

# RECYCLING IN SHOREWOOD

*Please only use Shorewood blue recycling bins or recycling karts!*



## CURBSIDE RECYCLING

Recyclable materials are collected every other week at the curb by Waste Management, Inc. under contract with the Village of Shorewood. Materials are collected on the same day as the regular refuse collection.

The Village is divided into two collection routes – **please refer to the schedule on the reverse side for the collection schedule in your area.** Please note: major holidays that fall on a Sunday, Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday will delay refuse and recycling collection by one day.

**Under the Village's current contract with Waste Management, half of the proceeds from the sale of recyclable materials collected curbside are returned to the Village!** This rebate does not apply to materials collected at the DPW recycling center. When possible, please recycle at home. Recycling karts and/or additional bins are available for purchase at the DPW office.

### What To Recycle:

- Aluminum and steel cans
- Glass containers – household food jars and bottles only (labels do not need to be removed). Different colors of glass can be co-mingled.
- Household plastic containers coded #1-7 (labels do not need to be removed).
- Paper and cardboard including office paper, junk mail, catalogs, newspapers

and inserts, phone books, file folders, magazines, food boxes (e.g., cereal, cookie, soda, cake and cracker boxes). Flatten and bundle or bag any papers or cardboard. Large amounts of corrugated cardboard and broken-down boxes need to be taken to the DPW recycling center.

### What NOT To Recycle:

- NO aluminum foil, pie plates, food tins and scrap aluminum
- NO ceramics, dishes or drinking glasses – NO window glass or sheet glass
- NO motor oil bottles, blue PVC water bottles or plastic bags
- NO wax- or plastic-coated boxes
- NO paint cans or aerosol cans
- NO hangers

## ELECTRONICS EQUIPMENT RECYCLING

Electronic waste was banned from Wisconsin landfills in 2010 and Shorewood can no longer collect or accept electronic devices/equipment for disposal.

However, through a special arrangement with Midwest Computer Recyclers, Shorewood residents **can recycle electronics at the DPW on Saturday, May 4 and Saturday, October 5, 2013 from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m.** For information on accepted electronics and other electronic recycling options, visit [villageofshorewood.org/dpw](http://villageofshorewood.org/dpw). A \$25 fee is charged for television sets.

## OTHER RECYCLED MATERIALS

### To Be Dropped Off at the Shorewood Recycling Center, 3801 N. Morris Blvd.

Other items are also accepted for recycling during Saturday compactor hours from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. on the first and third Saturday of month from April to November and the first Saturday of December, January, February and March. **Special charges may apply.**

- Used motor oil (must be free of contaminants such as antifreeze and gasoline)
- Antifreeze (must be free of contaminants)
- Scrap metal
- Tires \$4 each
- **New for our residents!** Shorewood will now accept your appliances (refrigerators, freezers, air conditioners, etc.) during Saturday hours at NO CHARGE. Free curbside collection is also available by calling Refrigerant Depot at 414.627.1152.

## HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE

Many items that cannot be accepted for recycling by the Village of Shorewood CAN be collected via either mobile collections or year-round facilities managed by the Milwaukee Metropolitan Sewerage District (MMSD). Visit [mmsd.com](http://mmsd.com) or call 414.225.2066 for locations, hours and materials.



## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS RECYCLING CENTER

3801 N. Morris Blvd. • Shorewood, Wis. • 414.847.2650  
[villageofshorewood.org](http://villageofshorewood.org) • e-mail [dpw@villageofshorewood.org](mailto:dpw@villageofshorewood.org)

**OFFICE HOURS:** Monday-Thursday 7 a.m.-3:30 p.m. • Friday 7-11 a.m.

**RECYCLING HOURS:** Monday-Friday 7 a.m.-3:30 p.m. and 8 a.m.-2 p.m.

on the *first and third Saturday of the month from April to November.*

Also on the *first Saturday of the month in December, January, February and March.*