



2025

TOWN OF LITTLE ELM



SOLID WASTE GUIDE

UTILITY BILLING: WATER & SOLID WASTE

UTILITY BILLING OFFICE
100 W ELDORADO PARKWAY
SECOND FLOOR (ABOVE LIBRARY)
LITTLE ELM, TEXAS 75068

HOURS OF OPERATION
MONDAY-THURSDAY 7:30 A.M.-5:30 P.M.
FRIDAY 7:30-11:30 A.M.
EMAIL: UTILITYBILLING@LITTLEELM.ORG

Welcome to the Town of Little Elm Utility Billing Office. All residents are billed monthly for water, sewer, and solid waste. There are two ways to set up service: visit our office in person or apply for service over the phone.

To set up water service, please submit the following to the Utility Billing Office:

- Government-issued identification for all parties to be included on the water account.
- Proof of ownership (copy of HUD closing statement) or lease agreement.
- Contact information.
- Date service should be initiated.

After submitting the required documentation to the Utility Billing Office, please call 214-975-0480 to complete the application process.

You can set up ONE-TIME or RECURRING credit card payments by visiting www.littleelm.org/1379/Online-Bill-Pay-Options.

Access the online payment system 24 hours a day, seven days a week. Online payments are processed immediately at no additional charge.

Mastercard, Visa, Discover, and debit cards are accepted for credit card payments.

You may also pay with cash, check, or money order in person at the Utility Billing Office located at 100 W. Eldorado Parkway.

RESIDENTIAL TRASH & RECYCLING GUIDELINES

The Town of Little Elm contracts solid waste and recycling services out to Community Waste Disposal (CWD). Trash and recycle pick up occur on the same day each week.

Little Elm residents receive ONE 95-gallon gray trash cart and ONE 95-gallon blue recycling cart. Extra carts are available for an added monthly fee through Utility Billing. The gray trash cart is for solid waste only. The blue trash cart is for recycling materials only.

Since CWD uses the single-stream recycling method, residents may place all recyclable items inside the same recycling cart. Recyclables should be empty, clean, and dry and placed loosely inside the recycling cart. Please do not bag your recyclables.



BULK TRASH & BRUSH GUIDELINES

Acceptable Bulk Trash & Brush Items

- Mattresses and box springs
- Kitchen appliances (ex. dishwasher, stove, coffee maker, microwave oven, and toaster)
- Washing machines and dryers
- Water heaters (drained)
- Refrigerators/freezers (refrigerant must be removed by a professional and have a label indicating the removal on the appliance)
- Cardboard boxes (broken down, bundled, and tied)
- Carpet bundled in 4-foot lengths
- Tree limbs (need to be 4 ft. by 2 ft. bundled & tied)
- Brush (grass and leaves bagged)
- Fence panels no bigger than 4 ft. by 6 ft.
- Toys and yard tools that are labeled "trash"

Not Acceptable Bulk Trash & Brush Items

- Household Hazardous Waste (ex., paint, motor oil, pool chemicals, fuel, poisons, fertilizers, pesticides, herbicides, fluorescent lamps and bulbs, lamp ballasts, smoke detectors, medical waste, and certain cleaning chemicals)
- Commercial/residential construction and remodeling debris (please call CWD at 972-392-9300, Option 2, for an estimate)
- Tires
- Batteries
- Miscellaneous automotive parts
- Loose debris (debris must be placed in a box or container no larger than 2 ft. x 2 ft. x 4 ft.) and weigh no more than 50 lbs.

WHERE DO I PUT MY BULK & BRUSH FOR PICKUP?

Bulk Trash & Brush **MUST** be placed curbside by **7 a.m.** on your designated collection day or your bulk collection week and will be collected by that evening.

If you miss your scheduled Bulk Trash & Brush week, the Town provides a Courtesy Drop Site for its residents located at 1690 Eldorado Parkway. Please provide a current utility bill and photo identification. Hours of operation are Friday 4-8 p.m. and Saturday and Sunday 8 a.m.-5 p.m. or until full.

