

WASTE MANAGEMENT HELPS KEEP STOREY COUNTY CLEAN WITH RESIDENTIAL DUMP DAYS

VIRGINIA CITY, Nev. - March 31, 2014 - In an effort to assist residents with household cleanups and curb illegal dumping, Waste Management announced the next "Residential Dump Days," scheduled for Friday, May 2, and Saturday, May 3. Residential Dump Days is held only at the Waste Management transfer station in Virginia City. In addition, Waste Management will be holding the "Lockwood Landfill Annual Spring Free Dump Event" on nine specific days throughout the month of April.

"Providing Residential Dump Days help keep thousands of yards of waste and bulky items from being dumped illegally in our open space," said Sarah Polito, Waste Management of Nevada's communication specialist. "We are committed to helping the communities that we serve with their environmental service needs."

Identified materials commonly associated with illegal dumping will be accepted at no charge. These specific items include eligible household appliances (freon-free refrigerators, hot water heaters, stoves, dishwashers and washers/dryers) and eligible bulky waste (sofas, chairs, mattresses and box springs).

"With spring cleaning season coming, this event provides our customers with the opportunity to dispose of their bulky waste and other Municipal Solid Waste (MSW) at a discounted rate," said Polito.

Any material that falls outside of these parameters will be accepted at more than 50 percent off the regular gate rate (rates outlined below).

The free disposal for specific items during Residential Dump Days is the result of a partnership between Storey County and Waste Management. Both recognize the role of citizens in making this effort successful by ensuring citizens understand what is eligible for free dumping versus reduced dump rates during this two-day event.

Residential Dump Days

Rates

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| 1. Standard pick-up truck with MSW | No charge (up to three-yards) |
| 2. Small pick-up truck with MSW | No charge (up to three-yards) |
| 3. Additional MSW | Standard rate |
| 4. All eligible common household appliances
And bulky items as identified below | No charge |

Acceptable Household Appliances:

- Refrigerators (additional charge for Freon recovery)
- Hot Water Heaters
- Stoves/Dishwashers
- Washers/Dryers

Acceptable Bulky Waste:

- Sofas
- Chairs
- Mattresses
- Box Springs
- Standard tires (no more than four)



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Unacceptable Items:

- Dirt
- Concrete
- Liquids
- Toxic or hazardous materials
- Cathode Ray Tubes (CRT)
- Large heavy metals, such as auto bodies
- Engines
- Transmissions

WM Transfer Station Locations

End of Washington Street and R Street
Virginia City, NV

Friday: 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Saturday: 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Lockwood Landfill Annual Spring Free Dump Event: In addition to the quarterly Residential Dump Days, Waste Management is offering its annual free dump weekends at the Lockwood Landfill throughout April. Three weekends have been chosen for the "Lockwood Annual Spring Free Dump Event" to give residents several options, including three Saturdays, which will help reduce wait times. The dates at Lockwood Landfill are:

Dates

- Event 1: April 3, 4 and 5
- Event 2: April 10, 11 and 12
- Event 3: April 17, 18 and 19

Lockwood Landfill Location and Hours of Operation

2401 Canyon Way
Sparks, NV 89434

Monday - Friday: 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Saturday: 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. (only for the Lockwood Annual Spring Free Dump Event)

Sunday: Closed

Please Note:

1. Both events are for residents only - commercial customers will be charged the normal rates
2. Lockwood Landfill is closed on Saturdays and Sundays outside of these selected dates;
3. Electronic Waste/Recycling will **NOT** be accepted at this event
4. Hazardous waste will not be accepted at any time
5. Tires are limited to four per residential household

For more information on Residential Dump Days, please call Waste Management at (775) 329-8822 or Storey County Community Services Department at (775) 847-0986.

ABOUT WASTE MANAGEMENT OF NEVADA

Waste Management of Nevada is a community-based provider of environmental solutions. As the leading provider for commercial and residential curbside collection for recycling and disposal, Waste Management of Nevada delivers local solutions with the knowledge and resources of the nation's largest recycler, Waste Management. For over a decade, Waste Management of Nevada has employed over 250 employees and serves approximately 131,000 customers in northern Nevada. The Landfill Gas-to-Energy facility at the Lockwood Regional Landfill produces 3.2 megawatts of electricity that powers more than 1,800 homes by using landfill gases. The Lockwood Regional Landfill is a Wildlife Habitat Council site that provides protection for various raptors in northern Nevada. To learn more about Waste Management of Nevada, visit www.Reno.WM.com.

