

EXCAVATING-GRADING
TRUCKING
RECYCLING SERVICES
REFUSE COLLECTION
RUBBISH REMOVAL



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Dear Residents,

The Village of River Forest and Roy Strom Refuse Removal Service entered into a new waste and recycling collection agreement on April 27, 2015. The Village and Roy Strom worked together to enhance the current collection program. Please review below the new enhancements to the program and be sure to review the back of this document which outlines accepted recyclable material.

32 Gallon Recycling Container – All homes that receive back door waste collection service have been given a 32 gallon recycling container at no cost. Please utilize this container in the same manner as your smaller recycling tub. If you no longer need your recycling tub and would like it recycled please take it (during the month of August) to the Roy Strom dumpster placed at Central Avenue west of Village Hall under the rail viaduct. After this time please place a note on the tub “throw away” and it will be collected at your residence for no charge. If you would like to purchase additional recycle containers for \$25.00 please contact Village Hall.

Alley Waste and Recycling Carts – All homes that receive waste and recycling collection in an alley will be provided with a 64 gallon waste and 64 gallon recycling cart. Any extra waste that does not fit inside the cart will need a Universal Solid Waste Tag. If you would like to dispose of your old waste container please place a note on the old container “throw away” and it will be collected at no charge. If you no longer need your recycling tub and would like it recycled please take it (during the month of August) to the Roy Strom dumpster placed at Central Avenue west of Village Hall under the rail viaduct. After this time please place a note on the tub “throw away” and it will be collected for no charge. If you have any questions or issues with the carts please contact Village Hall.

Curbside Compost Collection – For a monthly fee of \$18.00 residents can sign up to receive a 64 gallon wheeled composting cart and a 2 gallon under-sink food waste collection receptacle. This wheeled cart can be used for food waste and yard waste. The collection will take place on Tuesday and will need to be placed at the same location as yard waste. If you have questions about the program or are interested in signing up for service visit: <http://vrf.us/curbside-composting>

Yard Waste Service – Collection dates for yard waste collection are the first Tuesday in April through the first Tuesday in December.

Holiday Landscape Waste Collection – Christmas trees and other holiday compostable decorations will be collected every Tuesday during the month of January. Be sure to remove all lights, ornaments, metal hangers and plastic prior to placing at the curb.

Collection Information – All other information regarding waste and recycling service collection can be found at <https://www.vrf.us/residents/refuse-a-recycling>