

Rain Gardens for Rock Island

Rain gardens reduce flooding, absorb pollutants, and sustain wildlife. They come in a number of shapes and do not require much space.

Rain gardens beautify neighborhoods, protect downstream neighbors from flood damage, and improve the environment.

The City will reimburse citizens based on the total square footage of the rain gardens at the rate of \$4.00 per square foot. If you are able to incorporate the use of a rain barrel into your rain garden, the City will supply one FREE of charge.

For additional information, please contact the Public Works Department at 732-2200 or visit the city's website at www.rigov.org.



Sunset Marina

The Sunset Marina is located at 31st Avenue and the Mississippi River.

The marina offers quality seasonal, monthly, and overnight docking space for 473 boats from 16 feet to 60 feet in length. The marina fuel dock sells gasoline and diesel fuel and provides a pump-out at no charge.

Contact the marina office at 732-2282 for more information.



Water Service Repair Program

This program will protect you from the unexpected costs of a water service repair and the nuisance of arranging financing and hiring a plumbing contractor on short notice.

The Water Service Repair Program is available to customers who own non-leaking water services that are 1½ inches in diameter or less at a cost of \$5.00 per month.



Sewer Lateral Repair Program

This program will protect you from the unexpected costs of a sewer lateral repair and the nuisance of arranging financing and hiring a plumbing contractor on short notice.

The Sewer Lateral Repair Program is available to owners or contract purchasers of residential property. The sewer lateral must be six (6) inches or less diameter and be in working order. The cost of this program is \$9.00 per month.



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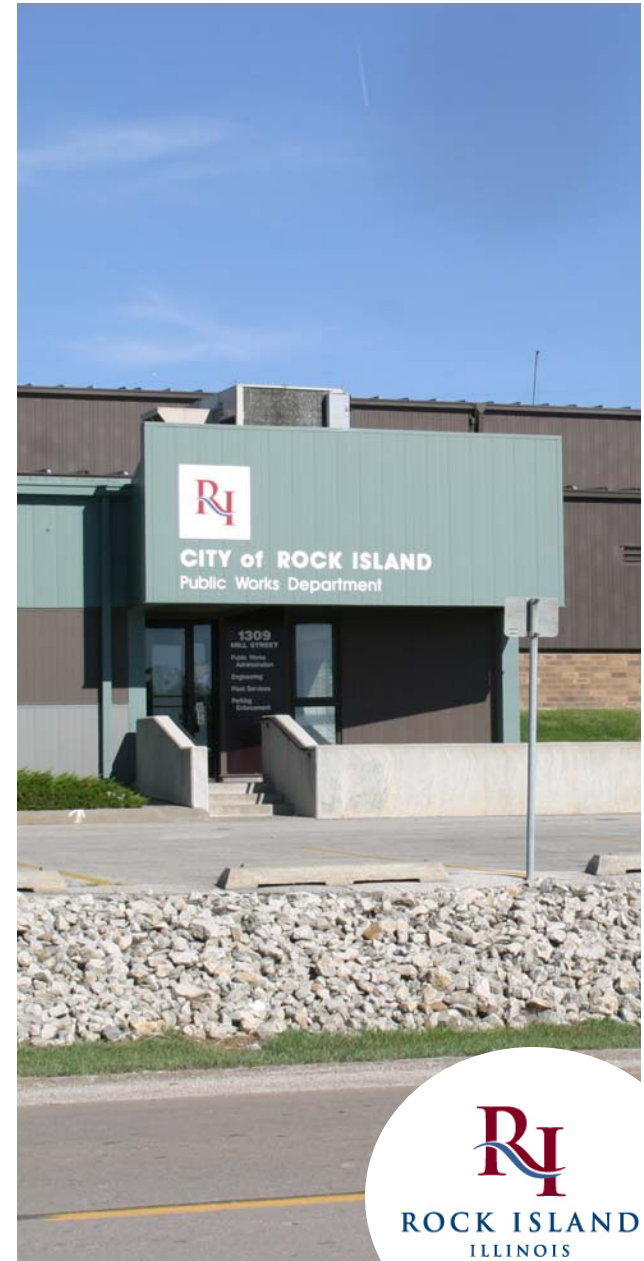
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Public Works Department Programs