Bulk Trash Drop Site

Bulk Trash pickup on schedule trash day

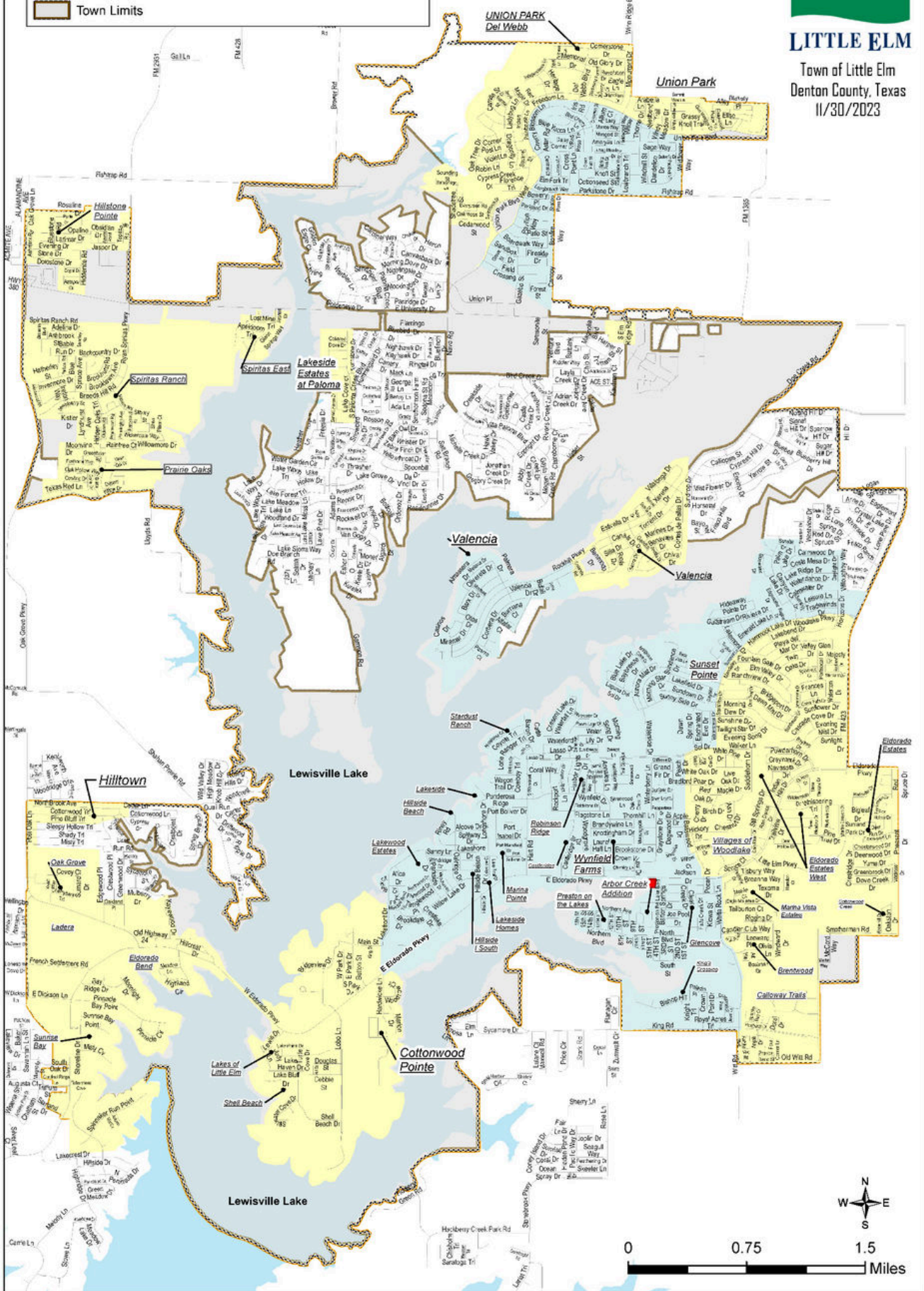
- 1st and 3rd week starting with the first full week of the month
- 2nd and 4th week starting with the first full week of the month

Town Limits



LITTLE ELM

Town of Little Elm
Denton County, Texas
11/30/2023



LITTLE ELM 2025 BULK & BRUSH COLLECTION SCHEDULE

PLEASE ENSURE BULK AND BRUSH ITEMS AT CURB NO LATER THAN 7:00 A.M. ON YOUR SERVICE DAY

JANUARY							FEBRUARY							MARCH							APRIL						
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SEPTEMBER							OCTOBER							NOVEMBER							DECEMBER						
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When are my Bulk & Brush days?

