



VILLAGE OF
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COMMUNITY NEWS 2023

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Sat, Oct 28th • 12pm-3pm

HAMEL COMMUNITY BUILDING • 10 PARK AVE • HAMEL, IL

- 12pm-2pm: Kids Activities • Crafts • Snacks**
- 2pm-3pm: Costume Parade & Trick-or-Treat in the Park**

**FINAL 2023
BLOOD DRIVE**



November 20th

12:30pm-5:30pm

**Hamel Community Building
10 Park Ave, Hamel, IL**



Prescription and OTC Drug Disposal Available at Village Hall

The Village of Hamel has a kiosk that allows anyone in the area to safely dispose of any unwanted or outdated prescription and over-the-counter drugs including supplements.

The kiosk was obtained by the Hamel Police Department and is part a safe medication disposal program created by the CVS Pharmacies and the Partnership for Drug Free Kids.

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Waste Hauling Update

Rate Increase Effective October 2023

The Village of Hamel has entered into a 3-year waste hauling contract with Republic Services, effective October 2023. The new contract includes some adjustments and **the new monthly rate for services will be \$29.75.**

All residents will receive a recycle cart in the coming months. Once received, these carts will be the primary receptacle used for recycling pickup and the currently used totes will no longer be serviced.

Waste Hauling & Recycling Services

Waste Hauling and Recycling Services are billed monthly to Village of Hamel residents on their Water Utility Bill. These bills are sent out by the Water Department. The services are provided by Republic Services.

- Trash Services are offered every Tuesdays and Fridays
- Yard Waste Service is offered every Tuesday
- Recycling Services are offered every Friday

Effective January 1, 2024:

- Trash Services and Yard Waste Service will be offered every Tuesday
- Recycling Services will be offered every other Friday, beginning the week of January 5, 2024.

Republic Services recognizes six holidays: New Years Day, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day, and Christmas Day. When trash pick-up is interrupted for a holiday, the service schedule is delayed one day through the remainder of the week. If the holiday falls on a Saturday or Sunday, there is no change in the collection schedule.

For more information, check the Village of Hamel website: <https://bit.ly/hamel-trash>



Clean-Up/Large Item Pickup Guidelines

Throughout the year, please call Republic Services at 618-656-6883 to schedule other large item and appliance pickups. Each residence may schedule two (2) pickups per year, with up to four (4) large items for each pickup, at no charge. Additional pickups may be scheduled for an additional charge.

Yard Waste

Yard waste pick-up is offered weekly.

Yard waste service provides a maximum collection of five (5) paper biodegradable bags (no plastic) or two (2) trashcans. If trashcans are used for yard waste, they must be marked with a 2' X 2' red "X" and be left as close to the roadway as possible or they will not be collected. Bags or cans of yard waste must not exceed 35 pounds in weight. Sticks and twigs up to four inches in diameter will be collected in 2' x 4' bundles tied with twine.



VISIT THE VILLAGE HALL FOR WATER & TRASH SERVICE

Service Provided by Republic Services

Weekly Pickup Schedule: **Tuesdays** (trash & yard waste/35lbs limit) and **Fridays** (trash & recycle). For a **trash cart (required for pickup)**, call the Village Hall (618-633-2484). 65-gallon or 95-gallon carts are available to suit your families needs.