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**Strasburg
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Resident
123 Any Street
Strasburg, OH 44680

**RE: IMPORTANT NOTICE
ON REFUSE/RECYCLING
COLLECTION SERVICE**

Dear Village of Strasburg Resident,

Following a competitive bid process, the Village of Strasburg awarded an exclusive contract, effective **June 1, 2018**, for all residential refuse and recycling collection to Kimble Recycling & Disposal, Inc. (Kimble). This new contract covers all Village of Strasburg single and multiple family residences (4 units or less).

The award of this contract to Kimble, a local family-owned business includes automated service using carts supplied by Kimble, and trucks powered by natural gas which operate more quietly and efficiently. Natural Gas is a cleaner burning fuel (less emissions) which improves the environment of the Village's neighborhoods. The natural gas is also generated here in Eastern Ohio, which helps the local economy and reduces dependency on foreign oil.

Please take time to read this information carefully, as it may answer many of the questions you may have regarding how to participate in the automated solid waste and recycling collection program. Please note your service day remains the same, but the time of service on your collection day may be different, so please have all your solid waste and recycling carts out for collection the night before or by 6:00 A.M. on your collection day.

**YOUR SERVICE DAY WILL REMAIN ON TUESDAY
WITH YOUR FIRST KIMBLE COLLECTION ON JUNE 5TH**

(Please remember to set all your residential solid waste and recyclable materials at the curb by 6:00 a.m.)

DELIVERY AND USE OF THE KIMBLE CARTS

Beginning May 31, 2018 Kimble will start delivering to each residence a 65 gallon (dark green) two wheeled cart to contain your solid waste, and a 65 gallon (bright green) two wheeled cart to contain your recyclables. Delivery of these will take some time, but should be completed by June 4th, 2018. If you do not receive your carts by your first collection day (June 5th, 2018), please contact Customer Service at 1-800-201-0005, live chat on our website at www.kimblecompanies.com, or email at customerservice@kimblecompanies.com.

The Kimble carts are provided for your use only at your current address. If you move from your current address the carts are to remain at the property for use by the next occupant. For any lost, stolen, damaged, etc. Kimble carts, there will be a fee of \$100.00 per cart billed to the resident.

To use the carts, simply place your bagged household solid waste into the dark green solid waste cart, and place your loose (no need to bag) recyclable materials into the bright green recycling cart. On your collection day, pull both your carts within 2-3 feet of the street with the lid openings facing the street. The carts should be at least 3 feet from one another and other objects such as parked cars, mail boxes, trees, other trash bags, personal container or bulky trash items. Though solid waste and recycling services are provided weekly, it is only necessary to place your carts to the curb when they are full. Kimble is asking that all residents use the Kimble provided carts for weekly collection.

THE SOLID WASTE PROGRAM

Trash is limited to what can fit inside of the 65 gallon Kimble solid waste cart. No additional items or bags should be placed alongside the 65 gallon cart without contacting Kimble to arrange and prepay for an additional bulk or bag pickup. Unscheduled excess and non-prepaid materials set out each week will not be collected and must be removed from the curb until your next scheduled collection day. Please see below to learn more about our Bulk Item and Excess Trash Collection Program.

The weekly refuse collection service DOES NOT include, tires, batteries, automotive/truck parts, paint, oil, fluorescent bulbs, gas cans, propane tanks, hazardous/infectious waste, flammable liquids, contractor generated construction materials and any waste prohibited from disposal in a municipal solid waste landfill.

THE BULK ITEM PROGRAM

Bulk items and extra trash not collected as part of the regular service can be set out to be collected on the Village of Strasburg's **Fall and Spring collection days (please refer to the Village of Strasburg's website, www.villageofstrasburg.org, for future dates)**. Bulky items include stoves, hot water tanks (water removed), washers, dryers, furniture, chairs and carpet (4 feet in length). All mattresses, box springs and upholstered furniture placed out for disposal **MUST** be wrapped and sealed in plastic. Appliances containing Freon must have the Freon removed and the unit tagged by a qualified technician. If not tagged by a qualified technician the item will be tagged and left for proper handling. Please keep these large items 3 feet away from your carts.

You can call ahead anytime to schedule and prepay for bulk items or extra bags to be removed. To schedule pickup of excess trash on a date other than the Fall and Spring collection day please contact Customer Service at 1-800-201-0005, live chat on our website at www.kimblecompanies.com, or email at customerservice@kimblecompanies.com.

THE RECYCLING PROGRAM

The Kimble recycling cart includes information on the lid regarding what can be recycled and provides a more convenient way for residents to recycle large quantities. Please do not use your recycling cart for extra solid waste. Recycling carts containing solid waste will not be emptied and will be tagged to notify the resident of improper use.

Single Stream Recycling - There is no need to bundle your newspapers, cardboard, or any other materials separately. All recyclable materials can be placed together loose (**please do not bag your recyclables**) into your new recycling cart as a “single stream” of recyclable material. The individual components of the mixed recyclable materials or “single stream” will be segregated and prepared for market at Kimble’s automated recycling facility. See the enclosed complete list of all the items which can be placed in your recycling cart to be recovered and returned to markets.

