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Curb Side Spring Clean-up **Saturday, May 22, 2021**

DUE TO COVID-19 AND TO PROMOTE SAFER CONDITIONS FOR ALL, THE CITY HAS UPDATED CURB SIDE PICK UP RULES

Curb Side Spring Clean-up: Residents of the City will be able to start placing SOME items at the curb in front of **THEIR address **NO EARLIER THAN 8:00 am** on Wednesday, May 19th and nothing should be placed at the curb after **6:00 a.m.** on Saturday, May 22nd. **THIS WILL BE STRICTLY ENFORCED AND ANY RESIDENT NOT IN COMPLIANCE WILL BE REQUIRED TO REMOVE THE ITEMS IMMEDIATELY.****

NO MATTRESSES, UPHOLSTERED FURNITURE, CARPET OR ANY OTHER ITEMS, THAT WHEN WET WILL BECOME HEAVY, AND ARE DIFFICULT FOR THE GARBAGE SERVICE TO PICK UP, PLACED OUTSIDE AT THE CURB ANY SOONER THAN FRIDAY, MAY 21st.

AGAIN: THIS WILL BE STRICTLY ENFORCED AND ANY RESIDENT NOT IN COMPLIANCE WILL BE REQUIRED TO REMOVE THE ITEMS IMMEDIATELY.

Please continue to follow the COVID-19 guidance issued by the Center for Disease Control (CDC), Michigan Department of Health and Human Services (MDHHS) and the Branch-Hillsdale-St. Joseph Health Department (BHSJ) so we can make sure that the garbage service workers as well as all members of our community are safe.

Please see attached updated ACCEPTABLE/UNACCEPTABLE ITEMS LIST PROVIDED BY MODERN WASTE.

MODERN WASTE SYSTEMS

P.O. Box 275

Napoleon, MI 49261

517-536-4900

2021 SPRING AND FALL CLEAN UP ACCEPTABLE/UNACCEPTABLE ITEMS

ACCEPTABLE:

- All bagged and containerized municipal solid waste.
- Bags and containers must weigh less than 50 lbs.
- Larger items such as: Furniture, mattresses, box springs, toys, bicycles, appliances*, home fixtures, and any other items as long as they are considered non-hazardous and can be safely lifted by two people.
- Latex Paints – Paint must be dried up in containers. (used sawdust, kitty litter or just leave the paint can open for a few days to dry out the contents. The contents must be solid and dry to be taken.
- **We are not allowed to unload vehicles or trailers. Check with the municipality to see if there is a limit to how much material can be put out.**

UNACCEPTABLE:

- No small loose items. Must be a bulk item or in a bag or box/container for collection. Boxes must weigh less than 50 lbs to be serviced.
- Large Plastic Drums/Burn Barrels
- Concrete
- Large pieces of Metal
- Yard Waste
- Liquid Waste or Hazardous Waste
- Tires
- Tires on Rims
- Non-latex Paints & Varnishes
- Motor Oil & Solvents
- Batteries
- Regulated Medical Wastes
- Construction Materials.
- Appliances that contain Freon, such as Refrigerators & Air Conditioners. *These items can be accepted if the Freon is removed and the appliance is tagged by a licensed facility that the Freon is removed.
- Any additional items that are listed by the Michigan DEQ as banned from Michigan Landfills.