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FINAL DAY FOR FREE DISPOSAL OF SMALL TIRES, EWASTE

Saturday, May 6, marks the end of the 2017 City of Muscatine Spring Clean Up Week

MUSCATINE, Iowa – The 2017 City of Muscatine Spring Clean Up will come to a close at noon on Saturday, the final day for residents of Muscatine and Fruitland to take small tires and E-waste to the Transfer Station and Recycling Center and dispose of them for free.

Unwanted EWaste (electronic waste) and car or small truck tires (limit 8 per household) can be dropped off at the Recycling Center and Transfer Station for free through noon Saturday, May 6. Residents can contact the Public Works Department (563-263-8933) or call the Transfer Station (563-263-9689) to schedule a curbside collection.

There is a fee which needs to be paid at the Transfer Station, 1000 South Houser Street, or at the Public Works Department, 1459 Washington St., before the collection. The Transfer Station can accept credit cards over the phone. Cost of picking up a television range from \$10-\$15 depending on the size of the television while tires are \$2 for a car or small truck tire to \$7 for a large tire.

Kristi Korpi, acting Solid Waste Manager for the City of Muscatine, said that approximately 775 tons of trash were collected during Spring Clean Up Week.

The Recycling Center and Transfer Station is open 7:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Monday through Friday and 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. on Saturday. Proof of residence will be required for some items which can be a piece of mail with name and address on it and a driver's license or other photo identification card.



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Paint, hazardous chemicals, motor oil, and medical sharps in a container are accepted throughout the year at no cost to the individual and do not require proof of residency. Appliances, E-Waste, and tires are accepted throughout the year for a fee. For a schedule of fees, visit the [Recycling Center and Transfer Station](#) web site,