

CITY OF DEVILS LAKE



2025

Regular Garbage Pickup Schedule

THUR

TUE

MON

WED

FRI

THUR



RESIDENTIAL GARBAGE

Residential garbage will be collected weekly according to the schedule shown. Residents can obtain sticker(s) from City Offices for the number of cans they want to be picked up on their weekly pickup day. Customers are required to supply their own garbage cans with a maximum size of **32 gallons**.

All garbage must be in a bag and any garbage not in a can will not be picked up. Special blue City bags can be purchased at Leever's or City Office for any excess garbage that does not fit in the can.



COMMERCIAL GARBAGE

Commercial customers can make arrangements for dumpster rental or purchase by calling the Sanitation Dept. at 662-7624 or City Offices at 662-7600, Ex 1. Dumpster pickup can vary from once a week or as often as six times a week.



HOLIDAY SCHEDULING GARBAGE/RECYCLING

City observed holidays are noted throughout the calendar. Garbage and recycling pickup falling on a holiday will be picked up the next working day.



CURBSIDE RECYCLING

Residential curbside collection occurs every other week. If your garbage is scheduled to be picked on a day marked with an "R", put your recyclables out in the same place your garbage is picked up. Recycling containers are available by calling the Sanitation Dept. at 662-7624.

Special Pickup Schedule

	Spring	Fall
Area 1	April 28	September 15
Area 2	May 5	September 22
Area 3	May 12	September 29
Area 4	May 19	October 6



SPRING/FALL SPECIAL PICKUP DETAILS/ACCEPTABLE ITEMS

Each residential account is allowed to put out 5 CY (about 2 pickup loads) of items for special pickup each spring and fall. Items must be placed out where garbage is normally picked up by 7 AM on the Monday special pickup starts in that area.

Acceptable items include carpet, mattresses, furniture, construction debris, tires (extra charge), appliances (\$15 free fee), doors and windows.



INERT LANDFILL

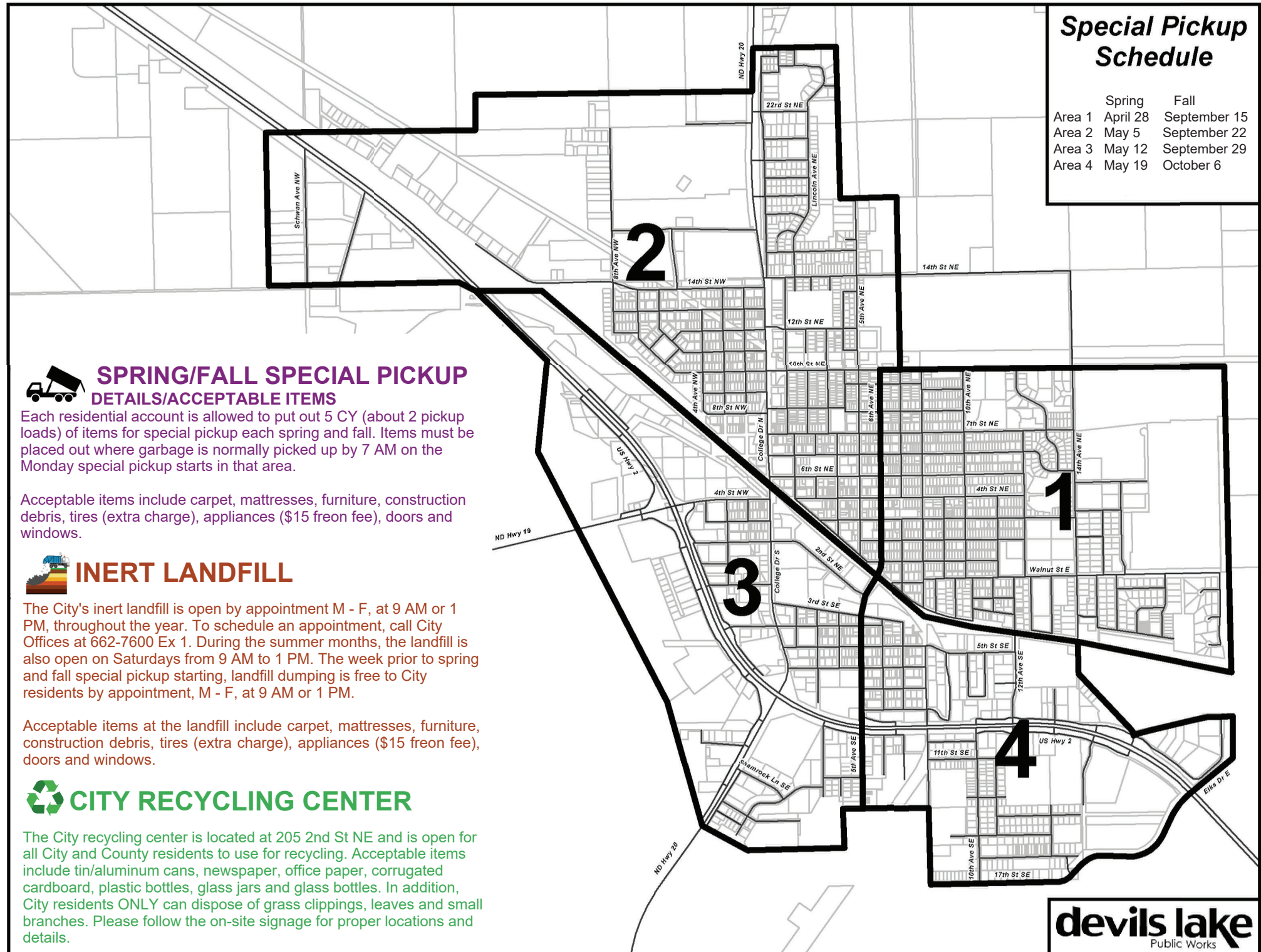
The City's inert landfill is open by appointment M - F, at 9 AM or 1 PM, throughout the year. To schedule an appointment, call City Offices at 662-7600 Ex 1. During the summer months, the landfill is also open on Saturdays from 9 AM to 1 PM. The week prior to spring and fall special pickup starting, landfill dumping is free to City residents by appointment, M - F, at 9 AM or 1 PM.

