



## Live Christmas Tree Recycling

*The following is a list of communities in the District accepting live Christmas trees for recycling.*

*Please remember to remove all decorations and tinsel from your live trees before recycling!*

### OTTAWA COUNTY COMMUNITIES

• **City of Port Clinton - 419-734-5522**

Republic services will be picking up trees at the curb in the city limits on January 6<sup>th</sup> and January 13<sup>th</sup>.

• **Village of Elmore - 419-862-3454**

Trees will be collected at the curb starting December 27<sup>th</sup>.

• **Village of Genoa - 419-855-7791**

Trees will be collected at the curb after December 26<sup>th</sup>.

• **Village of Marblehead - 419-798-9229**

Trees will be picked up at the curb through the month of January.

• **Village of Oak Harbor - 419-898-1823**

Place trees at the curb for pickup through the month of January.

• **Catawba Island Twp. - 419-797-4131**

Trees will be collected roadside through the month of January.

• **Danbury Twp. - 419-734-4091**

Trees may be dropped off at the designated area behind the township hall located at 5972 E. Port Clinton Rd. through the end of January.

• **Erie Twp. - 419-635-2010**

Trees may be dropped off at the old LaCarne School during the month of January during daylight hours.

• **Portage Twp. - 419-732-3543**

Trees will be collected at the curb until January 20<sup>th</sup>.

• **Salem Twp. - 419-898-4494**

Trees will be accepted at the Salem Twp. Union Cemetery through the month of January.

### SANDUSKY COUNTY COMMUNITIES

• **City of Bellevue - 419-484-8400**

Trees will be accepted at the curb after Christmas Day and throughout the first 2 weeks in January, weather permitting.

• **City of Clyde - 419-547-7419**

Trees will be accepted at the curb after Christmas Day and throughout the first 2 weeks in January, weather permitting.

• **City of Fremont - 419-332-5286**

The City of Fremont will not be picking up Christmas trees at the curbside. They will be providing two Christmas tree drop off sites. Beginning December 26<sup>th</sup> through January 31<sup>st</sup>, Christmas trees will be accepted at the following locations (areas will be marked):

• **Birchard Park** - Washington St. at the basketball courts.

• **East Side Park** - Maple Shelter House.

• **Village of Gibsonburg - 419-637-2634**

Trees will be collected at the curb the first 2 weeks in January.

• **Village of Lindsey - 419-665-2311**

Trees will be accepted at the compost area for the Village of Lindsey residents only. Trees will be picked up at the curb periodically.

• **Village of Woodville - 419-849-3031**

Trees will be collected at the Vegetation Site for Village of Woodville residents only. Trees will be picked up periodically from the curb December 26<sup>th</sup> through January 15<sup>th</sup>. Please NO PLASTIC BAGS. Trees will not be accepted in a plastic bag.

• **Ballville Twp. - 419-332-7830**

Christmas trees will be accepted at the following location:

• **Conner Park** - located at 2220 Tiffin Rd., Fremont. Trees may be unloaded onto a trailer located in the back of Conner Park. Trees will be accepted December 27<sup>th</sup> through January 15<sup>th</sup>.

• **Jackson Twp., Sandusky - 419-355-6050**

Christmas trees will be accepted at the Jackson Twp. House, 1364 S. St. Rt. 590, Fremont. Trees can be dropped off through January 10<sup>th</sup>, 2017.

• **Sandusky Twp. - 419-332-3810**

Trees will be accepted at the Sandusky Twp. Road Shop located at 2207 Oak Harbor Rd., Fremont. Drop off trees near the brush pile at your convenience. Site is open 24 hours a day.

### SENECA COUNTY COMMUNITIES

• **City of Fostoria - 419-435-4115**

Christmas trees will be accepted at the following locations:

• **City of Fostoria Street Dept.** - located at 1235 Perrysburg Rd., Fostoria. Citizens may drop off trees December 29<sup>th</sup> through January 20<sup>th</sup>.

• **Foundation Park** - trees may also be dropped off at the city's compost area at Foundation Park.

• **City of Tiffin - 419-448-5430**

Christmas trees will be accepted at the following locations:

• **Public Works building** - located at 601 Miami St., Tiffin. The Public Works Dept. will be providing a fenced in area to recycle Christmas trees. Trees will be accepted through the month of January.

• **Water Pollution Control Center** - located at 961 N. Water St., Tiffin. Live trees may be dropped off 7:00am until 2:30pm seven days a week. Please place trees along the fence by the brush pile on the west side of the facility. For questions call 419-448-5440.

• **Village of Bloomville - 419-983-4745**

Trees may be dropped off to Ray & Janis Weasner, 19 S. Prospect St. Please place along the driveway.

• **Liberty Township - 419-448-8655**

Trees can be taken to Liberty Twp. House, 3983 W. Twp. Rd. 152, Tiffin from December 26<sup>th</sup> through January 13<sup>th</sup> from 8:00am until 5:00pm.

# Solid Notes

2017

## Calendar Design Contest Winners



The OSS Solid Waste District sponsored a Calendar Design Contest. Eligible participants included Ottawa, Sandusky and Seneca County 7<sup>th</sup> through 12<sup>th</sup> grade students. With the help of the Community Arts Councils of Fremont, Port Clinton and Tiffin, twelve designs were selected to be displayed in the calendar. The District would like to congratulate all winners and thank those who participated in the contest.

Go to the District's website at [www.recycleoss.org](http://www.recycleoss.org) to take a look at all twelve students' winning designs.

Would you like to receive a 2017 OSS Calendar? A limited amount of calendars will be available on a first-come, first-serve basis. If you would like a calendar please call the District's main office toll-free at 1-888-850-7224.

## Recycling Fact

*Through the District's Aim To Be Green Recycling Drop-off Program, on average, the volume of recyclable materials increased 17% during the week of Christmas.*

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## Tips to Go Green this Holiday Season

*Take a Look at 10 Ways to Reduce, Reuse and Recycle Around Your Home*

1. Make wrapping paper out of old brown grocery bags. Cut bag, decorate and wrap gifts! Put your art work to good use and wrap smaller gifts with that.
2. Take reusable shopping bags to stores so that you do not end up with too many plastic bags.
3. Choose recycled or recyclable Holiday Cards.
4. Re-charge it! We use a lot of batteries for all of those great gifts, try rechargeable batteries this year.
5. Instead of using a cut tree, try a potted LIVE tree that can be planted after the holidays.
6. If you are using fresh cut greens or trees this holiday season, make sure you are placing these items out to recycle. When taking from the earth, it can be given back with composting.
7. When having parties use reuseable/washable plates, cups and silverware. This will cut down on the amount of waste you create.
8. Reduce, Reuse, Recycle your gifts! Breathe new life into old items by adding something new to give it a fresh appearance to give as a gift. Using items we already have to create something new is a great way to help the environment.
9. At the end of the season, cut pictures off your holiday cards into shapes to make gift tags. Reuse the ribbon off a gift to make a tag hanger and you will be ready to label gifts next year!
10. Using LED lighting can save roughly  $\frac{1}{3}$  of electric costs.

