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Close the Loop. . .Buy Recycled!

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AMERICA RECYCLES DAY: NOVEMBER 15TH

Take the ***#BERECYCLED*** pledge and commit to ***REDUCE, REUSE, RECYCLE & BUY RECYCLED*** products. When you choose to close the recycling loop, you're helping to save natural resources. As an example, we saved ***68 trees*** at the Nye Pointe Community Shred Day on September 28th – see event recap below!

Take the pledge at ***www.AmericaRecyclesDay.org/pledge***

AMERICA RECYCLES DAY®
A KEEP AMERICA BEAUTIFUL® PROGRAM
NOVEMBER 15

RECYCLE RIGHT

It's important to recycle right so your efforts and the efforts of others don't go to waste. Contamination is a primary issue facing recyclers. Make sure to put clean items in the bin and only those that belong. Check with your recycling provider on what items they do and do not accept in your curbside recycling program. Most providers will have a list of accepted recyclables on their website. There's also this handy slogan if you're just not sure: ***"When in doubt, throw it out!"***

REDUCE, REUSE Recycle

CLEAN RECYCLING BASICS FOR THE CURBSIDE BIN

- *Rinse out all food and beverage containers*
- *No plastic bags or glass in your curbside bin*
- *Breakdown and flatten cardboard to a size of 2ft x 2ft*

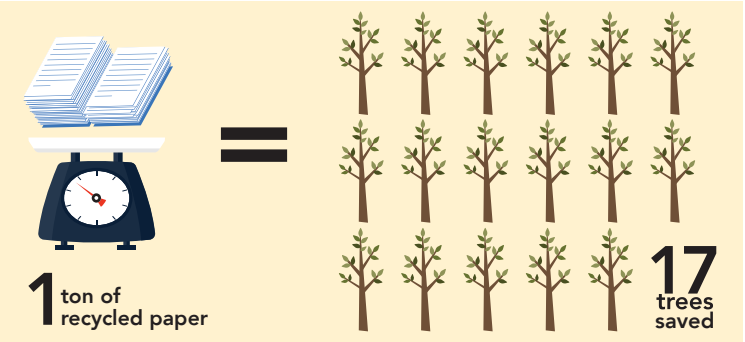
ADDITIONAL RECYCLING OPPORTUNITIES

Visit the KFB website for a full list of local recycling opportunities in the Fremont area. From glass to metal to various electronics and even car seats, a wide variety of recycling opportunities are available in our community.

www.keepfremontbeautiful.org/recycling

EVENT RECAP: COMMUNITY SHRED DAY

Nye Health Services, in partnership with Keep Fremont Beautiful, sponsored a Community Shred Day on September 28 at Nye Pointe. It was a beautiful morning and a great opportunity for local residents to protect their identity with safe and secure paper shredding. In just two hours, we collected ***8,000lbs of paper*** – that's the equivalent of saving ***68 trees***! Paper Tiger Shredding services will recycle this paper back into recycled paper products.



(Left Photo): Baylie Anderson assisted with providing refreshments and thanking participants for coming to the event! (Middle Photo): Liz Anderson is shown taking documents to the shredding bins. (Right Photo): Linda Kelberlaw breaks down cardboard boxes brought to the event for recycling.

Our Mission: *Keep Fremont Beautiful is a public education non-profit organization dedicated to improving everyone's waste handling practices and engaging our citizens to take greater responsibility for improving the community environment.*

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IT'S TIME TO SCOOP. . .

FREMONT ORDINANCE 8-602:
CLEAR THE SNOW!
It is unlawful to allow mud & snow to accumulate and remain on sidewalks. Such sidewalk shall be cleared 8 hours after the cessation of a storm or before 10:00am

- BUT NOT JUST THE SNOW BECAUSE DOGS LITTER TOO! -

Pet owners play an important role in protecting our rivers and streams and the health of everyone and everything in our community.

Did You Know?

- *Pet waste is associated with up to 65 diseases that can be passed to humans.*
- *10-20% of water pollution comes from neglected pet waste.*
- *It is not a fertilizer and does not provide any benefit to soil.*

Promote good health and manners by disposing of your pet's waste properly:

Flush It · Trash It · Compost It

Information provided by City of Fremont Public Works Department

RENEW YOUR PET LICENSES FOR 2020

The ***first 50 people*** to license will receive a free litter bag dispenser & litter bags!

Supplies provided by City of Fremont Public Works Department. ***January 2, 2020*** is the first day you can renew your 2020 pet license. Please bring documentation of current rabies vaccination for each of your pets to renew your license(s). The cost is $10.00 if the pet has been spayed or neutered and $15.00 if the pet is intact. Each household can license up to three dogs and five cats.

Please renew your license(s) before February 1, 2020, to avoid a $5.00 late fee.

Locations:
• City Hall, 2nd Floor, 400 E. Military Ave., Fremont, NE •
• Dodge County Humane Society, 787 S. Luther Rd., Fremont, NE •

For question please call City Clerk's office at (402) 727-2630

CITY OF FREMONT NEBRASKA

CHRISTMAS TREE RECYCLING

Fremont Parks and Recreation

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Reduce waste, save landfill space & make Fremont beautiful when you recycle your Christmas tree!

December 26 - January 6
Lenihan Building Parking Lot
Between 9th & 10th on the East side of Broad Street

The Fremont Parks and Recreation Department is offering a free Christmas Tree Recycling Collection Site. Trees may be dropped off anytime from December 26th - January 6th. This recycling collection is for real Christmas trees only! Please remove all wire, stands, ornaments & plastic bags from trees. Collected trees will be ground into wood chips and used as mulch in the Fremont Parks system.

ECO FRIENDLY WRAPPING

Wanting to go "green" this season? Consider wrapping gifts in reused materials such as newspaper, last year's wrapping paper or artwork made by your kids for a unique appearance and eco-friendly spin!

If every family wrapped just ***3 presents*** in reused materials, it would save enough paper to cover ***45,000 football fields.***