



RESIDENTIAL GARBAGE SERVICE

All new residents must contact **Waste Management** at **1-800-796-9696** to establish garbage pickup service, as required by excerpts of village ordinance referenced below. Please bear in mind that dumping or depositing trash in containers such as construction dumpsters or the trash receptacles of other businesses or residences is illegal and could result in being issued a citation for “theft of service”.



If you have questions or concerns, please contact Wauconda Police Department Commander John Thibault at 847-526-2421 M-F from 8 am to 4 pm. Thank you for your cooperation.

Village of Wauconda Code Reference:

§ 50.03 GARBAGE REMOVAL.

All persons set forth in [§§ 50.20](#) *et seq.* hereof shall provide for periodic removal of garbage not less than once per week.

§ 50.20 DUTY TO PROVIDE RECEPTACLES.

It shall be the duty of every owner or his agent or occupant of any house, building, flat or apartment or tenement in the village where people reside, board or lodge, or where animal or vegetable food is prepared or served, and at all times, to maintain in good order and repair, a separate can for garbage and a separate receptacle for tin cans, bottles, ashes and similar refuse. It shall be the duty of every such occupant to deposit nothing but garbage in the can provided for the same and nothing but tin cans or bottles in the receptacle provided for the same.

§ 50.40 VILLAGE CONTRACTORS.

All garbage and refuse as defined in [§ 50.01](#) collected from residential dwelling units within the village, whether single-family, duplex or multiple units of not to exceed 4 units shall be collected and removed only by a contractor having a contract with the village. Periodic scheduled pickup of garbage from residential units within the village by any contractors not having a contract within the village is prohibited. All written contracts in existence on the passage date of this chapter are exempt from the prohibition set forth above; provided that a copy of such a contract, certified as accurate by the contractor and the customer, must be filed in the office of the Village Clerk within 60 days hereafter.