

VILLAGE OF SPECULATOR

Winter Garbage & Recycle Pickup Schedule

October 1, 2025 – June 1, 2026

Residential Garbage Pickup: Monday

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Commercial Garbage & Recycle Pickup: Monday & Thursday

Holiday Adjustments:

- Columbus Day: October 14th
- MLK Day: January 20th
- President's Day: February 17th
- Memorial Day: May 26th

Village of Speculator's *TENTATIVE* Clean-up Day: May 27, 2025

- Nothing over 4 feet long and no construction debris.
- Appliances – refrigerators and stoves must have the doors removed from unit.
- Large household furnishings allowed.
- Tires- separate tire and rims.
- Scrap Metal- separate and clean from non-metal items.

Information on Garbage and Recycling

- Village of Speculator- 518-548-7354
- Village Garage – 518-548-5141
- County Transfer Station – 518-548-DUMP

Guidelines

- Use a suitable garbage container with lid. Containers are limited to 40 lbs.
- Bear Alert- Do not put household garbage or recyclables out until 7am on the morning of pick-up.
- Garbage and Recycleables must be bagged in clear or white plastic bags. Black plastic bags will not be picked-up.
- Items will only be picked-up curbside at residential property.
- Garbage truck will not enter private roads. Garbage must be at roadway curbside.

Recyclable Guidelines

- Glass- remove caps and rinse glass food and beverage containers. Labels can remain.
- Plastic- remove caps from plastic food or beverage, or household containers. Labels can remain. Containers with #1 - #7 on the bottom are recyclable at Hamilton County Transfer Station.
- Metal- rinse metal food and beverage containers. Labels can remain.
- Paper- slide newspaper and insert into paper bag. Keep dry and clean before putting outside.
- Plastic, Metal & Paper can be bagged together
- Cardboard- flatten corrugated cardboard and tie up. Keep dry and clean before putting outside.

Non-Recyclable Guidelines

- Glass- Do not include glass items with metal, such light bulbs or non-glass materials.
- Plastic- Do not include plastic caps, Styrofoam containers, oil containers, plastic bags, six pack holders or medicine bottles.
- Metal- Do not include bottle caps, oil, paint, pesticide, or aerosol cans.
- Cardboard- Do not include pizza boxes, cereal boxes, milk containers or egg cartons.

Other Wastes

- Construction Debris (C&D) is accepted at The Hamilton County Transfer Station. C&D will not be picked up by the village garbage truck. C&D is subject to billing by weight, \$77/ton, and requires a name and billing address when taken to transfer station.
- Green waste- Grass clipping, leaves and pine needles may be dropped at the compost pile behind the Town of Lake Pleasant Municipal Hall. No bags.
- Brush- All brush, less than 3-inches in diameter may be dropped at the brush pit behind the tennis courts on Elm Lake Road.
- Household Hazardous Chemical- batteries, including automotive type, empty oil-based paint cans, pesticides and other petroleum product shall be brought to the designated area at the County Transfer Station on Route 8 in Lake Pleasant.
- Electronic Waste- computers, televisions, monitors keyboards, fax machine, scanners, printers, VCR's, DVD's, portable digital music players, digital converter boxes, cable and satellite receivers, and electronic games shall be brought to the designated area at the County Transfer Station on Route 8 in Lake Pleasant.

- Rechargeable Batteries- nickel-cadmium seal lead, lithium ion, nickel metal hybrid or and dry cell battery capable of being recharged may be return to place of purchase or be brought to the designated area at the County Transfer Station on Route 8 in Lake Pleasant.