



City of Strongsville  
16099 Foltz Parkway  
Strongsville, Ohio 44149

PRESORTED STANDARD  
U.S. POSTAGE  
PAID  
Cleveland, Ohio  
Permit No. 2110

Residential Customer  
Strongsville, OH



## Important Citywide Information Enclosed

**INSIDE YOU'LL FIND** *everything you need to know about Strongsville Curbside Recycling,* including what's recyclable, what's not, and proper disposal of many household items.

**All events held at City Service Center unless otherwise noted.**

### **2023 RECYCLE CALENDAR** *For more details on events, see [www.strongsville.org](http://www.strongsville.org)*

#### **Household Hazardous Waste Drop Off** 7:30am - 2:30pm

- Tuesday, May 2<sup>nd</sup> , Wednesday, May 3<sup>rd</sup> (Spring)
- Tuesday, Aug. 29<sup>th</sup>, Wednesday, Aug. 30<sup>th</sup> (Fall)

*See next page for a list of acceptable items.*



#### **Habitat For Humanity Tool Drive**



- Saturday, May 20<sup>th</sup>, 9am - Noon

*Habitat ReStore accepts new and gently used appliances, furniture, building materials, kitchen cabinets, sinks, toilets, tools (hand and electric), and garden tools. For more details call 216-429-1299.*

#### **MEDWISH Medical Supply Collection Drive**

- Saturday, May 20<sup>th</sup>, 9am - Noon

#### **Shred Day**

- Friday, June 23<sup>rd</sup> , 9am - Noon @ Rec Center 18100 Royalton Rd (Use Royalton Rd Entrance Only)

#### **Household Hazardous Waste** 7:30am - 2:30pm @ Service Center 16099 Foltz Pkwy

The round-ups are for households only, not for waste generated by businesses, schools, churches, charity organizations, camps or other groups. **NOTE: LATEX PAINT IS NOT ACCEPTED** (*Paint that can be cleaned up w/ soap & water.*)



**Materials accepted:** oil or solvent-based paint, (no latex paint), varnish, mineral spirits, caustic household cleaners, adhesives, gasoline, sealers, polyurethane, herbicides, automotive fluids, roof tar, lighter fluids, primers and coatings, shellac, pesticides, motor oil, driveway sealer, mercury, paint thinner, turpentine, fungicides, car batteries, kerosene, gasoline and all other flammable liquids must remain in the container that they are dropped off in.

More details can be found at website:

[Strongsville.org/departments/service-department/refuse-collection](http://Strongsville.org/departments/service-department/refuse-collection)

#### **Strongsville MEDWISH Medical Supply Collection Drive**

9am - Noon @ Service Center 16099 Foltz Pkwy

Strongsville will participate this year in a MEDWISH supply drive.

Residents can bring unused medical supplies to be donated. Items include but are not limited to:

- |                       |                  |
|-----------------------|------------------|
| • Ace Bandages        | • Crutches       |
| • Alcohol Swabs       | • Walkers        |
| • Antibiotic Ointment | • Gloves         |
| • Band Aids           | • Glucose Strips |
| • BP Cuffs            | • Etc.           |



See website: <https://medwish.org/donate-supplies/>

#### **SHRED DAY June 23<sup>rd</sup>** 9am - Noon @ Rec Center 18100 Royalton Rd (Use Royalton Rd Entrance Only)

We ask that residents remain in their vehicles, and have shred materials ready to go in their open trunk. Place materials to be shredded in boxes or paper bags. No piles of loose paper. NO plastic bags (static electricity – sensitive documents may get caught in bags).

**ACCEPTED ITEMS:** financial documents, expired credit cards and confidential information. Staples and small paper clips are OK.

**NO BINDER CLIPS or RING BINDERS**

**NOT ACCEPTED:** CDs, pendaflex folders, photographs.

*The Strongsville Transfer Station is located behind 16099 Foltz Parkway (driveway along the railroad tracks). Hours: Monday-Friday 7am - 5pm, Saturday 8am - 2pm & Sunday 12pm - 5pm; 440-572-7590.*



# Cuyahoga County

## SOLID WASTE DISTRICT

[CuyahogaRecycles.org](http://CuyahogaRecycles.org)

### Why Do Recycling Rules Change?

Recycling is an industry fueled by environmental responsibility but driven by economics. Recycling rules change over time because recyclables are commodities that are sold and traded throughout the world and subject to market fluctuations.

