

Village Spokesman

Village of La Grange
53 South La Grange Road
La Grange, IL 60525



March/April 2013



“Spring Clean-Up” Day — will be held the week of April 8, 2013, on your regular collection day only. The same rules apply as last year. Residents are required to affix three stickers in total to the unlimited household refuse set out for collection.

Examples of **ACCEPTABLE** items: appliances, bulk items (bicycles, fans, etc.), carpet (must be cut down to 4 feet in length, securely bundled, and no more than 30 lbs in weight).

Examples of **UNACCEPTABLE** items: construction and demolition debris, scrap wood and lumber, paint, concrete, asphalt, rocks, bricks, car parts, tires, batteries, any type of fluid, ammunition, hazardous or medical waste, radioactive materials, yard waste, fencing, and railroad ties.

For recycling and waste reduction alternatives or for additional information, please visit the home page of the Village’s website at www.villageoflagrange.com or contact the Village Hall at 708-579-2313.

Allied Waste Rate Increase — Effective May 1, 2013, the cost of a general refuse sticker and yard waste sticker for La Grange residents will increase by 20¢, from \$4.20 to \$4.40. This is a scheduled price increase pursuant to a five-year contract between the Village of La Grange and Allied Waste approved in 2012.

As an alternative to purchasing stickers, residents can subscribe to either a 65-gallon or a 95-gallon toter subscription service for refuse collection. Toters are wheeled carts completely enclosed with an attached lid. When you subscribe to the toter service, you will be provided a 65-gallon recycling cart at no additional cost. The monthly cost of the 65-gallon toter service will increase by 65¢ from \$18.25 to \$18.90; and the 95-gallon toter service will increase by 25¢ from \$25.25 to \$25.50 per month. To establish toter service, residents should contact Allied Waste at www.republicil.com/LG or directly at 708-345-7050.

Additional details regarding the residential refuse and recycling program are available on the Village’s website at www.villageoflagrange.com, at the Village Hall or by calling 708-579-2313.

Vehicle and Animal Licenses — Applications will be mailed out March 1st and are due April 30, 2013. Local ordinance requires that all vehicles housed or registered at a La Grange address must display a La Grange vehicle sticker. As well as, every dog and cat kept within the Village must display a La Grange license tag.

PURCHASE ONLINE! For your convenience, you will be able to purchase your FY 2013-14 vehicle and animal licenses online. To use this **FREE** service, logon to the Village’s website at www.villageoflagrange.com on the home page under **“How Do I...?”** Please watch for additional details included with the license renewal applications.

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Coming Soon — Please watch for a special mailing from the Village regarding enrollment options for the Village's electricity aggregation program. In the interim, information is available online by visiting www.villageoflagrange.com/electricaggregation.



Voter Registration and Absentee/Early Voting The last day to accept voter registration or transfers of registration for the April 9, 2013 Consolidated Election is Tuesday, March 12, 2013. Residents may register to vote in person from 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. weekdays in the Administration office on the first floor of the Village Hall, 53 S. La Grange Road. Two pieces of identification are required, including one with your current address (photo ID's are not required).

Applications for an Absentee Voter's Ballot are also available at the Village Hall or online at www.cookcountyclerk.com.

Early voting will take place Monday, March 25 through Saturday, April 6 at selected sites. Additional information regarding Absentee Voter's Ballot and Early Voting sites is available on the County's website at www.cookcountyclerk.com or by calling 312-603-0906.

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