

Spring Cleanup Day

May 20, 2023 | 7 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Otter Lake Elementary School
1401 County Road H2

Acceptable Items

Appliances, automotive batteries, tires, mattresses, furniture, carpeting, household fixtures, TVs, electronics, lawn mowers (all fluid must be drained), building materials, limbs and brush. Paper shredding will be available.

Ramsey County Hazardous Waste Event

May 13, 2023 | 9 a.m. – 3 p.m.

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Household Hazardous Waste Accepted

Antifreeze, batteries (vehicle and rechargeable), fluorescent lamps, mercury items (thermostats, CFLs, thermometers), old gasoline, paint, paint stripper, thinner, old cell phones, pesticides, rat or mouse poison, aerosol spray cans, used motor oil, filters, wood preservatives, stains, weed killer solvents and propane tanks.

Ramsey County Disposal Hotline

For more questions on how to dispose of items, including free year-round hazardous waste and yard waste sites, please call **651.633.EASY (3279)**, answered 24/7, or visit **RamseyRecycles.com**.

Ramsey County Yard Waste Site

5900 Sherwood Road
White Bear Township

Questions?

Contact Republic Services at **320.252.9608**, Monday – Friday, 7:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.



Republic Services
8661 Rendova Street NE
Circle Pines, MN 55014



White Bear Township

2023 Recycling & Waste Service Guide



Sustainability in Action



2023 MONTHLY SERVICE RATES

32-gallon	1 container of your own	\$29.22
	Republic Services cart	\$28.51
68-gallon	2 containers of your own	\$32.59
	Republic Services cart	\$31.88
95-gallon	3 containers of your own	\$37.63
	Republic Services cart	\$36.92
Unlimited service	Containers of your own	\$44.36
	Republic Services cart	\$43.65
Senior rate (65+ years old, 68-gallon only)	2 containers of your own	\$27.09
	Republic Services cart	\$27.09
Townhome rates	32-gallon	\$27.10
	68-gallon	\$30.47
	95-gallon	\$35.51

Service Rates

- ▶ All county and state taxes and fees are included in the above rates.
- ▶ Bills not paid within 30 days will be charged a \$5 late fee.
- ▶ Bills not paid within 90 days will be turned over to the Township to be added to your property taxes.
- ▶ Recycling and yard waste services are itemized on your invoice because they are not subject to state or county fees.

Charges

- ▶ You may be charged for extra household waste. The rate is **\$3.55 per extra bag**. To avoid this charge, make sure your weekly service level is large enough for your home, and put everything in your cart.
- ▶ Larger piles of construction debris or brush are priced at **\$43.78 per cubic yard**.

Services Included in Your Monthly Service Rate

- ▶ Every-other-week recycling pickup
- ▶ Weekly waste pickup
- ▶ Weekly yard waste pickup from April 15, 2023, through November 30, 2023 (weather permitting)
- ▶ Appliance, electronic and bulk item pickups (3 per year)
- ▶ Spring cleanup drop-off day is set for May 20, 2023
- ▶ Christmas tree pickup (first 2 full weeks in January)

Yard Waste Services

- ▶ Republic Services will pick up your yard waste from April 15, 2023, through November 30, 2023 (weather permitting). Leave it bagged at the curb on your recycling and waste day. It must be in compostable bags.
- ▶ Yard waste in standard plastic bags is prohibited by state law.
- ▶ **Accepted:** leaves, grass clippings, garden debris and bundled brush (no branch can be larger than 3 inches in diameter or longer than 5 feet; bundles cannot be larger than 20 inches in diameter.) Yard waste must be separated from other recycling and waste.
- ▶ **Not accepted:** fruit, hay, straw, cornstalks, ashes, sod, oversized brush and branches, dead animals, animal waste, lake weeds, lumber, dirt and rocks.

Bulk Item and Appliance Pickup

- ▶ Call Republic Services to arrange a pickup. Residents receive 3 free appliance, electronic or bulk item pickups annually.
- ▶ Bulk items include the following: mattresses or box springs, furniture*, carpeting (rolls no larger than 4' long x 18" in diameter), small household fixtures*, small push lawn mowers (all fluids must be drained) and limited building materials (bags or bundles less than 30 lbs.)

Do not include sharp objects, needles or packages that contain hazardous waste (such as motor oil), fuel tanks or propane cylinders, plastic bags, cords, rope or holiday lights. When in doubt, throw it out.

* Size and weight limits apply.

Recycling Is Picked Up Every Other Week

Place all recyclables loose in the same cart; no sorting required! Ensure your recyclables are empty, clean and dry before placing them in your recycling cart.

PAPER

- ▶ Mail, office and school papers, phone books
- ▶ Magazines, newspaper and inserts
- ▶ Pop and beer boxes, cereal, cracker, shoe and gift boxes
- ▶ Toothpaste, medication and other toiletry boxes
- ▶ Paper towel and toilet paper tubes and all cardboard
- ▶ No napkins, paper plates, paper cups, tissue, wrapping paper or polystyrene foam

CARTONS

- ▶ Milk cartons and juice boxes
- ▶ Soup, broth and wine cartons
- ▶ No paper or polystyrene foam egg cartons

GLASS

- ▶ Bottles and jars
- ▶ No window glass or mirrors, ceramics, pottery, drinking glasses or cookware

METAL

- ▶ Food and beverage cans, small scrap metal
- ▶ Decorative tins and pie tins
- ▶ No paint cans or containers that held hazardous substances, such as paint thinner and automotive fluids, aerosol cans, aluminum trays and foil

PLASTICS

- ▶ Rinse and leave caps on plastic containers
- ▶ Bottles and jugs (water, soda and juice bottles, milk and juice jugs, ketchup and salad dressing bottles, dishwashing liquids and detergent jugs, shampoo, soap and lotion bottles)
- ▶ Containers (yogurt, pudding and fruit cups, margarine, cottage cheese and other containers, transparent "to-go" containers, berry and other plastic produce containers)

No plastic bags, film, motor oil or antifreeze bottles