 DENOTES OBSERVED HOLIDAY

1 Find your address on the map.

QUESTIONS OR CONCERNS?

2 Determine if you are in a YELLOW or BLUE zone.

CONTACT CWD

3 Look at the color-coded weeks above. Bulk and brush will be serviced on your trash day during your scheduled weeks.

CUSTOMERSERVICE@CWD.TO

972.392.9300/OPTION 2





Town of Little Elm Solid Waste Holiday Schedule 2025

**** RESIDENTIAL SERVICES SCHEDULE ONLY ****

New Year's Day – Wednesday, January 1 Independence Day – Friday, July 4

Monday 12/30 – Regular Collection
Tuesday 12/31 – Regular Collection
Wednesday 1/1 – **NO COLLECTION**
Thursday 1/2 – **Wednesday's** Trash/Recycling
Friday 1/3 – **Thursday's** Trash/Recycling
Saturday 1/4 – **Friday's** Trash/Recycling

Monday 6/30 – Regular Collection
Tuesday 7/1 – Regular Collection
Wednesday 7/2 – Regular Collection
Thursday 7/3 – Regular Collection
Friday 7/4 – **NO COLLECTION**
Saturday 7/5 – **Friday's** Trash/Recycling

MLK, Jr. Day – Monday, January 20

Monday 1/20 – Regular Collection
Tuesday 1/21 – Regular Collection
Wednesday 1/22 – Regular Collection
Thursday 1/23 – Regular Collection
Friday 1/24 – Regular Collection
No Disruption of Services

Labor Day – Monday, September 1

Monday 9/1 – Regular Collection
Tuesday 9/2 – Regular Collection
Wednesday 9/3 – Regular Collection
Thursday 9/4 – Regular Collection
Friday 9/5 – Regular Collection
No Disruption of Services

Good Friday – Friday, April 18

Monday 4/14 – Regular Collection
Tuesday 4/15 – Regular Collection
Wednesday 4/16 – Regular Collection
Thursday 4/17 – Regular Collection
Friday 4/18 – Regular Collection
No Disruption of Services

Thanksgiving – Thursday, November 27

Monday 11/24 – Regular Collection
Tuesday 11/25 – Regular Collection
Wednesday 11/26 – Regular Collection
Thursday 11/27 – **NO COLLECTION**
Friday 11/28 – **Thursday's** Trash/Recycling
Saturday 11/29 – **Friday's** Trash/Recycling

Memorial Day – Monday, May 26

Monday 5/26 – Regular Collection
Tuesday 5/27 – Regular Collection
Wednesday 5/28 – Regular Collection
Thursday 5/29 – Regular Collection
Friday 5/30 – Regular Collection
No Disruption of Services

Christmas – Thursday, December 25

Monday 12/22 – Regular Collection
Tuesday 12/23 – Regular Collection
Wednesday 12/24 – Regular Collection
Thursday 12/25 – **NO COLLECTION**
Friday 12/26 – **Thursday's** Trash/Recycling
Saturday 12/27 – **Friday's** Trash/Recycling



PUBLIC WORKS



1600 MARK TREE LANE
LITTLE ELM, TEXAS 75068
972-377-5556

HOURS OF OPERATION
MONDAY-FRIDAY 7 A.M.-3 P.M.

Welcome to the Little Elm Public Works Department, an American Public Works Accredited Agency. We are here to help you maintain the town's infrastructure.

The Public Works Department is responsible for six divisions:

- Stormwater Operations
- Streets
- Waste Water Collections
- Waste Water Treatment
- Fleet
- Water Division (water operations, water quality)
- Solid Waste (trash, recycling)



COURTESY DROP SITE GUIDELINES

Accepted Items:

Metal | Brush and Tree Limbs |
Cooking Oils (sealed tightly with a
screw top lid) | Carboard and General
Waste | Furniture, Mattresses, and
Box Springs

Please note that there will be no staff to assist with the loading and unloading of any solid waste or brush/tree trimmings.

This site is not a landfill and has very limited space; therefore, we must ensure all items are residential waste or recycling.

We cannot accept contractor debris such as an entire wood fence that has to be replaced, roofing shingles, or bricks. These items should be disposed of by the contractor as part of the project cost.

