

Village of Black Earth

COLLECTION INFORMATION

We look forward to serving the Village of Black Earth with our automated system for the collection of your trash & all-in-one recycling starting January 4th, 2023.

The Pellitteri Family
Tom, David, Danielle and Tim

Your service day will be changing to Wednesdays.
Recycling will be every other week.

IMPORTANT *Information* INCLUDED IN THIS PACKET

- Quick overview and additional information about the new automated collection service
- Cart placement instructions – automated collection requires your cooperation
- Recycling information
- Instructions for bulky items and appliance pickup
- A calendar of your scheduled weekly trash and every other week recycling service day including holiday schedules

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QUICK *Overview*

- The Village of Black Earth's scheduled pickup days is Wednesday. Please refer to the calendar for your schedule.
- The blue cart is for recycling. It is picked up every other week on your scheduled day of pickup. The all-in-one recycling system allows you to put all of your recyclables in one cart. If you choose to bag your recyclables, use only clear plastic bags, and do not tie shut.
- The dark brown cart is for trash. It is picked up every week on your scheduled day of pickup.
- Bulky item pickup information is listed on the last page of this packet. There is a fee for this service.
- Please do not use or put out any non-Pellitteri Waste Systems carts or loose bags for collection. We only service Pellitteri Waste Systems carts.
- Carts must be set out by 7:00 a.m. and placed in the correct position for pick-up. Pick-up times may vary from week to week. Trash and recycling carts are serviced at separate times during the day.
- Do not put any trash and/or recycling to the curb that does not fit in the cart unless you have made arrangements in advance. There is a fee for this service. Please do not overload carts; the lids should be closed.
- All carts are the property of Pellitteri Waste Systems. Please do not take the carts if you move. You are responsible for any missing carts or damages to the carts other than normal wear and tear.

ADDITIONAL INFO IS LOCATED ONLINE AT www.pellitteri.com

At www.pellitteri.com, you can find additional information specific to the Village of Black Earth. Please click on the residential tab to view:

- FAQ's- frequently asked questions and answers
- A 7-minute video of your recycling being sorted and dozens of 1-minute recycling tips videos
- Weather-related service information and sign up for service-related notifications
- A printable calendar of your scheduled weekly trash and every other week recycling service day, including holiday schedules
- Optional services that we can provide for cleanouts and construction/remodeling projects
- COMING SOON! A searchable recycling database and mobile app with service reminders

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CART PLACEMENT *Instructions*



PLACEMENT *of the Carts*

Please place your carts on level ground and at least 4 feet apart from each other. Never place the carts in front of one another. The carts need to be within two feet of the street. The best placement for the carts is at the end of the driveway or on the grass within 2 feet of the road. We recommend placing carts on opposite sides of your driveway. Carts cannot be collected if they are improperly placed. In the winter, you may need to shovel out areas for your carts just like you do for mail delivery. Be sure the areas are away from obstructions like mailboxes, trees and cars. Please do not place carts in the street.

LOADING OF *Your Cart*

We recommend bagging your trash so it won't stick to the inside of the cart. This will also help to keep the carts clean on the inside and prevent windblown litter. Do your best to break down the items being placed inside the cart so they don't lodge themselves inside and make it impossible to dump.

FACE THE CART *Towards* THE STREET

Place your cart at the street so the arrows on the lid of the cart will point towards the street. The serial numbers on the front of the cart should also face the street. By placing your cart correctly, it is easier to dump and it will be much less likely to have waste spill out.

GIVE US *Room*

With the automated collection trucks we need some room away from obstructions like trees, mailboxes and cars. Please place your carts 4 feet away from any and all obstructions.

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BULKY ITEMS, APPLIANCES *and Special Waste*

THE FOLLOWING ITEMS OR TYPES OF WASTE REQUIRE *prepayment and special instructions to follow:*

- White goods (appliances)
- Furniture
- Large items or any item that does not fit into the cart
- Tires
- Construction/Demolition/Remodeling Waste
- Electronics
- Basement Cleanouts
- Brush/trees and garden/yard waste (we do not offer a curbside pickup service for this material, and it cannot go in your carts. Please use your municipal drop-off site).

Please make a list of the items you want to discard, including the type of material they are made out of then call our office at (608) 257-4285. We will give you instructions and schedule your pickup on the next available date.

If you have large amounts of material to discard, please visit our website or call us about our temporary dumpster services.

We also offer Document Destruction Services if you have confidential papers to dispose of. Please call our office to make arrangements for this service.

HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTES, PAINT AND CHEMICALS *are not* TO BE DISPOSED OF IN THE TRASH.

ITEMS THAT *contain*

- Explosives
 - Gasses
 - Solvents
 - Corrosives
 - Chemicals (including pool chemicals)
 - Poisons
 - Biological hazards including needles
 - Freon and other coolants
- All require special handling and disposal. Please use the Dane County Household Hazardous Waste Clean Sweep collection site. For further information please visit www.danecountycleansweep.com.
 - Do not place any hot ashes in the carts – you will start a fire. You are responsible for any damages to the carts.