

PRESS RELEASE

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Re: LRS update

BULK ITEM COLLECTION RESUMES FOR CITY OF DEKALB HOUSEHOLDS

City of DeKalb residents served by Lakeshore Recycling Systems (LRS) for garbage and recycling service can begin to put out bulk or extra items. Bulk item had previously been on hold due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

The City of DeKalb and LRS ask that you limit the number of extra or bulk items you put at the curb as this service resumes.

Those with LRS service may place one (1) bulk item out per week. If you have more to place out, please call LRS Customer Service. Please consider gradually placing out bulk items so Lakeshore's crews can begin to catch up with an anticipated higher volume of bulk items. Please visit LRSrecycles.com/DeKalb to learn more about the LRS City of DeKalb waste program.

• **MATTRESSES**

- Must be in a plastic mattress cover and securely taped closed.
- Plastic mattress covers can be found at local hardware stores (Lowe's, Home Depot), Walmart, Target, Storage Facility stores and online (Amazon).

• **CARPET**

- Must not exceed 4' length and 18" diameter, and 50 pounds per roll
- Must be secured and tied (loose carpet will not be accepted)
- Eight (8) rolls of secured carpet will be accepted as one bulk item

• **LOOSE GARBAGE BAGS**

- Must not have holes and must be tied
- May not exceed 30 gallons or 50 pounds when full
- Contractor bags are considered a bulk item