



# City of Long Lake 2023 Residential Curbside Recycling Schedule

<b>January</b> Tuesdays 3, 17 & 31
<b>February</b> Tuesdays 14 & 28
<b>March</b> Tuesdays 14 & 28
<b>April</b> Tuesdays 11 & 25
<b>May</b> Tuesdays 9 & 23
<b>June</b> Tuesdays 6 & 20
<b>July</b> Wednesday 5 & Tuesday 18
<b>August</b> Tuesdays 1, 15 & 29
<b>September</b> Tuesdays 12 & 26
<b>October</b> Tuesdays 10 & 24
<b>November</b> Tuesdays 7 & 21
<b>December</b> Tuesdays 5 & 19

Long Lake recycles every other **TUESDAY** except during *holiday* weeks, as applicable. **Mark your calendars and roll carts out to the end of your driveway, lid opening toward the street and handle toward the house, by 7:00 am** on days noted below. PLEASE BE SURE TO LEAVE 2' TO 3' OF SPACE BETWEEN GARBAGE AND RECYCLING CARTS TO ALLOW FOR LOADING/ UNLOADING OF CARTS BY RECYCLING TRUCK EQUIPMENT. Single sort recycling carts and extra carts are available by calling Long Lake City Hall at 952.473.6961 x1. If the standard 64-gallon cart is insufficient, Waste Management provides additional carts at no additional charge by request.

### **MISSED PICKUPS:**

Call Waste Management / 1.800.777.8408 (reference Long Lake)

**Recycling Information:** Online at [www.longlakemn.gov](http://www.longlakemn.gov), call 952.473.6961 x1 (Long Lake City Hall) or e-mail [jmoeller@longlakemn.gov](mailto:jmoeller@longlakemn.gov)

### **SINGLE SORT RECYCLING—ALL ITEMS TOGETHER IN ONE CART, NO SORTING REQUIRED**

#### **WHAT TO INCLUDE:**

- Aluminum, tin and metal cans
- Glass bottles and jars, including pickle jars and jelly jars
- Mixed plastics recycling—plastic bottles, containers, lids, and tubs (#1, #2 and #5)
- Newspapers and inserts
- Mail, office and school papers
- Magazines and catalogs
- Brown grocery bags
- Phone books
- Shredded paper IN STAPLED CLOSED PAPER BAGS
- Cardboard boxes—remember, flattening your cardboard saves space!
- Cereal, cracker, pasta, and cake mix boxes
- Shoe boxes, gift boxes, and electronic boxes
- Food and beverage cartons



**HOW TO PREPARE:** Leave caps on - rinse cans, bottles and jars. No need to remove labels. *NO PLASTIC BAGS, FOAM CUPS OR CONTAINERS, NO SHARPS AND MEDICAL WASTE, AND NO FOOD WASTE.*

**CARDBOARD:** Remember, flattening your cardboard and paperboard saves space and energy! Extra cardboard boxes can be flattened, tied into bundles no more than 3' wide by 1' tall, then placed next to your single sort recycling cart.

## **Hennepin County Environmental Services**

24-Hour Recycling Hotline: 612.348.6500 / Hazardous Wastes & Recycling: 612.348.3777

Hennepin County Online: [www.hennepin.us](http://www.hennepin.us)

(Under Residents tab, click on Environment, then select "Recycling and hazardous waste" from menu at left.)

### **HENNEPIN COUNTY RECYCLING CENTER & TRANSFER STATION**

**8100 Jefferson Highway, Brooklyn Park, MN / Phone: 612.348.3777**

Problem materials such as automotive wastes, household hazardous wastes, and electronics are all accepted from households only. While many items are accepted at no charge, some limited charges may apply. Garbage or trash, tires and appliances self-hauled from a residential household will also be accepted for a fee. For complete information, please call the phone number above or visit Hennepin County's Environmental Services website - <http://www.hennepin.us/residents/recycling-hazardous-waste/drop-off-facilities>.

### **HENNEPIN COUNTY GREEN DISPOSAL GUIDE**

Hennepin County offers an online "Green Disposal Guide" to help residents find information on the best way to recycle, reuse or dispose of items in your homes — <http://www.hennepin.us/green-disposal-guide>.

Businesses, recycling information is available online at <https://www.hennepin.us/businessrecycling>.

## What can I recycle?

From glass and metal to plastics, cartons and paper, you can recycle a wide variety of materials. The following is a list of materials that are accepted in all communities in Hennepin County. Some cities or haulers may accept more materials than what is on this list. Contact for your city recycling coordinator or hauler for information for your specific program. Find city recycling contacts at [www.hennepin.us/recycling](http://www.hennepin.us/recycling).

### Paper

- Mail, office and school papers
- Magazines and catalogs
- Newspapers and inserts
- Phone books



### Boxes:

- Cardboard
- Cereal and cracker boxes
- Shoe boxes, gift boxes and electronics boxes
- Toothpaste, medication and other toiletry boxes



### Cartons

- Milk cartons
- Juice boxes
- Soup, broth and wine cartons

### Glass

- Food and beverage bottles and jars



### Plastic

#### Bottles and jugs:

- Water, soda and juice bottles
- Milk and juice jugs
- Ketchup and salad dressing bottles
- Dishwashing liquid bottles and detergent jugs
- Shampoo, soap and lotion bottles



#### Cups and containers:

- Yogurt, pudding and fruit cups
- Disposable cups and bowls
- Margarine, cottage cheese, and other containers
- Produce, deli and takeout containers

#### Packaging:

- Clear packaging from toys and electronics

### Metal

- Food and beverage cans



## Tips for recycling at home

### Collect recycling throughout your home

People are generally pretty good at collecting the recycling they generate in the kitchen but often overlook recycling generated in other areas of the home.

Remember to recycle items from:

- The bathroom, including shampoo, soap and lotion bottles and boxes from toothpaste, medications and other toiletries.
- The laundry room, including laundry detergent jugs and boxes from dryer sheets.
- The office, including office paper, mail, newspapers and magazines.

### Recycle more materials

People may also be unaware that more materials are now accepted for recycling. Materials that have been added to recycling programs recently include:

- Cartons, including milk, juice, soup or broth cartons as well as juice boxes.
- Plastic cups and containers such as yogurt cups or sour cream tubs.
- Plastic produce and deli containers or take-out containers.
- Plastic packaging from electronics and toys.

**Don't recycle:** Styrofoam™, plastic wrap, microwaveable food trays, paper soiled with food, paper plates and towels, drinking glasses, dishes, mirrors and containers that held hazardous products.