Acceptable items at the landfill include carpet, mattresses, furniture, construction debris, tires (extra charge), appliances (\$15 free fee), doors and windows.



CITY RECYCLING CENTER

The City recycling center is located at 205 2nd St NE and is open for all City and County residents to use for recycling. Acceptable items include tin/aluminum cans, newspaper, office paper, corrugated cardboard, plastic bottles, glass jars and glass bottles. In addition, City residents ONLY can dispose of grass clippings, leaves and small branches. Please follow the on-site signage for proper locations and details.



Zone 1 Streets - 2nd & 4th Thu, 8 am - 5 pm
Avenues - 2nd & 4th Fri, 8 am - 5 pm

Zone 2 Streets - 1st & 3rd Thu, 8 am - 5 pm
Avenues - 1st & 3rd Fri, 8 am - 5 pm

Zone 3 Streets - 1st & 3rd Tue, 8 am - 5 pm
Avenues - 1st & 3rd Wed, 8 am - 5 pm

Zone 4 Streets - 2nd & 4th Tue, 8 am - 5 pm
Avenues - 2nd & 4th Wed, 8 am - 5 pm

Zone 5 Streets & Avenues - Mon & Fri, 2 am - 7 am

Zone 6 Streets & Avenues - 1st & 3rd Mon, 7 am - 12



DOWNTOWN DISTRICT SNOW REMOVAL

To avoid being ticketed, remove vehicles from the downtown streets and avenues during these times for snow removal.

CITY SNOW REMOVAL OPERATIONS

The City of Devils Lake snow removal operations are done in two modes: Storm Operation and Routine Maintenance Mode.

STORM OPERATION MODE

- Limited city crews may work during storm to keep priority routes passable.
- Full city crews work after storm clearing priority routes and then residential areas.
- Downtown area will be cleaned the first night following clearing of priority roads.
- When priority roads are open, crews will begin plowing in residential areas, generally in daylight hours due to safety concerns.
- If residential streets are impassable, crews will work to open residential streets PRIOR to cleaning downtown.
- Alleys cleaned based on garbage pickup routes; downtown cleaned first.
- Snow gates are not effective with deep snow and may not be used.
- Residents asked to not park on streets/avenues where they will hinder City snow removal efforts.
- Motorists asked to limit travel so snow removal can progress.