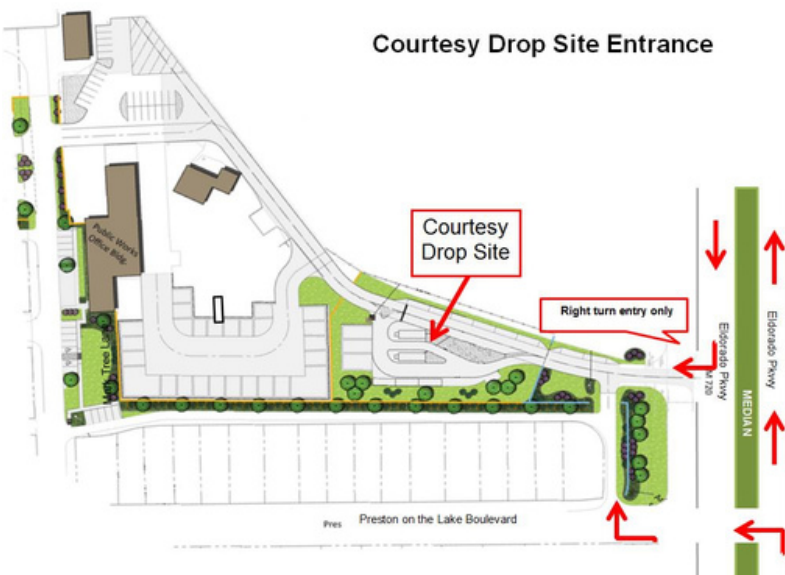
The Courtesy Drop Site is located at 1690 E. Eldorado Parkway and is open to Little Elm Residents with an active water or trash account. There is no fee to use the drop site. Please bring your most recent utility bill and photo ID with your matching Little Elm address.

Hours of Operation:

FRIDAY 4-8 P.M.
SATURDAY 8 A.M.-5 P.M.
SUNDAY 8 A.M.-5 P.M.
(OR UNTIL FULL)

Please note these hours may be impacted by holidays.

Courtesy Drop Site Entrance





RESPONSIBLE WATER USE

Water Conservation Tips

- Check bathroom and kitchen faucets, pipes, and toilets for leaks.
- Turn off the kitchen faucet while scrubbing pots and dishes.
- Install water-saving shower heads and take shorter showers.
- Turn off the running water while soaping your hands and brushing your teeth.
- Use your dishwasher and washing machine only when fully loaded.
- Use a broom, not a hose, to clean driveways and sidewalks.
- Place mulch around plants to hold water in the soil.
- Water your yard and outdoor plants early or late in the day to reduce evaporation.
- Reduce water runoff by planting native plants in gardens.

Adjust Your Irrigation Controller to Meet the Needs of Your Lawn and the Changing Seasons

- In hot, dry weather, water shrubs and flowers daily.
- Morning, around 2-8 a.m., is the best time to water.
- The rule of thumb for lawns is to water one inch deep each time you water.
- It's better for the lawn to water heavily and less frequently than to mist it daily.
- Pay attention to high-sun areas of the lawn.
- Don't forget that even mature trees need water, too.



SOLID WASTE & LITTLE ELM ORDINANCE

Your trash and recycling containers shall be placed at the curb no earlier than 7 p.m. on the day prior to the scheduled collection day.

To ensure collection; trash and recycling containers must be placed at the curb no later than 7 a.m. on the day of collection.

Trash and recycling carts and any other unacceptable waste or recyclables shall be removed from the curb or other designated point by the resident no later than 7 a.m. on the day following their scheduled collection day.

Your homeowners association (HOA) may have more stringent requirements for trash and recycling cart storage. Please check your HOA governing documents for details.

TOP FIVE REASONS SOLID WASTE AND RECYCLING PICKUP CAN BE UNSUCCESSFUL:

