



# Water Bill Brief

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## Yard Waste Collection Begins April 1



Yard waste collection officially resumes on April 1 and continues through December 15. Residents can dispose of yard waste at the curb on their normal refuse collection day. One sticker

is required for every 33 gallon unlined container or yard waste paper bag. Brush should be packaged in bundles no more than 4 feet in length and 2 feet in diameter. Each bundle must have a yard waste sticker attached and cannot weigh more than 50 pounds. Sticker costs will also increase by ten (10) cents on June 1, 2023, from \$3.90 per sticker to \$4.00 per sticker.

Residents can also use environmentally friendly alternatives to dispose of yard waste. These options include mulching and composting. Visit DuPage County's website, [www.dupageco.org](http://www.dupageco.org), for information on composting.

## Village Job Openings

The Village of Woodridge is seeking applications for various positions including: Lateral Police Officers, Entry-Level Police Officers, and Community Service Officers. To apply, please scan QR codes below or visit the Village's new online employment portal ([governmentjobs.com/careers/woodridgeil/](http://governmentjobs.com/careers/woodridgeil/))



## Facilities Improvement Update

Construction continues at our new Police Department and Public Works facilities located at 7200 Janes Avenue. The interior of the police station is really starting to take shape. A couple of the highlights include the Community Room and the Locker rooms. We are looking forward to hosting classes and community meetings and having enough space for our uniforms and equipment. The Public works cold storage building has been framed out and workers are getting ready to start the interior work.



## Starting a Home Improvement Project? Check out the Community Development Permit FAQ Website

Now that the weather is getting nicer, are you thinking about starting a home improvement project? Check out this informative [Permits FAQ website](#). This website answers questions such as:

- Are there handouts and information available about permits?
- I need work done on my home. Can the Village of Woodridge recommend a contractor?





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## Woodridge Water Quality Report

Residents can view the most current Water Quality Report at [www.woodridgeil.gov/waterqualityreport](http://www.woodridgeil.gov/waterqualityreport) to learn more about your drinking water. This report contains important information about the source and quality of your drinking water.



## Staying Notified

The Village continues to maintain timely, relevant information on the Village's website. Visit [www.woodridgeil.gov](http://www.woodridgeil.gov) for up-to-date information.

The Village has an emergency alert system, CodeRed. Visit the Village's website at [www.woodridgeil.gov](http://www.woodridgeil.gov) and utilize the prominent search bar to search the keywords "emergency alert" or text WOODRIDGE to 99411 to enroll.

The Village issues a weekly electronic newsletter. Visit [www.woodridgeil.gov/news\\_detail\\_T48\\_R106.php](http://www.woodridgeil.gov/news_detail_T48_R106.php) to enroll.

## Refuse, Recycling, and Yard Waste Survey

The Village of Woodridge will be surveying residents regarding refuse, recycling, and yard waste. The survey will address waste collection priorities for a potential new contract. The survey will also discuss the type of program Woodridge residents utilize: sticker program versus flat rate program.



## Recycling Guidelines

Groot has been experiencing an increase in recycling contamination. Recycling contamination is non-recyclable material or garbage that ends up in the recycling system.

When recycling becomes contaminated, it cannot be recycled. Please continue to be mindful of what you put in your recycling bin.

For more information on services provided by Groot, as well as recycling guidelines, please visit the Garbage and Recycling section on the Village's website.



## Paperless Water Bills

Looking to go paperless? To sign up to have your water bill delivered to your e-mail, visit the Village's website at [www.woodridgeil.gov](http://www.woodridgeil.gov) and utilize the prominent search bar to search the keywords "paperless water bills."

## 2023 Water Rates

Rates for the Village of Woodridge for all water billed on and after January 1, 2023, are as follows:

*Water:* \$8.49 per 1,000 gallons

*Sewer Maintenance Fee:* \$0.90 per 1,000 gallons

*Capital Improvement Fee:* \$1.10 per 1,000 gallons

*Fixed Maintenance Fee:* varies by meter size