

City of Wauwatosa
2020 Guide for Garbage, Recycling & Yard Waste
Check your personalized garbage, recycling and yard waste collection days on the web at www.wauwatosa.net/refuse

2020 Holiday Collection Schedule

Date	Day	Schedule
New Year's Day, January 1	Wednesday	No collection
January 2	Thursday	Pick up Wednesday, January 1 routes
January 3	Friday	Pick up Thursday, January 2 routes
January 4	Saturday	Pick up Friday, January 3 routes
Good Friday, April 10	Friday	Regular collection
Memorial Day, May 25	Monday	No collection
May 26	Tuesday	Pick up Monday, May 25 routes
May 27	Wednesday	Pick up Tuesday, May 26 routes
May 28	Thursday	Pick up Wednesday, May 27 routes
May 29	Friday	Pick up Thursday, May 28 routes
May 30	Saturday	Pick up Friday, May 29 routes
Independence Day, July 3 (Observed)	Friday	Regular Collection
Labor Day, September 7	Monday	No collection
September 8	Tuesday	Pick up Monday, September 7 routes
September 9	Wednesday	Pick up Tuesday, September 8 routes
September 10	Thursday	Pick up Wednesday, September 9 routes
September 11	Friday	Pick up Thursday, September 10 routes
September 12	Saturday	Pick up Friday, September 11 routes
Thanksgiving, November 26	Thursday	No collection
November 27	Friday	Pick up Thursday, November 26 routes
November 28	Saturday	Pick up Friday, November 27 routes
Christmas Day, December 25	Friday	No collection
December 26	Saturday	Pick up Friday, December 25 routes
New Year's Day, January 1 2020	Friday	No collection
January 2	Saturday	Pick up Friday, January 1 routes



Winter Weather Reminder: Please do not place your garbage carts in the street during winter weather because it obstructs the plowing and salting operations. Please place the cart in the apron of your driveway.

2020 Garbage and Recycling Collection Schedule

Yard Materials

Curbside yard waste collection will occur [May 18, 2020 through October 9, 2020](#). Yard waste is collected on the opposite weeks of your scheduled recycling pick up day.

Curbside pickup is limited to a total of 10 bags or bundles per pick up. For larger quantities or piles, please call (414) 471-8422 to arrange a special pick up.

Leaves and brush must be separated from other household garbage. DO NOT include grass clippings, root balls, vegetables, stumps or branches over 6 inches in diameter. Please remember to:

- Place your yard materials at the curb before 7:00 am on your collection day.
- Mark reusable containers with “Yard Waste” in letters that are 2 inches or larger.
- Bundle brush with string or twine. Please do not use wire or plastic. Bundles should be no longer than 4 feet and no heavier than 50 lbs.

Grass Clippings

Grass is not collected at the curb or at the Drop Off Center. Please handle grass clippings by composting, grass-cycling, mulching or by using commercial services to manage your lawn and clippings.

REMINDER: Use only phosphorus-free fertilizers.

Fall Leaf Collection

The annual leaf pick up program will begin Monday, October 12, 2020. Residents may rake leaves into the curb until Sunday, November 15, 2020. PLEASE DO NOT RAKE OUT LEAVES AFTER NOVEMBER 15. Violators are subject to a charge for the removal of leaves placed out after the final pick up has been completed. You can track the progress of the leaf collection crews and receive notices regarding specific areas of pick up at www.wauwatosa.net/leafcollection.

