

REFUSE/RECYCLING POLICIES & EXCESSIVE REFUSE FEES

GARBAGE Pickup Is On Tuesdays.

Place At Curbside Prior To 7AM In Bags Or Covered Container.

RECYCLE CENTER HOURS-OPEN Wednesday 4-6PM & Saturday 8AM-NOON.

THERE IS NO CURBSIDE PICKUP OF LEAVES/BRUSH/GRASS.

Village Residents And Businesses Must Take To The Compost Center.

NOTICE: Please Do Not Dump Any Cooking Grease/Oil Down Your Drains. Please Place In A Suitable Container & Dispose Of With Your Curbside Garbage On Tuesdays.

The Valders Municipal Code of Ordinances relating to refuse is as follows:

10.08(7) GARBAGE RECEPTACLES AND COLLECTION REQUIREMENTS. Garbage receptacles shall if feasible; be kept in garages or accessory buildings. Garbage receptacles when stored outside shall be kept in a leak proof container with a tight-fitting cover and stored in an unobtrusive area. Garbage shall be placed curbside for pickup no earlier than 3AM on collection day, unless it is in such a container as described herein, than it may be placed curbside the night before.

Due to reoccurring issues where individuals are placing excessive amounts of cans, bags, or piles of refuse and/or recyclable items curbside or bringing entire truck loads to put in the dumpsters at the recycle center; it has been determined by the Valders Village Board that a policy and fee schedule over and above our ordinance needs to be established as it relates to refuse. The cost of disposing of a ton of garbage over the past 10 years has increased 40 percent.

- All refuse placed curbside must be placed in a can or bag, limited to (2) 40-gallon trash cans or the equivalent of (6) 13-gallon bags. Garbage receptacles over 40 gallons are not allowed due to weight to prevent injury, as our refuse is picked up by staff, not a machine. Receptacles must be in good condition, cracked, defective or on the verge of falling apart, will not be emptied.
- The \$20 minimum fee may be more at the discretion of the Director of Public Works or Recycle Attendant dependent upon estimated weight or number of items.
- If you have a one time (not a regular occurrence), disposal of a mattress/box spring or a single piece of furniture, please call the Village Office (920-775-4522) to get pre-approval for the item to be picked up curbside and your disposal fee(s). If any furniture is in a reasonably good condition, it should be taken to a retail thrift facility.
- Construction, demolition, or property cleanout you need to utilize a dumpster for disposal it may not be placed curbside. You may rent a (2) yard dumpster from the Village(fees based on contents/weight) or for larger projects you would need to rent from a private disposal service.
- Excess refuse placed curbside, or a truckload taken to the recycle center shall be billed to the property at a minimum of \$20 or collected by recycle center attendant.
- If recyclables are found to be placed curbside, they shall be left at the residence. If not taken to the center by the respective property owner within one week, the items shall be taken to the center by village staff and a minimum fee of \$20 shall be invoiced to the property owner and if not paid by November of each year shall be placed on the tax roll as a special charge on the respective parcel.