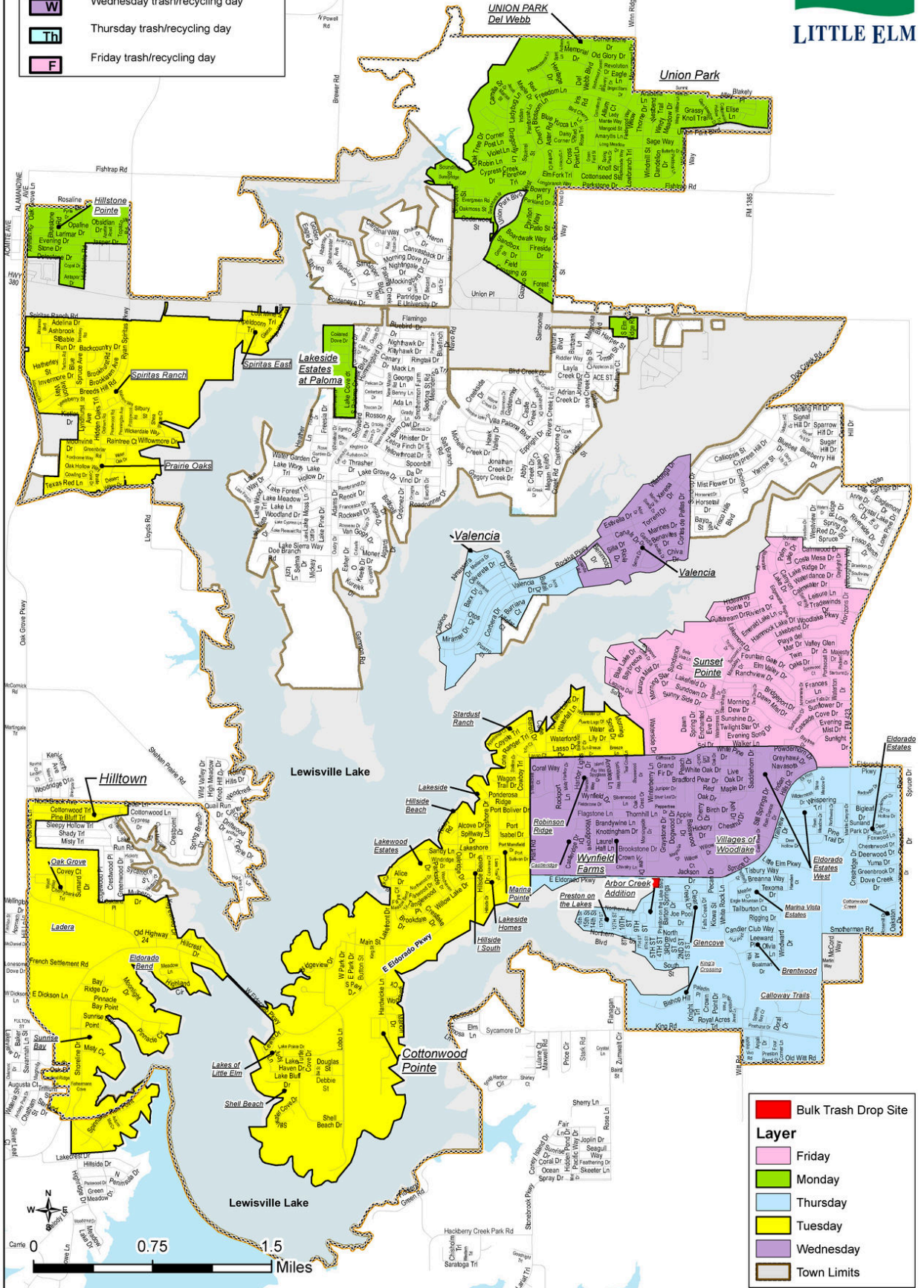
1. The cart was placed too close to the mailbox
2. A vehicle was blocking access to the cart
3. The cart was put out after 7 a.m.
4. The cart lid was unable to be closed and overflowing
5. Carts were placed too close together

For missed trash pickup, please call Utility Billing at 214-975-0480.

MONDAY-THURSDAY 7:30 A.M.-5:30 P.M.
FRIDAY 7:30-11:30 A.M.

Residential Trash/Recycling Service Days

- M Monday trash/recycling day
- Tu Tuesday trash/recycling day
- W Wednesday trash/recycling day
- Th Thursday trash/recycling day
- F Friday trash/recycling day



Bulk Trash Drop Site

Layer

- Friday
- Monday
- Thursday
- Tuesday
- Wednesday
- Town Limits

CLEAN AND GREEN GUIDELINES

The Clean & Green events occur twice yearly at the Public Works Service Center. These special events are FREE for Little Elm residents and provide an opportunity to dispose of household trash items that are not accepted for regular or bulk trash pickup responsibly.

This is the perfect time to purge your homes, sheds, and garages of unwanted/unused paints, pesticides, tires, engine oil, automotive batteries, electronics, and more!

2025 - April 12 and October 4 from 8 a.m. to noon.



