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City of Walcott Recycling Calendar

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REFUSE & RECYCLING INFORMATION

Garbage Collection: Set your garbage cart at the curb on Monday mornings. Set the recycling cart at the curb every other Monday morning according to the schedule. Your carts should be at the curb by 7 a.m. Allied Waste Service recognizes six major holidays: New Year's Day, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving, and Christmas. Garbage collection will run one day late if one of these holidays falls on a Monday.

Appliances & Electronic Items: Set by curb. Call City Hall @ 284-6571 x10 for pickup. There is a small charge for disposal.

Bulky Waste: Such as couches, small pieces of carpet, etc. Set out on normal garbage day and call City Hall, Public Works Extension 11.

Tires: Residents are responsible for taking tires to the Scott County Area Landfill.

Construction/Demolition materials: These materials must be disposed of in a dumpster rented from a private garbage hauler or taken to the Scott County Area Landfill. Contact the Public Works Dept. for further information.

Compost Area: This area is located at the west end of Cedar Lane Drive and is open seasonally. Only residents of Walcott may use this area. Acceptable items: leaves, brush, trees, limbs, grass, and garden vegetation. Unacceptable: apples, construction materials, household garbage, clothing, furniture, cardboard, concrete, tires, appliances, fencing materials, etc. Do not leave grass or leaves in bags.

Christmas Trees: Live Christmas trees will be picked up on regular garbage days following the holidays. Watch for notices from City Hall.

Leaves: The city offers curbside pickup for leaves in the fall or you may take them to the compost area. Please contact City Hall for days and dates.

Motor oil and automobile batteries: May bring to the City Public Works Building for recycling.

Open Burning is not permitted in Walcott. Recreational fires burning clean wood only are allowed in fire pits.

RECYCLING:

All recyclables must be placed in the recycling cart supplied by Allied Waste. No sorting is necessary. Place cart at curb every other Monday morning according to the schedule.

Paper Products: Acceptable-Newspaper, magazines, catalogs, corrugated cardboard, cereal boxes, shoeboxes, envelopes, junk mail, paper bags, pop/beer cartons, telephone books. **Unacceptable** – disposable diapers, tube rolls, photographs, greeting cards, dirty pizza boxes, cereal box liners, pet food bags, slick food boxes, coated paper milk and juice cartons, plastic egg cartons, tissue paper, wrapping paper.

Plastic Containers (no lids): On the bottoms of plastic containers you will see a recycling logo with a number inside and letters below. Only plastics labeled 1 - 7 will be accepted. Rinse containers and throw away lids. Labels may be left on. Plastics may be crushed to make more room in the bin. **Unacceptable** - automotive fluid bottles, pesticide containers, plastic bags, prescription pill bottles, Styrofoam.

Glass bottles and jars: Rinsed glass food or beverage containers can be recycled. Labels can be left on. **Unacceptable** - mirrors, window glass, drinking glasses, crystal, Pyrex Ovenware, ceramic, light bulbs, flower pots.

Clean Metal: Acceptable – Rinsed tin/steel food containers, aluminum foil, pie pans, trays, cans, metal jar lids, aluminum window frames, metal chairs. **Unacceptable** – Paint & aerosol containers, pesticide & chemical containers, iron, steel, batteries, car parts, oil filters.

Questions may be directed to the Public Works Dept. at 563.284.6571 x11.