FIRE HYDRANTS AND MAILBOXES

- Resident's responsibility to remove snow around mailboxes.
- Residents are asked to clear snow from fire hydrants in their area.
- City crews will work to clear these areas as time allows during maintenance periods.

SIDEWALK

- Residents are required to clear their sidewalk of snow or ice within 24 hours of a snow event; if not cleared, the City or its contractor may remove the snow and bill the property owner.
- Residents should notify the City of uncleared sidewalks so problems can be corrected.

ROUTINE MAINTENANCE MODE

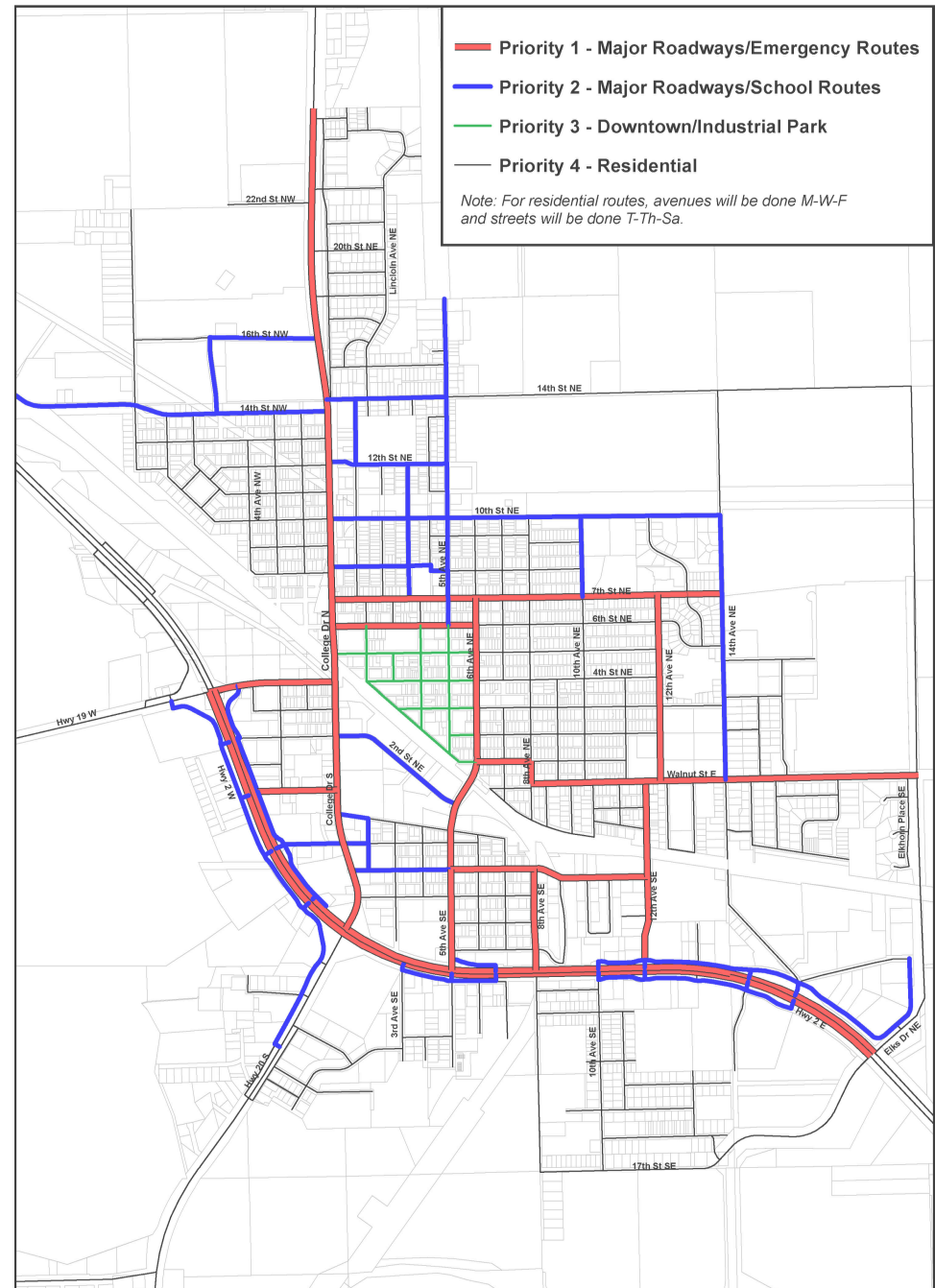
- Remove compacted snow, widening of roads, scheduled snow removal.
- Residential streets:** NO PARKING 8 AM - 5 PM Tue, Thu, Sat.
- Residential avenues:** NO PARKING 8 AM - 5 PM Mon, Wed, Fri.
- Downtown district:** NO PARKING 2 AM - 7 AM except Sundays and holidays.
- Downtown parking lots:** NO PARKING Mondays or Friday, 2 AM - 7 AM, on the appropriate day for each parking lot.