The graphic features a dark blue background with the Little Elm logo in the top left. The text 'HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE' is written in large, bold, light green letters. Below the text are three white circles. Three circular images show various hazardous waste items: paint cans, household cleaning products, and motor oil. A list of accepted items is provided at the bottom.

HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE

- Paint
- Motor oil/auto fluids
- Automotive batteries
- Pool chemicals
- Household cleaning chemicals
- Fluorescent lamps and bulbs
- Pesticides
- Cooking oil/grease



The graphic has a green background with a photo of trees in the background. The text 'TOWN OF LITTLE ELM PUBLIC WORKS' is at the top, followed by 'CLEAN & GREEN' in large white letters. Below this, it lists 'ACCEPTED ITEMS:' and provides details for refrigerators, household hazardous waste (HHW), kitchen appliances, e-waste, and tires.

TOWN OF LITTLE ELM PUBLIC WORKS

CLEAN & GREEN

ACCEPTED ITEMS:

REFRIGERATORS AND FREEZERS (CWD WILL REMOVE THE REFRIGERANT FOR YOU)

HHW - EX. PAINT, MOTOR OIL/AUTO FLUIDS, POOL CHEMICALS, HOUSEHOLD CLEANING CHEMICALS, FLUORESCENT LAMPS AND BULBS, AUTOMOTIVE BATTERIES, PESTICIDES, COOKING OIL/GREASE

KITCHEN APPLIANCES, WASHERS, AND DRYERS

E-WASTE/ELECTRONICS - EX. TELEVISIONS, COMPUTERS, LAPTOPS, MONITORS, PRINTERS, VIDEO GAME CONSOLES

TIRES

KEEP LITTLE ELM BEAUTIFUL



Keep Little Elm Beautiful (KLEB) is a nonprofit organization looking for volunteers like yourself to join our team and do your part in keeping Little Elm beautiful. The board meets at 6 p.m. on the third Wednesday of every month.

KLEB hosts several events throughout the year. The Shredding Event occurs twice a year, once in the spring and once in the fall.

These events are FREE for Little Elm residents and provide an opportunity to dispose of any sensitive documents that need to be shredded.

KLEB offers a neighborhood clean-up trailer to residents and organizations in Little Elm. The trailer contains equipment such as pickers, trash bags, and safety vests to clean up litter around town. This trailer may be reserved and taken to different parts of the community.

For more information, please visit <https://www.littleelm.org/489/Keep-Little-Elm-Beautiful> or email KLEB75068@gmail.com.

Keep Little Elm Beautiful
PO BOX 1416
Little Elm, TX 75068

THINGS YOU CAN RECYCLE



**GLASS BOTTLES &
CONTAINERS
BOTELLAS Y ENVASES DE
VIDRIO**



**PLASTIC CONTAINERS
#1 - 5 & #7
(NO STYROFOAM)
RECIPIENTES DE PLÁSTICO
NÚMERO UNO
HASTA CINCO Y NUMERO
SIETE
(NO POLIESTIRENO)**



**CORRUGATED
CARDBOARD
& BOXBOARD
CAJAS DE CARTÓN Y
CARTULINA GRIS**

**MIXED PAPER
PAPEL
MIXTRO**



**WAX-COATED
PAPER DRINK
CONTAINERS
RECIPIENTES DE
PAPEL
ENCERADO PARA
BEBIDAS**

**NEWSPAPERS
PERIÓDICOS**



THINGS YOU CAN'T RECYCLE



**PLASTIC BAGS
THEY TANGLE
RECYCLING EQUIPMENT.**



PACKAGING MATERIALS



STYROFOAM

**FOOD OR WET WASTE
THESE BELONG IN THE TRASH.**



PAPER TOWELS/TOILET TISSUE

**BAGGED LEAVES, GRASS
CLIPPINGS, AND BRANCHES**



LIGHTBULBS/WINDOW PANES

**ITEMS CONSTRUCTED OF MULTIPLE
MATERIALS ARE NOT ACCEPTED.**

**SHREDDED PAPER
THE SMALL PIECES GET CAUGHT IN
RECYCLING EQUIPMENT.**



**PAPER & PLASTIC FOOD SERVING ITEMS
THESE ITEMS ARE NOT RECYCLABLE FOR
MANY REASONS, INCLUDING PROBABLE
FOOD CONTAMINATION AND CUTLERY SIZE.**