Plastics Recycled – Rigid plastic containers labeled #1 through #7 can be recycled. Most plastic products are labeled on the bottom with a recycling symbol consisting of arrows that cycle clockwise to form a rounded triangle, and enclosing the number 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, or 7. Any rigid food or consumer product container labeled in this fashion can be included for recycling. Examples of plastic containers that can now be recycled include salad dressing bottles, peanut butter and jam jars, juice bottles, squeezable bottles (ketchup and mustard), clam shell food containers, microwavable food containers, yogurt containers, margarine tubs, baby milk bottles, shampoo bottles, cooking oil bottles, hand soap bottles, apple sauce cups, cool whip containers, and plastic flower pot containers.

Plastic items not acceptable include plastic bags, shrink wrap, Styrofoam, toys, motor oil and antifreeze containers. As you can see, there is a tremendous amount of material which can be diverted from your solid waste cart to your new 65-gallon recycling cart. Recycling a ton of plastic saves the energy equivalent of 1,500 gallons of gasoline!

HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

Kimble does not operate on the following Holidays: New Year’s Day, Memorial Day, 4th of July, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day, and Christmas Day. If a Holiday falls on a Monday or Tuesday, service will be delayed until Wednesday.

If at any time you have a question regarding your solid waste and recycling service, please contact Customer Service by phone at 1-800-201-0005, live chat on our website at www.kimblecompanies.com or email at customerservice@kimblecompanies.com. All billing inquiries should be directed to the Village of Strasburg by phone at 330-878-7710.

To learn more about Kimble, log on to our website www.kimblecompanies.com. Also, to assist you in knowing how to properly place items out for collection please see the enclosed “Instructions for Cart Placement” guidelines or the Village of Strasburg web site, www.villageofstrasburg.org.

Sincerely,

Your Kimble Service Team

INSTRUCTIONS FOR CART PLACEMENT

Placement of carts:

The best placement for the carts is at the end of the driveway or on the grass within 2-3 feet off the street.

Give us some room:

With the automated collection trucks we need some room away from obstructions like trees, mailboxes, cars, other cart, and other trash items.

Loading your carts:

We recommend bagging your trash so it won't stick to the inside of the cart.

There is no need to use bags for your recyclable materials. Do your best to break down the items inside the carts so they don't lodge themselves inside and make it difficult to dump.

Face carts opening towards the street:

Put your carts at the street so the arrows on the lid (the opening) of the carts will point toward the street.

PLEASE DO THIS



NOT THIS



THANK YOU FOR YOUR HELP!

**LIST OF THE RECYCLABLE MATERIALS THAT ARE
ACCEPTED BY KIMBLE RECYCLING & DISPOSAL**

Plastics #1 through #7 are accepted. Examples include the following:

- #1:** Soft drink bottles, water bottles, peanut butter jars, window cleaner bottles, mouth wash bottles
- #2:** Laundry detergent, medicine & windshield washer fluid bottles, coffee containers, milk jugs, butter tubs
- #3:** Shampoo bottles, cooking oil bottles, hand soap bottles, glad ware container lids, and juice bottles
- #4:** Mustard bottles, margarine and ice cream tub tops, squeezable bottles
- #5:** Cool whip containers, glad ware tubs, plastic flower pot containers, apple sauce cups, plastic cups
- #6:** Plastic cookie tray dishes, vegetable tub containers, take-away containers
- #7:** Orange juice plastic bottles, kids snack containers, some ketchup bottles_

Fiber:

Newspaper
Magazine
Corrugated cardboard
Telephone books
Mail
Printer/copier paper
Chipped board (cereal boxes)

Non-Fiber

Aluminum cans
Aluminum trays, aluminum foil, cat food cans
Bimetal cans (soup cans, dog food cans)
Empty aerosol cans
Clear brown or green glass bottles
Plastic containers marked #1 to #7



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PUT ALL YOUR RECYCLABLES LOOSE/UNBAGGED IN YOUR KIMBLE CART!

There is no need to bundle or bag your newspapers, cardboard and other materials separately. We do encourage you rinse your recyclable containers to help reduce odors, insect attraction, liquid soiling of fiber products and rejection of containers at the recycling plant.

Look for the recycling symbols embedded at the bottom of most plastics bottles to identify the #1 - #7 recyclable plastics. All the recyclable items can be mixed together in your recycling container. The recyclable materials will be segregated and prepared for market at our recycling facility. **Thank you for helping make Strasburg's automated curbside recycling program a success!**

We do not recycle paint cans, or anti-freeze and motor oil containers. We do not recycle wax cartons, batteries, light bulbs, or wire hangers. With regard to plastics #1 through #7, we recycle the rigid containers used for food, beverage, and health and beauty aid products, but not plastic bags, Styrofoam, toys, or plastic utensils.

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