### Strongsville Curbside Recycling: The Need-to-Know

You can include *aluminum cups, cans, cartons, glass bottles and jars, paper and boxes* along with *plastic bottles, jugs and tubs* in your curbside recycling. Reduce your waste when you combine *only these items* in your recycling. **Recycle better, recycle right.**

[Learn more at www.strongsville.org](http://www.strongsville.org)

### Brush & Branch Disposal

#### There Are 2 Ways for Residents to Dispose of Brush:

1. Take brush to the TRANSFER STATION (no charge). Proof of Residency Required.
2. Bundle branches in 4-foot lengths and leave out on your regular trash day. Bundles shall weigh no more than 50 pounds each.



### WHAT TO **INCLUDE** CURBSIDE: List Of Recyclable Items As Of March 2023

Be sure to empty and rinse cans and bottles, replacing cap when necessary and flatten cardboard.



CANS



CARTONS



PLASTIC BOTTLES, JUGS  
AND TUBS



GLASS



CARDBOARD



PAPER & BOXES

All of these can be placed in a marked container or **blue** bag. Set out **RECYCLING** on the opposite side of the driveway from the trash. If your recycling was not picked up or if you are having difficulty with Recycling pick-up, please contact Republic Waste at 440-572-7590. If you notice that a drop-off container is full, please contact us 440-580-3124.

### WHAT TO PLACE IN THE TRASH:

Not all plastics are recyclable. We no longer refer to the number on the container, because not all numbered items can be recycled. **Plastics like Styrofoam™, plastic cups and utensils, takeout containers and clamshells for lettuce and berries cannot be recycled curbside. Place these items in the trash:**



TAKE-OUT CONTAINERS  
UTENSILS & OTHER PLASTIC



STYROFOAM  
CONTAINERS



PLASTIC  
CLAMSHELLS



HOSES & ROPES



ALUMINUM FOIL



DURABLE PLASTICS

### OTHER **RECYCLING**:

It's important to recycle correctly. Some items don't belong in your curbside recycling. Many items can be recycled, reused or donated elsewhere.



COMPUTERS

Computer Recycling drop-off Mon. - Fri. 8am-4pm at 16099 Foltz Pkwy at the dock garage doors. Monitors, CPUs, printers, terminals, mice, keyboards, modems, software, cellphones and ink cartridges accepted.



CONSTRUCTION  
MATERIALS

Consider donating construction materials to Habitat 4 Humanity. Otherwise take to the Transfer Station for disposal for a fee. Mon-Sat ONLY. 572-7590



PLASTIC BAGS

Plastic bags are one of the most common items found in landfills. In an effort to reduce this, Giant Eagle, Heinen's, Marc's and Walmart now offer plastic bag recycling.



SHREDDED  
PAPER

Shredded paper can make a mess if left curbside. Please place in a tied bag and drop in the River Valley Paper Recycling Bins (located at food bank, parks & fire stations).



CLOTHING & TEXTILES  
(YOU MUST SCHEDULE PICKUP)

Can be donated to local charities or Residents can contact Simple Recycling **1-866-835-5068** or visit [www.simplerecycling.com](http://www.simplerecycling.com) to schedule pickup.



PROPANE TANKS

Residents can recycle their unwanted 20# grill tanks by writing "RECYCLE" on the tank and taking it to any Blue Rhino location. Non-Rhino brands included.

### WHAT NEEDS **PROPER DISPOSAL**:

Other items require special handling for proper disposal.



BATTERIES

Primary/single-use alkaline batteries can be put in the regular trash. Rechargeable batteries can be recycled for free through local Call2Recycle drop boxes, found in the Apple Store, Best Buy, Home Depot, Lowe's.



LATEX PAINT

Any paint that is LATEX (water clean-up) should be dried out (add kitty litter, sawdust etc.) and placed with the lid off in your regular trash.



FLUORESCENT BULBS

Compact Fluorescent Light Bulbs are accepted at Home Depot, Lowe's.



MEDICATIONS

The Strongsville Police Dept. offers 24/7 drop off for prescription drugs. Pour pills into Ziploc bag & place in dropbox in the Police Station Lobby.



NEEDLES

Place needles in a SHARPS container or heavy duty bottle (i.e. detergent) & mark SHARPS. Take container to the Strongsville Transfer Station for proper safe disposal.