PARKING TICKET

Ticketing will occur for failure to remove your vehicle from streets, avenues and parking lots for snow removal maintenance.

PROPERTY OWNER AND CONTRACTOR SNOW REMOVAL

- All snow removed from sidewalks or driveways in residential areas must be stored on the boulevard, homeowner's property or hauled away.
- Residents, business owners and contractors are reminded it is illegal to deposit, place, move or push snow and leave on streets, alleys or highway rights of way within the City.
- Violations may result in the City removing snow and billing property owner according to the City's Rates and Fees.
- Be courteous and do not push snow onto your neighbor's property or boulevard without their permission.



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proper disposal information

APPLIANCES may be disposed of at the landfill or during special pickup for residential accounts. Call 662-7600, ext 1, to schedule an appointment to go to the landfill. Check the Special Pickup map in this calendar to see when it takes place in your area. There is an additional \$15 charge for appliances with freon.

ASBESTOS siding, flooring, or insulation products can be disposed of by making special arrangements with the Sanitation Department at 662-7624.

BATTERIES in small household quantities may be placed in your regular garbage. Auto batteries may be recycled by taking to HE Everson on College Dr S or where you buy your new battery.

CELL PHONES need to be disposed of in your regular garbage.

COMPUTER MONITORS are not allowed with special pickups and need to be discarded with your regular garbage. If the monitor does not fit in your garbage can, tape a special blue City bag around it and put out with your regular garbage.

CONSTRUCTION DEBRIS from household projects may be taken to the landfill by calling 662-7600, ext 1, to make an appointment for 9:00 am or 1:00 pm, Monday-Friday.

ELECTRONIC ITEMS such as games, tablets, or iPads are not allowed in the special pickups and must be disposed of in your regular garbage.

LIGHT BULBS may be put in your regular garbage, but please put in a container to prevent injury from broken glass. If you have large amounts to dispose of, please contact the Sanitation Department at 662-7624.

MICROWAVES are not allowed in special pickups but can be disposed of in your regular garbage. If the microwave does not fit in your garbage can, tape a special blue City bag around it and set out with your regular garbage.

MOTOR OIL can be recycled by dumping in the specially marked tank at the recycling center at 205 2nd St NE during regular working hours.

PAINT cans are allowed in your regular garbage as long as cans are empty or paint is dried out. Use sand or kitty litter to soak up the paint and dry it out. To empty a spray can, spray contents into a cardboard box.

PRESCRIPTIONS left over or outdated may be taken to a pharmacy for disposal or dropped in the specially marked box in the lobby of the Law Enforcement Center.

TELEVISIONS need to be disposed of with your regular garbage. Tape a special blue City garbage bag around the TV and place it out for pickup with your regular garbage.

TIRES can be taken to the landfill for disposal or put out for pickup during the spring or fall special pickup. There is a charge for tire disposal: \$1.50 for car tires, \$5.00 for truck tires and \$10.00 for tractor tires.

