

February 2012

Village

OF RINGWOOD

Dear Neighbors:

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At the November Village Board Meeting, the Village Board voted unanimously to approve a five year contract extension with Waste Management to provide garbage and recycling disposal services to residential homes in the Village. Of the two proposals received by the Village, Waste Management had the lowest cost overall. Garbage and recycling disposal services/options will be as follows over the next five years:

	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
Cans & Bags	\$15.41	\$16.02	\$16.67	\$17.33	\$18.03
96 Gallon Cart Trash	\$16.99	\$17.67	\$18.38	\$19.11	\$19.88
64 Gallon Recycle Cart	\$2.50	\$2.50	\$2.50	\$2.50	\$2.50
Total with carts	\$19.49	\$20.17	\$20.88	\$21.61	\$22.38

Two new options are available as follows:

Landscape yard waste Option	\$150.00	\$160.00	\$170.00	\$180.00	\$190.00
(4 bags per week Not to exceed 50 lbs per bag. Additional bags \$3.00 each)					
35 Gallon Recycling Cart	- Free				

Please contact Waste Management directly if you wish to make any changes to your existing service. Your Village Officials worked very hard to provide the best service options for the lowest possible cost. In many cases, residents of unincorporated areas without municipal representation are paying far higher rates for garbage and recycling services. Your Village officials hope you will be pleased with the new contract. Please do not hesitate to let me know if you have any questions or concerns regarding this or any other Village matter.

Sincerely,

Richard E. Mack
Village President



Village of Ringwood Provides Dinner to Area PADS Site



For the fourth year in a row, Village Clerk, Roni Gaddis-Bushroe organized a dinner for the area's homeless on behalf of the Village of Ringwood. The dinner was delivered to the Tuesday night PADS site at Christ the King Catholic Church in Wonder Lake. Working along with resident Lynn Bauer, a PADS volunteer/coordinator, and residents Barb Mack and Janice Stromberg, the women provided a warm delicious meal for the PADS guests.

Santa's Visit from the North Pole

Santa flew in on the Saturday morning after Thanksgiving to visit with the little children from Ringwood and the surrounding area. He and his elves welcomed over 75 anxious little ones with their Christmas wishes. Each child received an activity book from Santa. Marlene DeFabio created a festive atmosphere with delicious home-baked goods and fabulous Christmas decorations with the help of her husband Mike. Many thanks go out to everyone that made this event so special. Santa promised to be back again next Christmas.





Action taken by the Village Board at the November & December Village Board Meetings:

November 2011

- Approve Levy Ordinance.
- Approve Ordinance providing for submission to the Electors of the Village of Ringwood, the authority under Public Act 09-0176, to arrange for the supply of electricity for its residential customer who have not opted out of such program.
- Approved 2012 regular Village Board Meeting Agenda.
- Approval five-year extension for refuse and recycling contract with Waste Management.

All Trustees present at the November meeting and voted unanimously to approve the above action, except Trustee Bushroe who was absent and Trustees Bauer and Reinwall who abstained on the Levy Ordinance.

December 2011

- No new or old business required action at the December 2011 Village Board Meeting.

January 2012

- No new or old business required action at the January 2012 Village Board Meeting.
Possible Future Action by the Village Board
- Consider Appropriations Ordinance
- Proposed Agreement with Independent Energy Consultants, Inc.

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VILLAGE HALL HOURS

CLERK

The first Saturday of every month, 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. or by appointment.

BUILDING INSPECTOR

Every Tuesday from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. or by appointment. To request permits or inspections contact Mr. Rich Boettcher during Building Inspector Village Hall Hours at 815-653-5513 or Monday through Saturday 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. at 815-353-9039.

Village Zoning Board of Appeals and Plan Commission meets on as needed basis.
Village Board meets on the 3rd Thursday of the month.

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