City of Hillsboro Garbage, Recycle, Brush Collection

Republic Services of Itasca in partnership with the City of Hillsboro is proud to announce the following collection initiatives in our continued efforts to keep Hillsboro clean.

Effective: October 6, 2008:

****Hillsboro Residents may pick up a recycle container at the City Administration Office, 214 E. Elm, along with an information sheet stating items that can be recycled.

Recycle Do's and Don'ts

- Recycle bins will be collected the same day as your garbage (**see Garage Recycle Collection Map for your day of collection)
- Don't place recycle tub at curb no later than 7:00 am on your garbage collection Day.
- Do recycle paper, magazine, telephone books, aluminum and steel cans, plastic bottles, broken down cardboard that will fit in your tub and plastic containers #1-7.
- Don't recycle Styrofoam, food wrap, tissue products, plastic bags, or glass.
- Do rinse cans and contain any blowing recyclables in a paper grocery bag in tub.
- Republic is not accepting any glass items for recycling at this time

Garbage Do's and Don'ts

- Do have at curbside by 7:00 a.m. on your assigned collection day.
- Don't place broken glass, syringes, or other sharp objects in plastic bags.
- Do use boxes or milk cartons to place broken glass, syringes or sharp objects in.
- Don't pile loose garbage at curbside.
- Do bag all garbage to keep from blowing as this helps keep Hillsboro Beautiful.

Brush Collection Do's and Don'ts:

- UP to 6 cubic yards of brush will be collected once a month (**see Brush Collection Map for your week)
- Do place up to 6 cubic yards at curbside on the first, second, third or fourth Monday of the month on your collection week.
- Don't place brush at curb in excess of 6 cubic yards or before your assigned week. Piles in excess of 6 cubic yards will be assessed \$65 for each 6 cubic yards above the initial 6 with a minimum charge of \$65. Brush collection in other the assigned week may also be charged a minimum of \$65.
- Do cut and bundle your brush to prepare for collection.
- Don't have bundles in excess of 4 feet in length with limbs of than 4 inches in diameter.
 Do not exceed 50 lbs. per bundle.
- Do place your brush near the curb in front or your house on assigned week.
- Don't place your brush in front of another residence or on a vacant lot. This may result in enforcement penalties.
- Don't allow professional trimmers to charge you for service then place the limbs at curb.
 Have them dispose of the limbs the cut.
- Do remember for brush in excess of 6 cubic yards or brush you need to clear on week other than that scheduled, you have free landfill privileged at Itasca Landfill on the first Saturday of each month. Please bring a current water bill and I.D.
- Don't mix construction debris with the brush.
 Free disposal day at the landfill is the best way to discard.

For any questions or additional information call Dawn with Republic of Itasca at 254-221-4416.



