

Recycling Extravaganza

Saturday, September 21, 2019 9 AM—Noon

Lombard Village Hall

255 E. Wilson Avenue

Lombard

Items Accepted

NEW THIS YEAR! Non-Expired Canned Foods

The Lombard-Villa Park Food Pantry needs your non-expired cans. Contact them at 630-627-2508 Ext. 5 or lombardvillaparkfoodpantry@gmail.com to volunteer.

Scrap Metal

Bring items made of iron, steel, and other metals.

Hardware and Building Materials

Habitat for Humanity's ReStore will be collecting tools, hardware and building materials in good condition. Their store at 869 S Rohlwing in Addison accepts donations, and proceeds from sales support their mission.

Paint

EPaint Recycling will collect latex paint for a small cost (\$1/pint-quart, \$3/gal, \$10/5-gal) and oil paint (\$4/quart, \$8/gal, \$20/5-gal) in good condition for reuse. Recycled paint in various colors will also be sold at \$12/gal.

Car/Marine/Sump Pump Batteries

Exide will collect lead cell batteries for recycling. (No household batteries)

Cell Phones

Family Shelter Services will collect cellular phones, working or not, plus batteries & chargers. Phones are either programmed for 911 calling or recycled.

American Flags

The VFW will accept American Flags for disposal.

ALSO NEW THIS YEAR! Foam #6 (Styrofoam)

Dart Container will accept #6 stamped, clean foam of any color, not including packing peanuts or insulation.

Musical Instruments, Sheet Music, Vinyl Records, and Brita & Pur Water Filters

SCARCE will collect these items for schools. Their site at 799 Roosevelt in Glen Ellyn also accepts books.

Bicycles, Shoes, Crutches and Wheelchairs

The Rotary Club will collect bicycles for Working Bikes Co-op, gently used shoes for the People's Resource Center, and non-motorized wheelchairs, crutches, canes (but not commodes) for Project CURE.

Clothing, Furniture & Working Appliances

Goodwill Industries will collect used clothing in any condition and other items in good condition, but not including electronics. Working appliances must be no larger than a mini-fridge. Clothes unsuitable for reuse are recycled for their fibers. Their location at 351 E Roosevelt provides a convenient option for donations.

Eyeglasses & Hearing Aids

Lions Club will collect eyeglasses, hearing aids & keys.

Fire Extinguishers and Gas Tanks

P.A. Crimson will reuse or recycle depressurized tanks, including fire extinguishers and compressed gas.

Please note that electronics besides cell phones and hearing aids will <u>not</u> be accepted.

Unfortunately, collecting electronics at this event has become cost-prohibitive. This is due to complexities in the State statute regarding manufacturers' responsibilities, recyclers' processing costs, and commodity market conditions. However, <u>Goodwill's store at 351 E. Roosevelt accepts electronics</u> during business hours for recycling, with exception of CRT televisions and monitors.

Recycling options for CRT televisions and monitors are currently limited throughout Illinois. Information on disposal options, including private sector options may be found at villageoflombard.org/electronicsrecycling.

ALSO, PAPER SHREDDING, BOOKS, AND WOOD WILL NOT BE PART OF THIS YEAR'S EVENT.

The following items will also <u>not</u> be accepted:

Household chemicals * Gasoline Cans

Household Batteries * Items containing gas or oil

Fluorescent Light Bulbs * Drywall/Plaster

Pharmaceuticals Smoke & CO Detectors

Air conditioners VHS Tapes/CDs

Carpeting Windows/Tempered Glass

Dehumidifiers Vinyl Siding

*The nearest Household Hazardous Waste site is in Naperville at 156 Fort Hill Drive (immediately north of Naperville Public Works). See villageoflombard.org/ hhw for more information. Items are accepted Saturdays & Sundays (except Holidays) 9AM-2PM. Oil paints are accepted, but not latex paints. Latex paints should either be dried before discarding in the trash, or recycled at this Recycling Extravaganza.

Please direct questions to the Public Works Department at publicworks@villageoflombard.org or (630) 620-5740.

