

2016 City of Richland Center Brush & Yard Waste Collection

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-  Large Item Pickup dates - April 9th and October 8th
-  Christmas tree pickup (Mondays in January)
-  Street sweeping
-  Yard waste (April-September)/Leaf pickup (October-mid November)
-  City offices and departments closed

NOTE: **Alternate side-street parking November thru March (see reverse for details)

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INFORMATION FOR CITY RESIDENTS

Free Large Item Collection Dates

Town & Country Sanitation will have two large item pickup days for items that are not regular weekly household garbage. These curbside pickups will take place on Saturday, April 9th, 2016 and Saturday, October 8th, 2016. Please have your items on the curb by 6:00 a.m.

Large Item Collection items include:

- Couches, chairs, tables, carpeting, etc.

Items **NOT** included:

- Lumber, construction materials, brush, appliances* (see below), microwaves, televisions, air conditioners or any computer equipment.

*APPLIANCES: Town & Country Sanitation will be placing dumpsters at the Richland Center Landfill for appliances. Those items can be taken to the landfill for disposal during regular landfill hours from April 9th - April 13th and again October 8th - October 12th.

During those dates there will be no charge to dispose of regular appliances. However, there is a fee for microwaves, televisions, air conditioners and computer equipment.

Please be aware that large items are NOT to be placed at the curb at any other time of the year unless you have purchased a large item tag from the Clerk's office.

To dispose of these items at times other than the scheduled pickup dates, or through the tag system, you may take them to the Richland Center Landfill on County AA. Contact the landfill for fee information.

Landfill Hours: Mondays & Wednesdays 8:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Saturdays 8:00 AM - Noon

Phone: 608-647-8496

LARGE ITEM TAG SYSTEM

In 2014 the City implemented a tagging system for residents to use for the removal of large items at any time during the year. Residents must come to the City Clerk's office and purchase a tag to be placed on the item they wish to have hauled away. **(PLEASE NOTE: Items without tags will be subject to significant fines.)** Contact the City Clerk for more information.

LANDFILL FEE CHANGES

Note to all City Residents - Effective January 1, 2015 the minimum fee for landfill usage is \$10 and the tonnage rate is \$105 per ton.

Christmas trees will be picked up on Mondays in January. Place trees at the curb the night before the pickup date.

Yard Waste/Leaf Pickup

(Leaves, branches, brush and garden waste)

YARD WASTE: Collected Monday - Wednesdays from April through September.

Yard waste will not be collected in plastic bags. It must be placed in biodegradable bags or left in open containers and placed on top of the curb (not in the gutter) by 7:00 a.m. the Monday of the collection dates. **NOTE: Only ONE trip will be made through the City during the Mon-Wed pickup so if they have already been in your neighborhood they will not return until the next month.**

If yard waste is left in a container, the contents will be dumped into the truck and the container will be left at the curb. Biodegradable bags can be purchased in the City Clerk's office located at 450 S Main Street between the hours of 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Monday - Friday for 75¢ per bag.

If you miss the pickup, you can take your yard waste to the landfill compost area anytime (see Organic/Yard Waste Recycling Site information below).

LEAF PICKUP: From approximately mid-October to mid-November the City will have the leaf vacuum out and leaves will be vacuumed from the streets daily in different sections of town. (Please be aware that the entire City cannot be covered in just one day and each section of town will be gone through more than once, just not on the same day or week. If the truck has already gone by it will be back after it has completed the other sections of the City.)

NOTE: During fall leaf collection...rake leaves into the gutter where they can be vacuumed and be sure there are no sticks in the leaves as this will cause problems with the vacuum. Also, do not park on or directly in front of or behind your leaves or the vacuum will not be able to access them to pick them up.

Additional Note: If there is a lot of moisture in the leaves due to rain or other causes, other equipment has to be used to pick up the leaves because wet/frozen leaves will clog and damage the vacuum.

Organic/Yard Waste Recycling Site

The City's organic/yard waste recycling site is located off County AA along the right side of the road leading up to the landfill (before you get to the landfill gate). This area may be accessed at any time. City residents may dispose of brush, leaves, yard and garden organic waste only. Containers must be emptied and taken away, unless using biodegradable bags.

NO plastic bags, construction materials, concrete, rock, metal or household waste is allowed in this area!

**ALTERNATE SIDE PARKING - NOVEMBER 1ST THRU MARCH 31ST

Regardless of snow, alternate side street parking is in effect each day midnight-7 a.m. Park on the odd side of the street on odd days and park on the even side of the street on even days.