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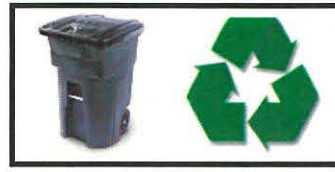
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Cold Weather Is Here - Be Ready and Informed on Ordinances



2022 Trash & Recycle Calendar & Information



Happy New Year from Your Goodrich Village Administrator.

Holiday Happenings in the Village!



Mark your calendars for festive, family fun this month as the Village of Goodrich and many other organizations create holiday fun for all ages. The Lions Club has placed a food drive donation bin at the Village Municipal Building, located right on M15. Non-perishable items are welcome and appreciated as the Lions prepare needed items for local families this season. The bin is located in the main lobby, Village hours are Monday 8-6, Tuesday & Thursday 8-5, Wednesday 8-4, and Fridays 8-noon. Good Times in Goodrich is heading Goodrich Downtown Christmas on December 9th from 5-8pm. The night kicks off with a Goodrich County Club lighted cart parade contest before the big man, Santa, arrives at Liberty Way for photos (masks are required to see Santa.). Tree Lighting, caroling, ugly sweater contests and more will surely make for a magical night for everyone. For more information, contact GTIGfestival@gmail.com

Cold Weather Means Snow... Snow means Snow Removal. Be Informed on Ordinances in the Village.



Village DPW and staff are ready to take on the winter tasks of snow removal and plowing, but they need residents to be sure they're ready for the job as well. Parking on any village street is prohibited between the hours of 2am-7am and during a snow emergency. Are you a homeowner or business that uses a plow or blower? Remember that snow/slush/ice may not be on or across roadways, and any large piles must not obstruct motorist vision. And lastly, your private or commercial sidewalk must be cleared to safely allow persons to utilize it. Download the full ordinance [here](#) for "Public Parking During Snow Emergency", "Driveway Snow" and "Sidewalk Snow"

Garbage and Recycle Services - Schedule and Reminders



Republic Waste Services handles the trash and recycle pickup for the Village residents. Recycle stickers are available free of charge at the Village office to easily identify your container. With the new year comes a handy refresher for recycle services:

What CAN I Recycle:

Paper:

- Paper (staples okay)
- Newspaper
- Envelopes
- Junk mail
- Phone books
- Magazines

Cardboard:

- Ream wrappers
- File folders
- Poster board
- Frozen food boxes
- Cardboard boxes

Plastic:

- Water bottles
- Take-out containers
- Bagged film plastics

Aluminum/Metal:

- Aluminum beverage cans
- Food cans
- Scrap metal
- Some small appliances

Glass (varies by location):

- Bottles (clear, green & brown)
- Jars

NOT Accepted

- Aerosol cans
- Aluminum foil
- Batteries
- Food waste
- Glass
- Ceramics
- Cookware
- Mirrors or ceramics
- Plastic-coated paper
- Wrapping paper
- Waxed paper
- Window glass
- Light bulbs
- Hardcover books
- Stickers & address labels
- Styrofoam, tissue, paper towels, or napkins
- Plastics other than products coded #1 or #2
- Polystyrene foam plastic (even if it has the recycling symbol)
- **Plastic bags**

2022 Waste and Recycle Schedules are available at the Village Office, online, or [CLICK HERE](#) for a PDF.

Questions? Contact Republic Services at (810) 578-2664



Your Goodrich Village Council has been diligently working this year to better our village by means of safety, beautification, administrative, and much more. A few items the staff approved and moved forward on include:

- Budget approvals for the current and upcoming years.
- Public park improvements
- Assisting with loan renewals to save on interest fees incurred by the Village
- New trees planted in common areas
- And much more!

We'd love to hear from you! See the meeting calendar to your right and join us if you have an idea/suggestion/input you'd like brought to our attention.

Do You 'Like' Us?!?



Yes, the Village also has a Facebook page, providing not only important and urgent updates, but also community information/events, small business promotions, and an abundance of posts for our community and residents.

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Village Meetings

VILLAGE COUNCIL

Council meetings are held on the second Monday of every month at 6:00pm

ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

If necessary, Zoning Board of Appeals meetings are held on the 3rd Monday of the Month.

PLANNING COMMISSION

If necessary, Planning Commissions meetings will be held on the 4th Monday of the month.

Wrapping Up, and Looking Ahead

"It has been a busy, at times overwhelming, year to say the least, but many important tasks are set to complete for the Village of Goodrich.

Potential stimulus money distributions, grant availability for village projects, ordinance updates, stop sign/speed limit sign needs, and preparation of year-end report are among the many items on my to-do list.

But with our new Treasurer in place and in training, myself, Traci, and the rest of the Administration, are hopeful for a joyous holiday, and a Happy New Year."

Take Care,

***Sheri Wilkerson,
Village of Goodrich
Administrator***

