



RESIDENTIAL CLAW TRUCK POLICIES:

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As result of the State of TN Department of Environment and Conservation (TDEC) enforcement of more restrictive regulations, the City of Milan is having to modify its curbside claw truck service. TDEC will no longer allow anything but clean brush and wood (non-treated) to be burned in our Air Curtain Destructor (Pit burner) at the Milan Landfill. As a result, all citizens will be required to separate their claw truck debris into two separate and distinctive piles in their yard. Any brush and clean wood into one pile and other acceptable debris in the second pile. There will be NO exceptions. If a debris pile is not separated properly it will not be collected until it has been separated in accordance with this notice. Beginning May 7, 2018, the city claw truck will pick up clean brush and wood weeks 1 and 3 of each month. The other acceptable debris (SEE BELOW) will be collected weeks 2 and 4 of each month. The before mentioned weeks will begin based on the first full week of the month as being week 1. A partial week starting a month will not be considered week 1. For example, week 1 in May will be the week starting May 7th. (Clean wood is defined as brush and unpainted or untreated wood.)

*****By TDEC regulations Milan Public Works will NOT collect any of the following: household garbage, glass, tires, batteries, any type of chemicals, any container with liquids including water, oil, paint, batteries, fuel tanks or cans, electronics whether it's powered by a battery or a cord, (i.e. TV's, microwaves, vacuum cleaners), dead animals, animal or human waste, medical waste, and any other TDEC nonconforming item.**

There will be no exceptions to the following so please read carefully.

Milan Public Works will service a residence that is currently occupied and paying sanitation fees. The following rules **MUST** be followed:

- 1) Debris **MUST** be at the front of your property parallel to the street by 6:00 AM.
- 2) We **DO NOT** service alleys or vacant properties/lots.
- 3) The amount of debris that will be collected at no additional charge will be the amount that will fit safely into the back of a standard pick-up truck such as a Ford, Chevy, or Dodge. (Standard bed size is 5'6" wide x 8' long x 4' high). Brush **MUST** be cut in to 6'-8' lengths. Debris over this amount will **NOT** be collected. Debris larger than this amount will be subject to additional fees of \$50.00 per load plus \$35.00 per ton for landfill scale fees. If you plan to have excessive debris please contact our office before placing it to the curb to schedule pick-up services.

- 4) **CONTRACTORS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR HAULING THEIR OWN DEBRIS UNLESS PREVIOUS ARRANGEMENTS HAVE BEEN MADE WITH MPW TO PAY ADDITIONAL FEES.**
- 5) Items should **NOT** be placed in ditches, drainage areas, in the street, pathway of others, on top of or around any structures or utility lines or meters.
- 6) Once the residence is serviced on the regular route, we will not return until the next service time.
- 7) It is against sanitary regulations for animal feces to be placed with your debris; therefore, it must be in a secured bag & placed in your Waste Management container.
- 8) No medical waste (i.e. needles, bandages) will be collected by the claw truck. 9) Loose yard trimmings/clippings **MUST BE BAGGED.**

For Milan Landfill information please call 731-686-1341.