City of Rock Island

Public Works Department



2010 Holiday Collection Schedule

New Year's Day (Friday, January 1, 2010)

Refuse	on schedule Monday thru Thursday, rest of week one day late
Recycling	normal collection schedule

Martin Luther King Jr. Day (Monday, January 18th)

Refuse	normal collection schedule
Recycling	normal collection schedule

Lincoln's Birthday (Friday, February 12th)

Refuse	normal collection schedule
Recycling	normal collection schedule

President's Day (Monday, February 15th)

Refuse	normal collection schedule
Recycling	normal collection schedule

Good Friday (Friday, April 2nd)

Refuse	normal collection schedule
Yard Waste	normal collection schedule
Recycling	normal collection schedule

Memorial Day (Monday, May 31st)

Refuse	one day late all week
Yard Waste	one day late all week
Recycling	normal collection schedule

Independence Day (Sunday, July 4th)

Refuse	normal collection schedule
Yard Waste	normal collection schedule
Recycling	normal collection schedule

Labor Day (Monday, September 6th)

Refuse	one day late all week
Yard Waste	one day late all week
Recycling	normal collection schedule

Columbus Day (Monday, October 11th)

Refuse	normal collection schedule
Yard Waste	normal collection schedule
Recycling	normal collection schedule

Veteran's Day (Thursday, November 11th)

Refuse	normal collection schedule
Yard Waste	normal collection schedule
Recycling	normal collection schedule

Thanksgiving (Thursday, November 25th)

Refuse	on schedule Monday thru Wednesday, rest of week one day late
Yard Waste	normal collection schedule
Recycling	on schedule Monday thru Wednesday, rest of week one day late

Christmas Day (Saturday, December 25th)

Refuse	normal collection schedule
Recycling	normal collection schedule

New Year's Day (Saturday, January 1, 2011)

Refuse	normal collection schedule
Recycling	normal collection schedule

Curbside Recycling Program

The City of Rock Island has developed a Curbside Recycling Program. The program costs \$2 per month and will be applied to your city utility bill.

Items that can be recycled include plastics, tin, aluminum, cardboard, newspapers, phonebooks, brown paper bags, etc. Glass will not be collected.

The City of Rock Island will provide each subscriber a 48 gallon cart. Subscribers may pay a one-time fee of \$10 and receive a 96 gallon cart in place of the 48 gallon cart.

All recyclables will be placed in one cart and will be collected every two weeks.

Refuse & Yard Waste Drop Off Center

Millennium Waste has partnered with the City of Rock Island to provide a refuse and yard waste drop-off service to Rock Island residents.

Rock Island residents may take refuse and yard waste to Millennium Waste on Saturdays between 7 a.m. and 12 noon at their facility located at 13606 Knoxville Road, south of Milan.

No hazardous waste, tires or white goods will be accepted. The charge is \$10.00 per trip (no more than the equivalent of a full-size pickup load per trip).

Special Pickups

Each residential customer receives one FREE Special Pickup per calendar year on an appointment basis. Additional Special Pickups may be scheduled for a service charge of \$25 per Special Pickup.

Special Pickups may not be used for tires, hazardous waste or appliances ("white goods"). Residents should contact 1-877-934-5378 for collection information on "white goods".

A Special Pickup may be scheduled by calling the Public Works Department at 732-2200.

Yard Waste Collection Program

The Yard Waste Collection Program is offered to customers who would like weekly collection of yard waste during the growing season (the first week of April through the first week of December).

The charge for the program is \$100 per season and will be applied to your city utility bill. Multiple neighbors may share a single subscription as long as the yard waste is placed in one location.

Free Leaf Collection Program

The City of Rock Island provides a Free Spring and Fall Leaf Collection for its residential refuse customers.

Information regarding this program will be sent to the media and posted on the city's access channel and website at www.rigov.org in the Spring and Fall.

50/50 Sidewalk & Curb Program

The 50/50 Sidewalk and Curb Program allows property owners to pay just 50% of the cost to replace existing sidewalks and curbs on the public right-of-way which have deteriorated.



before



after

50/50 Tree Program

The 50/50 Tree Program allows property owners to pay just 50% of the cost to have a new tree planted in the public right-of-way.