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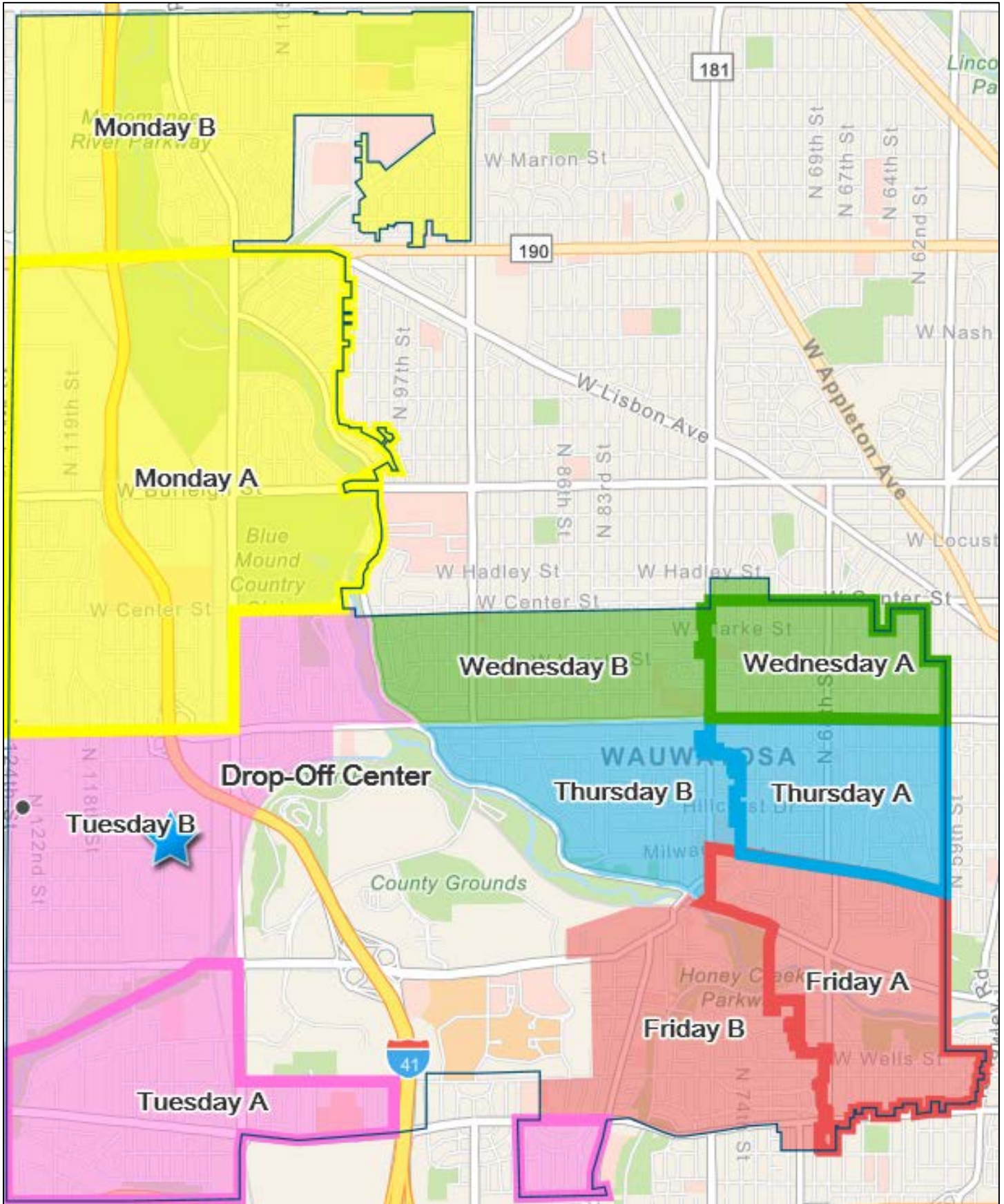
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“A” Weeks are in **BLUE** – “B” Weeks are in **RED**
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Wauwatosa Collection Map



Drop Off Center

Hours of Operation

Tuesday and Saturday: 7:00 am – 5:00 pm

Permits & Fees

- \$5 single use permit
 - \$5 per vehicle, \$5 per additional trailer axle
- \$20 annual yard waste ONLY permit
 - Disposal of leaves, soft plant material and branches under 6 inches in diameter
- Major appliances - \$30 each
- Televisions:
 - Flat screen or tube - \$30 each
 - Projection or wood cabinet - \$45 each
- Tires:
 - Automobile tires - \$5 each
 - Tires over 16 inches in diameter - \$10 each

Purchasing a Permit

Permits can be purchased at the Department of Public Works Attendant Station (Entrance to Drop Off Center).

Drop Off Center accepted payment forms:

- Credit Card (Visa, MasterCard, Discover, American Express)
- Check

Drop Off Items

The following is a list of items that may be brought to the Drop Off Center:

- Recyclables: Newspapers, books, cardboard, metal cans, glass bottles and jars (including metal jar lids) and all plastic containers marked with #1, #2 and #5. (Please make sure recyclables are empty, clean and dry.)
- Motor Oil: Used motor oil from vehicles. (**NO** Hydraulic fluids, solvents, paints and vegetable oil.)
- Scrap Metal: Metal pans, chairs, siding, shelves, pipes, doors, fences, EMPTY paint cans, PUNCTURED gas cans and other scrap metal. (**NO** propane tanks.)
- Clean Fill: Clean dirt, sod, rocks, rubble, bricks and concrete block, under a cubic yard.
- Wood: Clean, unpainted and untreated lumber, pallets and crates.
- Yard Materials: Brush, branches, and leaves. (**NO** grass clippings.)
- Garbage: Household rubbish (**NO** HAZARDOUS WASTE.)

Drop Off Items

No refunds of unused permits.

The City will not be responsible for lost permits.

A valid Wisconsin Driver's License with a current Wauwatosa address will be required to enter the Center and to purchase permits.

This permit is for household use only, not commercial.