

Automated Collection - Refuse and Recycling Carts - Information

In an effort to keep our communities clean and create more efficient collection routes, the City of Mosinee is moving to automated trash and recycle collection using new carts. The lidded cart keeps materials dry and from blowing out on windy days. The carts are also designed to easily roll to the street or road. Further, the automated collection system increases the level of safety for route drivers. Please make sure you are placing your carts out where they were dropped off for delivery.

January 2021



Do I now have a new pick up schedule and when can I start using my carts?

You may have a new service day, please refer to the map provided previously by the City of Mosinee. The map is also available on our City website. Service days are Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. The first day of service will be Wednesday, January 6th 2021. (1) 95-gallon trash cart (blue cart with BLACK lid), (1) 95-gallon recycling cart (blue cart with GREEN lid)

Can I place my recyclables in plastic bags? NO, DO NOT place recyclables in plastic bags or put bags-of-bags in your cart. The City of Mosinee has a recycling box inside City hall for plastic bags.

What should I do if my trash and recycle does not fit in my cart?

Save them for your next collection day, Ask a neighbor if they have extra room in their cart for your trash or recycle, or call Harter's to rent an additional trash or recycle cart for a yearly fee.

Can I take my carts with me if I move? No. Each cart should stay with the property. These carts are the property of Harter's, for cart repair or rental of additional cart; please call (715) 446-5400 or (888)804-8556.

Harters Contact Info: Direct: (715) 446-5400, Toll Free: (888) 804-8556, Fax: (715) 446-5410,

Email: arfoxvalley@harters.net, Web: www.hartersfvd.com

How do I set my cart out on collection day? Place your cart curbside before 6:30 am the day of collection, with the cart's handle facing your house and the lid opening toward the street. All solid waste MUST be bagged. Make sure there is at least four feet between the recycling and trash carts, and any other objects, such as a parked car or mailbox. Note, if your carts were set out late, you must wait until your next scheduled pick-up.

Lid opening toward street

What if there is a snow bank? In the case of snow, if your cart will not fit in your driveway opening, then you will need to clear an opening in the snow bank where the cart can be properly placed. Carts cannot be placed on top of the snow bank or in the road. Improperly placed carts will not be collected.



What if I have items that don't fit in my cart?

Large Household items will be collected on every other week at the expense of the resident. Pricing for these large household items are as follows Furniture (i.e. couch, table, dresser, bed frame, mattress, box spring, bike, push mower(no gas/oil), toilet, sink), Electronics (i.e.... stereo, printer, monitor, CPU tower) or Non-Freon Appliances (i.e. stove, microwave, washer, dryer, compactor, dishwasher, humidifier, water heater, water conditioner) will be \$40.00 per item and Freon Appliances (i.e. refrigerator, dehumidifier, freezer) and TV's will be \$60.00 per item. Residents are to call Harter's at (715) 446-5400 or (888)804-8556 to schedule their large item pick up, payment is required before pick-up. The cut off will be 2:00 p.m. the day prior to pick-up day.

How do Holiday's affect my pick-up?

Holiday collection will be delayed one day, if the Holiday is on a weekday before your pick up day. Holidays are New Year's Day, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving and Christmas Day.



STREET PARKING RESTRICTED

Parking is not allowed between the hours of 2:00a.m. and 6:00a.m. on any street or highway from November 1 to April 1 in the City of Mosinee. For more information, please contact the Mosinee Police Department – 715-693-2000

NOTICE - DOG/CAT OWNERS

Dogs and Cats are required to be licensed by March 31st, 2021. The license period runs from January 1st, 2021 to December 31st, 2021. State law requires that all dogs must be licensed <u>yearly</u> AND City ordinances require cats to be licensed yearly. Before a license can be issued, you must furnish a rabies vaccination certificate to show proof of vaccination against rabies.

Christmas Tree & Brush Pickup

The Mosinee Public Works Department will pick up Christmas trees and brush the week of January 11th - weather permitting. Please have your tree or brush placed near the curb or in the alley. Plastic bags, stands, wire, etc. must be removed from the trees. Trees that have plastic bags, stands or wire on or are buried in snow will NOT be picked up. If you have any questions please call the Mosinee Public Works Dept. at 715-693-3840 or email to: publicworks@mosinee.wi.us





Recycle Christmas Lights

Habitat for Humanity of Wausau is collecting Christmas lights. Every year tons of light strings are thrown away and end up in landfills across the country. Habitat for Humanities collects all kinds of light strings – old or new, working or not. Worn out extension cords are also collected. Habitat for Humanities recycles the copper and plastic from the strings and uses the proceeds to assist low-income families in our community. A drop box is available at City Hall – 225 Main Street. For more information please call City Hall – 225 Main Street or HFH at 715-848-5042.