SPRING CLEAN-UP GUIDELINES



Materials will be accepted at the Street Department between 7:00 am and 3:00pm

Check website and Facebook page for dates.

Most of your excess items we can receive, but not everything.

Items which you CANNOT bring to the collection site:

- 1. Tires
- 2. Paint, oil, or other materials with a hazardous designation
- 3. Propane tanks
- 4. Appliances
- 5. Electronics

Street department is located at

820 Bloomindale Drive

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Options for items not accepted:

Electronic waste

* County landfill - \$10 per unit (computers, TVs, VCRs, stereos, etc.)

Appliances

- * Omni Source Goshen. (remove refrigerant)
- * County Landfill Appliances with coolant in them (such as a refrigerator or air conditioner.) You may dispose of the appliance at the county landfill only if there is a certified refrigerant reclamation form provided.

Hazard waste

Collected on the first Saturday of every month at the Elkhart County Correctional Facility near the intersection of County Road 7 and County Road 26 in Elkhart, with the entrance off County Road 7. You may bring these items to this site:

- * Floorcare products, furniture polish, metal polish
- * Nail polish and polish remover
- * Antifreeze, brake fluid, gasoline, kerosene, transmission fluid, windshield washer fluid, used motor oil
- * Glue, mineral spirits, oil-based paint, aerosol paints, paint thinner, paint stripper, rust remover, varnish, wood preservative
- * Fungicide, insecticide, weed killer, rat/mouse poison
- * Household cleaners, gun cleaning solvent, mothballs, lighter fluid, swimming pool chemicals
- * Unused or expired medications
- * You may also drop off sharps, but they must be in a puncture-proof container.
- * Mercury
- * Compact fluorescent light bulbs (CFLs)
- * Rechargeable batteries, lithium batteries, car batteries
- * Landfill will take car batteries, but these may also be sold to a local scrap dealer.

Tires

* Return tires to store that sells tires

Latex Paint

* latex paint: Absorb paint with shredded newspaper, kitty litter, sand, sawdust, or other absorbent and dispose of in your trash. Aerosol cans can be emptied of their contents and disposed of in the trash.