PERMITS REQUIRED



Anyone wishing to block a public right of way such as a street, alley or parking spaces needs to contact the City Engineering Office at 662-7600, ext 2, to secure a no-cost permit.

Call City Office at 662-7600, ext 3, to get a building permit for your construction project. Permits are required for fences or decks, siding or egress windows, structural changes or remodeling, new construction, additions or demolitions.



Permits are required prior to replacement of sidewalks or curb and gutter. Call the Engineering Department at 662-7600, ext 2, to get more information on sidewalk permits.

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City Offices

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Sign up today to set up an online account to pay your utility bill each month. Go to xpressbillpay.com to create an account or call City Office at 662-7600, ext 1, to get more information.

CITY PHONE NUMBERS....

Accounting	662-7600, ext 1
Addressing	662-7600, ext 3
Airport	662-5833
Assessing	662-7600, ext 3
Auditing	662-7600, ext 1
Building inspections	662-7600, ext 3
Building permits	662-7600, ext 3
Cemetery	662-7600, ext 1
Chamber of Commerce	662-4903
City Commission	662-7600, ext 1
Economic Development	662-4933
Engineering	662-7600, ext 2
Fire Department	662-3913
Garbage collection	662-7600, ext 1
Lake Region Ambulance	662-8832
Landfill appointment	662-7600, ext 1
Law Enforcement	662-0700
Library	662-2220
Mapping	662-7600, ext 2
Park Board	662-8243
Planning/zoning	662-7600, ext 2
Police Department	662-0712
Property information	662-7600, ext 3
Property value	662-7600, ext 3
Sewer service	662-7623
Sidewalks	662-7600, ext 2
Snow removal	662-7605
Special assessments	662-7600, ext 1
Street repair	662-7605
Subdivisions	662-7600, ext 2
Tourism	662-4957
Utility billing	662-7600, ext 1
Water service	662-7623

JANUARY 2025

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
29	30	31	1	* R 2	R 3	4
PERSONS 65 OR OLDER, DISABLED PERSONS OR DISABLED VETERANS may submit applications for real estate tax credit to City Office by February 1. Call Rob Johnson at 662-7600, ext 227 to get more information on qualifications for the credit.			No garbage pickup No recycling pickup HOLIDAY NEW YEAR'S DAY	Wed & Thu garbage picked up *Wed recy picked up		
5	6	R 7	8	R 9	10	11
	5:30 pm City Co mtg					
 <i>Christmas tree pickup begins January 6 and continues until all are picked up. Trees are picked up separately from your garbage.</i> 						
12	R 13	14	R 15	16	R 17	18
19	20	R 21	22	R 23	24	25
	No garbage pickup HOLIDAY M L KING DAY	5:30 pm City Co mtg Mon & Tue garbage picked up				
26	R 27	28	R 29	30	R 31	1
						R=Recycling pickup. For example, if your garbage is picked up on Monday, put your recyclables beside your garbage on each Monday with an "R".

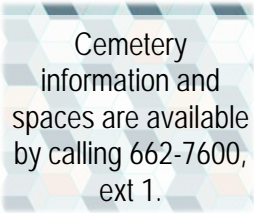

FEBRUARY 2025

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
26	27	28	29	30	31	1
<div>  <p>Garbage not placed in your can will not be picked up. If you have extra garbage, special blue City bags are available at Leavers or City Office. Place beside your regular garbage can.</p>  </div>						
2	3 5:30 pm City Co mtg	R 4	5	R 6	7	8
9	R 10	11	R 12	13	R 14	15
16	17 No garbage pickup HOLIDAY PRESIDENTS DAY	R 18 5:30 pm City Co mtg Mon & Tue garbage picked up	19	R 20	21	22
23	R 24	25	R 26	27	R 28	1 R=Recycling pickup. For example, if your garbage is picked up on Monday, put your recyclables beside your garbage on each Monday with an "R".


