled for Wednesdays. Make arrangements with City Hall one week prior to pickup.

- Fee is \$25 per item.

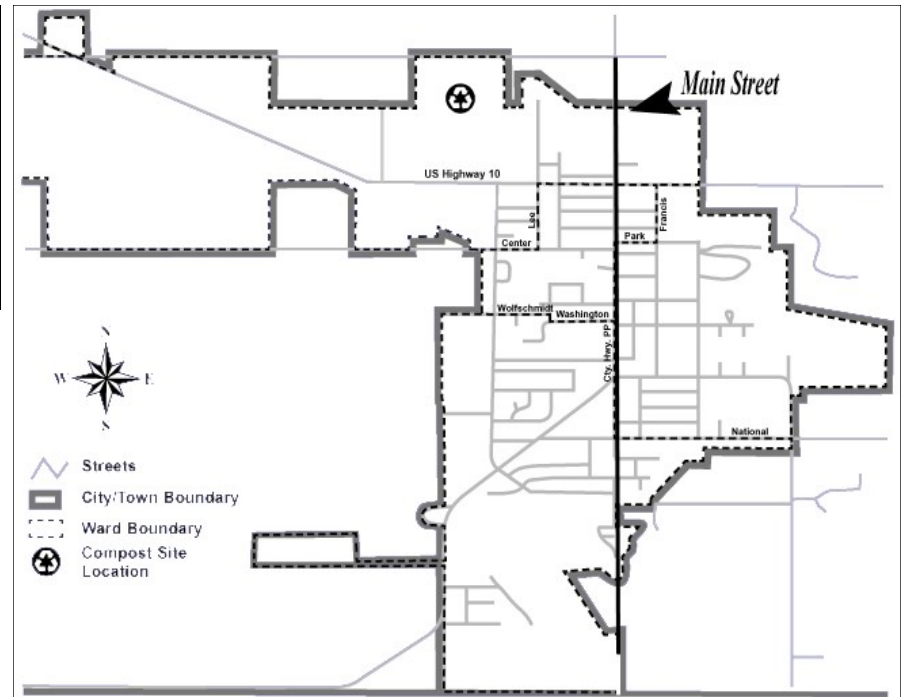
Items containing Freon and Electronics cannot be collected. Items containing Freon can be picked up or taken to a qualified recycling center or agent.

### Batteries/Waste Oil/Concrete/Tires:

Batteries, waste oil, concrete, and tires will not be picked up by Advanced Disposal.

Calumet County residents who change their own oil can recycle used engine oil at various locations in Calumet County. Including the Walmart Tire and Lube Express in Appleton and Chilton.

For options to dispose of these other items, please contact the Wisconsin Dept. of Natural Resources, [dnr.wi.gov](http://dnr.wi.gov) or 608-266-2111.



## 2020 Recycling Schedule

### West of Main Street

January	2, 15, 29
February	12, 26
March	11, 25
April	8, 22
May	6, 20
June	3, 17
July	1, 15, 29
August	12, 29
September	10, 23
October	7, 21
November	4, 18
December	2, 16, 30

### East of Main Street

January	8, 22
February	5, 19
March	4, 18
April	1, 15, 29
May	13, 28
June	10, 24
July	8, 22
August	5, 19
September	2, 16, 30
October	14, 28
November	11, 25
December	9, 23