May 5, 2020

A Message from Mayor Annette Iafallo – Return to Normal DPW Pickup and Drop-Off Schedules

I'm happy to announce that Lackawanna will begin a return to normal schedules for regular trash, recycling, bulk trash and branch/tree pickup along with electronics drop-off.

Below is a detailed summary of how our DPW teams will begin resuming normal pickup schedules – please take a moment to read each section carefully:

- REGULAR GARBAGE & RECYCLING starting Monday, May 11 regular garbage and recycling WILL BOTH RETURN TO MORNING PICKUP on your regular garbage day. Please continue to bag loose trash and secure recyclable materials.
- FULL BULK TRASH PICKUP DURING MAY FIVE full bulk trash pickup runs will occur in May according to your regular garbage day. Please do not put bulk trash at the curb until the night before your scheduled May pickup date below.

REGULAR GARBAGE DAY / YOUR MAY BULK TRASH DAY Monday / Monday, May 11 Tuesday / Tuesday, May 12 Wednesday / Wednesday, May 20 Thursday / Thursday, May 21 Friday / Friday, May 29

- FULL BULK TRASH WEEK JUNE & SEPTEMBER will resume on your regular garbage day the weeks of June 15-19 & September 21-25.
- ELECTRONICS DROP-OFF will resume the week prior to the full bulk pickup at the City Garage on Reddon St. from 8am-6pm. These dates are June 8-12 & September 14-18.
- ONE BULK TRASH ITEM PER WEEK in addition to the full bulk trash weeks above, STARTING IN JUNE each address (not housing unit) is allowed to put out one (1) bulk item on the first full week of each month on regular garbage day. These dates are: June 1-5, July 6-10. August 3-7, September 7-11, October 5-9, November 2-6 & December 7-11.

Important Bulk Trash Reminders:

- Bulk trash pickup can't exceed one cubic yard of debris with a maximum of 5 bulk items (couch, chair, mattress, etc.).
- NO construction material (drywall, windows, lumber, etc.), sheds, decks or fencing will be accepted.
- All bulk items should be placed at the curb the night before pickup
- BRANCH/TREE PICKUP will resume on Wednesday, May 13 and continue through October 15.

All guidelines for branch/tree, bulk trash and electronics materials remain in effect as posted on the DPW section of the City of Lackawanna web site at www.lackawannany.gov.

We ask your continued patience as we ramp up our DPW operation. There is a lot of work to catch up on and daily pickup times may extend a bit longer. Please know that our DPW teams are committed to completing all work as soon as possible.

As we know more about the possible easing of other NYS on Pause restrictions, additional updates will be provided. Until then, please continue to stay home, stay safe ... and God bless.

Annette