MARCH 2025

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
2	3 5:30 pm City Co mtg	R 4	5	R 6	7	1
						8
9	R 10	11	R 12	13	R 14	15
16	17 5:30 pm City Co mtg	R 18	19	R 20	21	22
23	R 24	25	R 26	27	R 28	29
30	31	1	2	3	4	5
			<p>Each year the Fire Department provides \$125 vouchers to be used towards the purchase of trees from a local greenhouse. The vouchers are available to homeowners who agree to plant and maintain a tree on the boulevard. Call the Fire Department at 662-3913 for more information.</p>			<p>R=Recycling pickup. For example, if your garbage is picked up on Monday, put your recyclables beside your garbage on each Monday with an "R".</p>

APRIL 2025

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
30 R=Recycling pickup. For example, if your garbage is picked up on Monday, put your recyclables beside your garbage on each Monday with an "R".	31  Cemetery information and spaces are available by calling 662-7600, ext 1.	R 1	2	R 3	4	5
6	R 7 5:30 pm City Co mtg	8	R 9	10	R 11	12
13	14	R 15	16	R 17	18 No garbage pickup HOLIDAY GOOD FRIDAY	19
20	R 21 5:30 pm City Co mtg Fri & Mon garbage picked up	22	R 23	24	R 25	26
EASTER SUNDAY	Free landfill dumping for City residents by appointment 9:00 am or 1:00 pm, Monday-Friday					
27	28 SPECIAL PICKUP AREA 1	R 29	30	1	2	3
					DOES YOUR SIDEWALK NEED TO BE REPLACED? Call City Office at 662-7600, ext 2, to get more information on the possibility of the City sharing in the cost of your sidewalk replacement.	



MAY 2025

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
27 R=Recycling pickup. For example, if your garbage is picked up on Monday, put your recyclables beside your garbage on each Monday with an "R".	28 	29 Flowers may be placed in the cemetery 5 days prior to Memorial Day and must be removed by the 2nd Monday following Memorial Day. Cemetery hours are 7 am to 11 pm. Pets are not allowed in the cemetery.	30	R 1	2	3
4	R 5 5:30 pm City Co mtg SPECIAL PICKUP AREA 2	6	R 7	8	R 9	10 9:00 am-1:00 pm Landfill open
11	12 SPECIAL PICKUP AREA 3	R 13	14	R 15	16	17
18	R 19 5:30 pm City Co mtg SPECIAL PICKUP AREA 4	20	R 21	22	R 23	24
25	26 No garbage pickup HOLIDAY MEMORIAL DAY	R 27 Mon & Tue garbage picked up	28	R 29	30	31


JUNE 2025

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	R 2 5:30 pm City Co mtg	3	R 4	5	R 6	7
8	9 Remove cemetery flowers by today	R 10	11	R 12	13	14 9:00 am-1:00 pm Landfill open
15	R 16 5:30 pm City Co mtg	17	R 18	19	R 20	21
22	23	R 24	25	R 26	27	28
29	R 30	1	2	3	4	5
 <p>The City ground sprays for mosquitos when weather conditions allow and dispenses larvicide briquettes at breeding sites. Depending on mosquito counts, the City contracts for aerial spraying around the 4th of July holiday and Labor Day.</p>						<p>R=Recycling pickup. For example, if your garbage is picked up on Monday, put your recyclables beside your garbage on each Monday with an "R".</p>

JULY 2025

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
29 R=Recycling pickup. For example, if your garbage is picked up on Monday, put your recyclables beside your garbage on each Monday with an "R".	30  Like us on Facebook at City of Devils Lake- Public Works	1	R 2	3	4 No garbage pickup No recycling pickup HOLIDAY INDEPENDENCE DAY	5
6	*R 7 5:30 pm City Co mtg Fri & Mon garbage picked up *Fri recycling picked up	R 8	9	R 10	11	12 9:00 am-1:00 pm Landfill open
13	R 14	15	R 16	17	R 18	19
20	21 5:30 pm City Co mtg	R 22	23	R 24	25	26
27	R 28	29	R 30	31	1	2
					 <p>www.dvlnd.com Check the City's web page for updates on City projects, contact information, fees and rates, job opportunities, meeting dates, permits and more!!!</p>	

AUGUST 2025


SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
27 R=Recycling pickup. For example, if your garbage is picked up on Monday, put your recyclables beside your garbage on each Monday with an "R".	28 	29	30	31	R 1	2
3	4 5:30 pm City Co mtg	R 5	6	R 7	8	9 9:00 am-1:00 pm Landfill open
10	R 11	12	R 13	14	R 15	16
17	18 5:30 pm City Co mtg	R 19	20	R 21	22	23
24	R 25	26	R 27	28	R 29	30
31						

City residents ONLY may take grass clippings and leaves to the Recycling Center at 205 2nd St NE for no charge. Please do not leave plastic bags or boxes. This site is available to contractors or non City residents FOR A FEE. Call 662-7600, ext 1.


