

# Village of Oriskany

## Trash & Recycling Guidelines

Village Trash Hauler (2021-2024):

Controlled Waste Systems of Utica  
oriskany@controlledwaste.com  
315-724-CWSI (2974)

***Please contact the hauler for all questions regarding missed pick-ups or cart repairs.***

### **Village trash pick-up is Monday mornings**

Please place your hauler-supplied carts at the road between 6 p.m. and 12 a.m. on Sunday night. Make sure the lid opening faces the road and that the lids are closed. The cart should be about two (2) feet from the curb or road edge. Carts are the property of the hauler and cannot be relocated or transferred between locations.

### **Recycling**

- All recyclable items (paper, plastic, metal, and glass) need to be mixed together loosely in one container. No sorting required!
- Lids and labels can be left on recyclable containers.
- Containers should be empty and rinsed before recycling.
- Please do not place recyclables in plastic bags for collection.
- **No** string, styrofoam, trash, hazardous waste, or green waste allowed in recycling.
- Shredded paper may be placed in clear plastic bags and included with recycling.

For more information on RecycleOne, waste disposal, special programs, and additional locations to dispose of recycling, visit RecycleOneAndDone.com or call 315-733-1224.

### **Steel, Metal Items, Electronics, Major Appliances & White Goods**

- Collected by the village on the **last Thursday** of the month.
- Metal items must not have glass components or hazardous materials (i.e. propane).
- Electronics include TVs, computers, monitors, printers, etc.
- Tires also accepted (no rims; rims must be separated as scrap metal).

### **Construction And Demolition Debris**

- Collected by the hauler on the **last Monday** of the month.
- Two (2) containers, no larger than 30 gallons and not to exceed 50 pounds, may be set out consisting of items such as boards, plaster, and insulation, none to exceed four (4) feet in length.

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### Green/Yard Waste Collection

- Grass clippings, leaves, garden waste and shrub clippings (green waste) must be placed in containers with handles (metal or plastic) and cannot exceed 40 pounds. Clippings placed in bags or left in piles cannot be picked up.
- Green waste should not be placed in the road at any time.
- Green waste pickup is available April 15th through November 15th.
- Green waste should be free of dirt, stones, rocks, animal waste, bricks, cement, asphalt, driveway mix or any items of like material.

### Trees & Branches

- Tree branches, bushes, etc. must be placed in a pile, with all branches in the same direction.
- Branches may not measure longer than 6 feet in length and/or 6 inches in diameter.
- Landscape and lawn care contractors (hired or volunteer) are solely responsible for disposal of all waste generated as a result from their work.
- Homeowner or contractor is responsible for all wood and debris from the removal of a whole tree of any size.

### Bulk Items

- Furniture, mattresses, wooden doors, exercise equipment and similar items can be disposed of with the purchase of a bulk item sticker. Stickers are \$10 each and available for purchase from the Village Office. For details, call 315-736-3512.

### Sharps

- Used needles, syringes and lancets are to be placed in a puncture-proof container like a laundry detergent bottle with a cap.
- Tape lid/cap shut, label as "SHARPS" and place in the garbage.

### Special Items

- Household hazardous wastes (such as paints and chemicals) as well as extra recyclables and garbage can be disposed of through the Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority at: **EcoDrop Utica, 80 Leland Ave., Utica, NY 13502**
- Electronics can be delivered to Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority at no charge or returned back to the store in which the item was purchased for proper recycling and disposal. It is against NYS law to place electronic waste in the garbage.
- The facility accepts these wastes from April 1 - September 30 every year. Households are allowed to drop off 14 wet gallons and/or 20 dry pounds of waste per trip.
- If you are not sure how to dispose of something, please contact Oneida-Herkimer Solid Waste Authority at **315-733-1224** or visit [www.ohswa.org](http://www.ohswa.org).