



SPRING CLEAN UP

Spring Clean Up is scheduled to begin on April 25th.

Items will be picked up in the same location as your trash can (boulevard or alley). We will be starting on the South side of town going East to West and then to the North side of town going West to East. Have your items out by **April 25th**, but be aware that it takes our crew approximately a week and a half to move through town.

****If the items you wish to have picked up are not set out when we come by, we will NOT make return trips to get them.****

<u>Spring Clean Up Items Include:</u>		
*Dirt & Rocks	*Sheetrock	*Shingles
*Concrete & Asphalt	*Carpet	*Porcelain Sinks/Toilets
*Lumber & Wood	*Windows	*Yard Waste

**One Cubic Yard or less is the limit on all materials.
If you put out more, it will NOT be picked up.**

<u>Spring Clean Up Items NOT ALLOWED:</u>	
*Contractor or Personal Demolition Waste	*Appliances
*Hazardous Materials	*A/C Units
*Furniture & Mattresses	*Paint Cans
*Paper & Plastic Bags	*Boxes
*Tires	

GREEN CANS

~Collection begins Tuesday May

The City will continue its fee based program for the Green Cans this year, making them available to all City residents. These cans are used to collect **green waste only** and are emptied once per week.

- If you have a Green Can from last year, you just need to place the new 2023 sticker **that is in this mailing** right over the top of the 2022 sticker. Each can must be marked with a 2023 sticker.
- The sticker allows the green waste collection drivers to know who has paid for the program. If you do not place your 2023 sticker onto your Green Can, the green waste will not be picked up.
- If you wish to join the program there is a nominal charge. The service is available from May through October. For those who sign up for the service, the fee will be added to your utility bill. Please call **406 222-5667** to order a Green Can.
- If you do not wish to use the full service from May through October, there will be an administrative fee for delivery and/or pickup of Green Cans.
- Collection begins on **Tuesday, May 2nd** and runs through the end of October. We will advertise the final pick up day in October.
- Green Cans are picked up on Tuesdays & Thursdays. Collection begins on the South side of town going from East to West and then the North side of town going from West to East. Our drivers work through as much of the route as possible on Tuesday and finish the remainder on Thursday.
- **Green Cans are picked up from the street only.** Please place cans a safe distance from all vehicles and other items parked on street.
- Please keep garbage, dirt, rocks and non-compostable material out of the green cans.
- **Green Cans filled with garbage, Will Not be picked up.** (If they are dumped before the driver realizes there is garbage instead of yard waste in the can, the whole load is contaminated and becomes regular garbage.)
- **Do Not Bag Yard Waste.** it will **Not** be picked up.

Follow City of Livingston, Public Works Department on Facebook for continuous updates and information.
Public Works
406 222-5667
City Finance and Utility Billing
406 222-1142

For all other questions, such as trash pick-up, street concerns & non-billing related water or sewer questions, please contact the Public Works Office at 406 222-5667.

TREES & WEEDS

City residents are responsible for the care and maintenance of both trees and weeds along boulevards and alleys adjacent to their property per City Code 12-92 and 93, Ordinance 2084. Any trimming, planting or removal of boulevard trees requires a permit from the City. These permits can be found on our website and returned to the Public Works Department for review & approval.

WATER & SEWER SERVICES

DON'T FLUSH TROUBLE!!

These items cause blockages in sewer mains and are not processed at the Water Reclamation Facility. They **DO NOT** belong in the toilet:

- Disposable Wipes
- Latex, Vinyl or Rubber Gloves
- Clothing, Wash Clothes, Towels
- Diapers and Wipes
- Feminine Hygiene Products
- Chemicals, Fats, Oils and Grease
- Paper Towels & Kleenex

ROOT CUTTING & SEWER LINE FLUSHING

Crews will be cutting roots & flushing sewer mains throughout the spring & summer. Cutting back tree roots that have grown through old sewer pipes and flushing the pipes helps prevent backups. If you have work done to cut roots or clean out your service line, please call the Public Works Department, 406 222-5667, so they can inspect the nearby sewer mains afterwards.

WATER DEPARTMENT

For information about water conservation in your home and the City's most recent Water Quality Report go to our website:

<http://www.livingstonmontana.org/publicworks/page/annual-drinking-water-quality-report>

LEAD/COPPER PIPE INVENTORY

The Federal Government, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and the Montana Department of Environmental Quality (MT DEQ) are requiring every Municipality to inventory all of their Water Service Lines to determine how many lead pipes are left in our systems. That means the City of Livingston will be asking for your help in getting the information we need about the service lines into your homes or buildings.

We have step-by-step instructions on how to determine what type of pipe is coming into your home or building on our City Website at www.livingstonmontana.org. Look for the Water Inventory Button. Once on this link you will be asked to answer some questions on a Test Sheet and either email, or print and regular mail, the results to us.

This is something that **HAS** to be done at every home and building in Livingston. We would like to have the bulk of this done by October 2023. If you do not have the ability, or do not feel comfortable doing the step-by-step test and sending the results to us via our website, please call 406 222-5667 to schedule an appointment to have someone from the City Water Department come and check your pipes.

We anticipate a large volume of calls, so we ask for our patience as we return those calls.

*****The City Water does NOT have an issue with lead and is completely safe. This is strictly an inventory to determine if we still have any lead pipes in our system and to update the Federal Government*****

Again, if you have questions or concerns, please call 406 222-5667 or email hdelahunt@livingstonmontana.org or slembcke@livingstonmontana.org