SEPTEMBER 2025

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
31 R=Recycling pickup. For example, if your garbage is picked up on Monday, put your recyclables beside your garbage on each Monday with an "R".	1 No garbage pickup HOLIDAY LABOR DAY	2 R 5:30 pm City Co mtg Mon & Tue garbage picked up	3	4 R	5	6
7	8 R	9	10 R	11	12 R	13 9:00 am-1:00 pm Landfill open
Free landfill dumping for City residents by appointment 9:00 am or 1:00 pm, Monday-Friday						
14	15 5:30 pm City Co mtg SPECIAL PICKUP AREA 1	16 R	17	18 R	19	20
21	22 R SPECIAL PICKUP AREA 2	23	24 R	25	26 R	27
28	29 SPECIAL PICKUP AREA 3	30 R	1	2	3	4
<p>ARE YOU THINKING ABOUT PLANTING A GARDEN BUT DON'T HAVE SPACE FOR IT??</p> <p>The City has an annual program for gardeners to lease a garden spot for the summer.</p> <p>Call 662-7600, ext 2 for more information.</p>						

OCTOBER 2025

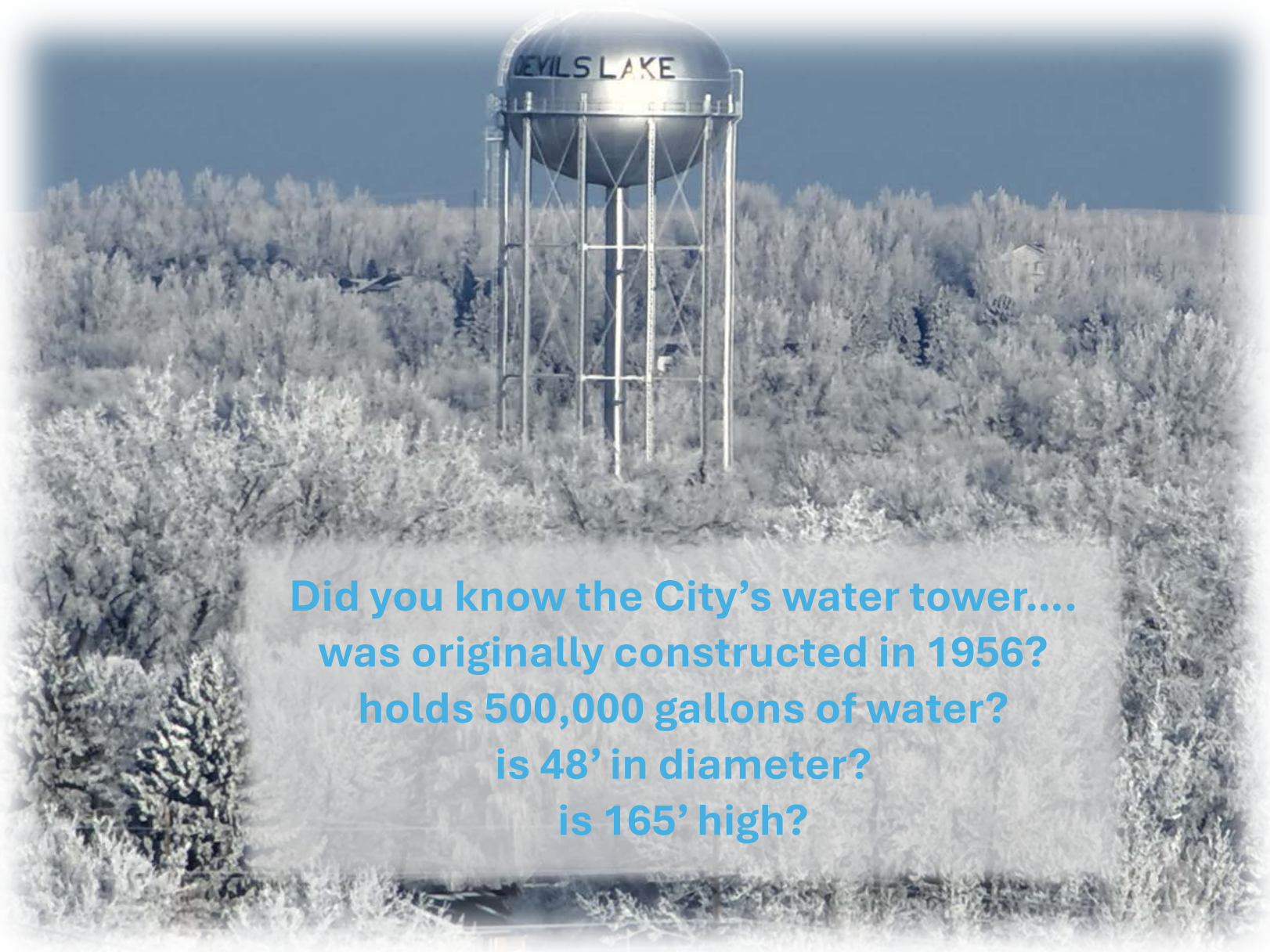
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
28	29	30	1	R 2	3	4
						
