

## SPECIAL SPRING LIMITED REFUSE CLEAN-UP DAY

FRIDAY, May 15, 2015

Items must be placed at the curb prior to 6:00 a.m.

This service is for City residents and residential waste only.

Items must be placed in containers, bagged, bundled or boxed for collection (when possible). Carpet should be bundled with tape in 4-foot rolls. No loose items, please. No items or containers weighing over 50 pounds will be accepted.

**The following items will not be picked up:** Tires, large car parts or batteries; construction/demolition material or railroad ties; brush or limbs over 3" in diameter or 4' in length, stumps; sod, rocks, bricks, dirt or concrete; poisons; any liquids; paint or paint solvents; flammables; oil; anti-freeze; pesticides; herbicides; explosives; items not properly stacked into 4' lengths, bundled and or bagged. Appliances containing Freon can be scheduled for pick-up for an additional charge of \$35.00 per appliance by calling 1-800-796-9696 the week prior to the clean-up.

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**April 1 to November 30**

**Waste Management will collect compost and yard waste on Fridays.**

**The City DPW crews will collect stacked brush as detailed below by request.**

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**BRUSH PICK UP:** Waste Management collects bundled limbs, branches and brush each Friday. Limbs that are less than 4 inches in diameter and less than 4 foot long should be bundled for collection.

If you are unable to bundle your brush or you have limbs that exceed 4 inches in diameter please contact the City Office to schedule a pick-up. Pickup is limited to tree and brush trimmings; finished or machined lumber or lumber by-products will NOT be collected. City crews will chip the brush for reuse as planting and landscape mulch; so please make sure foreign objects are not left with brush piles.

**YARD WASTE:** Should be placed in 20 to 32 gallon cans with a yard waste sticker attached or placed into a paper yard waste bag. The can or bag should not be heavier than 50 pounds.

## WASHTENAW COUNTY'S HOME TOXICS REDUCTION PROGRAM

Safely dispose of your household hazardous waste at their permanent drop-off site at 705 North Zeeb Road. They are open the first three Saturdays of each month (excluding holiday weekends) from April through November.

**Acceptable Items:** Aerosols (except empty cans; asphalt and roofing tar; cleaners and polishes; fertilizers; flammables (gasoline, starting fluids); fluorescent lights; home repair products (glues, caulking); household batteries; mercury; oil based paints (not latex); paint thinners, solvents and varnishes; pesticides and weed killers; and wood preservatives.

**Unacceptable Items:** Antifreeze; asbestos; business waste; car batteries; empty containers; explosives and ammunition; latex paint\*; medication; radioactive material (smoke detectors); transmission or brake fluid; and used motor oil. Products will not be accepted in milk jug containers because the plastic punctures easily. All containers brought to the collection must be left at the collection, including gasoline cans.

\*Latex paints can be dried out with cat litter or sawdust and disposed of in the garbage.

**For more information, call their 24-hour information line at (734) 222-3950 or check the Recycling, Home Toxics and Solid Waste page at [www.ewashtenaw.org](http://www.ewashtenaw.org).**