



## Rubbish Rules and Regulations for Lorain 2021

### What to put in the Trash Container:

All household generated garbage that will fit in the container with the lid closed. All household garbage must be bagged when placed in the container. **Be sure the lids are closed on the containers when placing at the curb.** Please be sure the metal bar on the container is facing the street. ***Container must be at the curb the evening before your pickup day or by 6:00 am on your pickup day. If you do not have your container out on time and you are missed we will not send the driver back, you will need to wait until the following week and will not be able to place extra trash out.***

### What not to put in the Trash Container:

Hazardous waste, paint, chemicals, motor oil, liquids, dead animals, hot ashes, car parts, tires or car batteries.

### Recycling rules and Regulations:

- Recyclable material should be placed loosely into the recycle container. Please rinse out any and all containers before placing in the recycling container. **Do not put recycles in a bag.**

#### **Acceptable materials:**

- Entire newspaper including inserts
- Aluminum, Steel and bi-metal cans, food and beverage cans only
- Glass: Bottles and Jars , food and beverage bottles only
- Plastics: Food and beverage containers marked #1 thru #7
- Plastic Detergent and soap containers: containers marked #1 thru #7
- Miscellaneous paper: Magazines, junk mail, cardboard and paperboard (cereal and clean pizza boxes)
- All kinds of cartons: Milk, Juice, etc...

#### **Non-Recyclable Material:**

- Containers with excessive food or liquids still in the container
- Containers that contained hazardous materials such as oil, pesticides, herbicides or anti-freeze
- Styrofoam, aluminum foil, pie tins, etc...
- Window glass, mirrors, drinking glasses, light bulbs, ceramics, china, etc...
- Plastic bags, plastic wrap, flower pots, toys etc...
- Scrap metal, car parts, batteries etc...
- Do not put any **Yard Waste** in recycle container

### Yard Waste Regulations:

Grass clippings and other yard waste should be placed in brown paper bio-degradable bags or loose in 32gallon plastic cans clearly marked with "yard waste" or "YW" and not to exceed 40lbs. **Small branches must be cut and bundled not to exceed 4ft in length or 40 lbs.** Plastic bags, dirt, stone or branches larger than 6 inches in diameter will not be collected with yard waste. **THERE IS NO LIMIT TO THE NUMBER OF YARD WASTE BAGS OR CONTAINERS YOU MAY PLACE OUT EACH WEEK.** Yard waste will be collected the week of April 12, 2021 thru November 30, 2021 on your normal collection day.

**PLEASE NOTE OUR DRIVERS WILL NOT BE SENT BACK TO A RESIDENCE FOR YARD WASTE THAT WAS NOT PLACED AT THE CURB PROPERLY.**

**Bulk Regulations: BULK PICK UP IS THE 2<sup>ND</sup> FULL WEEK OF EVERY MONTH ON YOUR COLLECTION DAY**

Consider bulk as items that cannot be broken down and placed into Trash or Recycling containers IE: Household Furniture, Washer/Dryers, TV's, tables, swing sets, mattress/box springs, chairs etc...

- Appliances: Refrigerators and freezers, DOORS REMOVED – **FREON REMOVED and tagged by certified technician**
- Any other Freon bearing appliance: **Freon must be removed and tagged by certified technician**
- Carpet and wood should be cut to 4ft lengths, no more than 40lbs and be rolled and tied/bundled together, all nails or screws must be removed or hammered down
- **Boxes should be broken down, no longer than 4ft in length, weigh no more than 40lbs and must be tied/bundled, do not put items in boxes and place at the curb.**
- Please ensure to completely wrap any mattress or box springs in plastic
- **Up to 6 large items may be placed at the curbside for bulk collections**
- **Up to 6 35 gal bags of trash, each bag cannot weigh more than 40 lbs.**
- **NO ADDITIONAL CONTAINERS OR BOXES OF TRASH MAY BE PLACED OUT**
- **ABSOLUTELY NO MOVE OUT / CLEAN OUT PILES**
- Christmas trees will be picked up the 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> week of January on your normal collection day. Trees must be free of ornaments, tinsel and not enclosed in a bag. Trees larger than 4 ft must be cut in half.

Please have all items to the curb no later than 6:00am on your service day

**PLEASE NOTE OUR DRIVERS WILL NOT BE SENT BACK TO A RESIDENCE FOR BULK THAT WAS NOT PLACED AT THE CURB PROPERLY.**

**(FIND THE 2<sup>ND</sup> MONDAY ON THE CALENDAR AND GO TO YOUR PICK-UP DAY OF THAT WEEK)**

WEEK OF:

January 11, 2021 **on regular service day**  
February 8, 2021 **on regular service day**  
March 8, 2021 **on regular service day**  
April 12, 2021 **on regular service day**  
May 10, 2021 **on regular service day**  
June 14, 2021 **on regular service day**

July 12, 2021 **on regular service day**  
August 9, 2021 **on regular service day**  
September 13, 2021 **on regular service day**  
October 11, 2021 **on regular service day**  
November 8, 2021 **on regular service day**  
December 13, 2021 **on regular service day**

Republic Services Holiday Schedule:

Services will be delayed by a day if your service day falls on or after the holiday.

New Year Day	Friday January 1, 2021
Memorial Day	Monday May 31, 2021
Independence Day	Sunday July 4, 2021 <b>Republic closed Monday July 5, 2021</b>
Labor Day	Monday September 6, 2021
Thanksgiving Day	Thursday November 25, 2021
Christmas Day	Saturday December 25, 2021 <b>will not affect any residential customers</b>