5	R 6 5:30 pm City Co mtg SPECIAL PICKUP AREA 4	7	R 8	9	R 10	11
12	13	R 14	15	R 16	17	18
19	R 20 5:30 pm City Co mtg	21	R 22	23	R 24	25
26	27	R 28	29	R 30	31	1 R=Recycling pickup. For example, if your garbage is picked up on Monday, put your recyclables beside your garbage on each Monday with an "R".

NOVEMBER 2025

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
2	R 3 5:30 pm City Co mtg	4	R 5	6	R 7	1
						8
9	10	11 No garbage pickup No recycling pickup HOLIDAY VETERANS DAY	*R 12 Tue & Wed garbage picked up *Tue recycling picked up	R 13	14	15
16	R 17 5:30 pm City Co mtg	18	R 19	20	R 21	22
23	24	R 25	26	27 No garbage pickup No recycling pickup HOLIDAY THANKSGIVING DAY	*R 28 Thu & Fri garbage picked up *Thu recycling picked up	29
30	1	2	3	4	5	6
 RECYCLING FOR THE HOLIDAYS AND YEAR ROUND Food or beverage cans go with aluminum/tin (rinse, remove labels and flatten); greeting cards and office paper go with newspaper (bundle to avoid blowing around); <u>corrugated boxes only</u> go with cardboard (flatten boxes); glass bottles and jars go with glass (rinse, remove covers and labels); narrow neck plastic bottles and small plastic containers go with plastic (rinse, remove caps and labels). Not acceptable for recycling: wrapping paper, glossy paper or magazines, food or pop boxes, glassware.						 R=Recycling pickup. For example, if your garbage is picked up on Monday, put your recyclables beside your garbage on each Monday with an "R".

DECEMBER 2025

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
30 R=Recycling pickup. For example, if your garbage is picked up on Monday, put your recyclables beside your garbage on each Monday with an "R".	R 1 5:30 pm City Co mtg	2	R 3	4	R 5	6
7	8	R 9	10	R 11	12	13
14	R 15 5:30 pm City Co mtg	16	R 17	18	R 19	20
21	22	R 23	24 1/2 DAY HOLIDAY CHRISTMAS EVE	25 No garbage pickup No recycling pickup HOLIDAY CHRISTMAS DAY	*R 26 Thu & Fri garbage picked up *Thu recycling picked up	27
28	R 29	30	R 31	1	2	3
				 <p>Wishing you and your family a smooth ride in the New Year!!</p>		



Did you know the City's water tower....
was originally constructed in 1956?
holds 500,000 gallons of water?
is 48' in diameter?
is 165' high?