

Village of Burr Ridge

Resident Meeting Regarding
Franchise Agreement For
Refuse Services - Groot Industries

June 20, 2017 and July 12, 2017



Benefits of a Franchise Agreement

1. Safety
2. Reduction in waste hauling trucks, which will result in less wear and tear on Village streets, less fuel consumed, less emissions, and less noise.
3. Cost savings for residents
4. Enhanced recycling, other environmentally friendly program offerings.



Highlights Of Franchise Agreement With Groot

- **Unlimited** collection of refuse, recycling and landscape waste.
- Resident choice of 95- or 65-gallon carts for both refuse and recycling.
- Senior discounts of 4.5% from \$16.85 per month to \$16.10 per month.
- Five-year agreement with 2.5% increases each year.
- Program begins on August 3, 2017
 - Thursday pickup of all homes south of 79th Street.
 - Friday pickup of all homes north of 79th Street.
- Free bulk item pickup.
- White goods pick-up for a fee of \$25 per item.



Highlights Of Franchise Agreement With Groot – con't.

- Optional backdoor (top of driveway) service available for \$33.70 per month. (For houses with driveways 100 feet in length or less. There will be an additional expense for driveways exceeding 100 feet.)
- Optional top of driveway empty cart return service available for \$24.85 per month. (For houses with driveways 100 feet in length or less. There will be an additional expense for driveways exceeding 100 feet.)
- Residents may temporarily suspend service for a specific period of time, if away from their home more than 30 days
- Additional cart rentals available for a \$5.00 fee



Highlights Of Franchise Agreement With Groot – con't.

- HOAs with existing contracts at a lower price may request to opt out of the Village's franchise agreement.
- The hauler is free to offer HOAs that have existing contracts a lower price if they deem appropriate.
- Free garbage and recycling pickup at all municipal facilities and for special Village events.
- Proper insurance, performance bond, indemnification and public education requirements included in the contract.



Highlights Of Franchise Agreement With Groot – Yard Waste

- Unlimited collection of yard waste in bags, containers or bundles not to exceed 50 pounds each; and
 - Bags must be biodegradable bags sold separately for collection and disposal of yard waste;
 - Reusable containers must be 32 gallons or less;
 - Bundles must not exceed 4 feet in length and 3 feet in diameter and bound with biodegradable natural fiber twine.



Highlights Of Franchise Agreement

- Christmas Trees – will be collected on the first two collection days after the holiday.
- Vacation Interruption – with advance notice, service may be stopped for 30 days or more
- Holidays: News Year Day , Memorial Day, 4th of July, Labor Day, Thanksgiving, and Christmas Day; Collection occurs one day later than usual

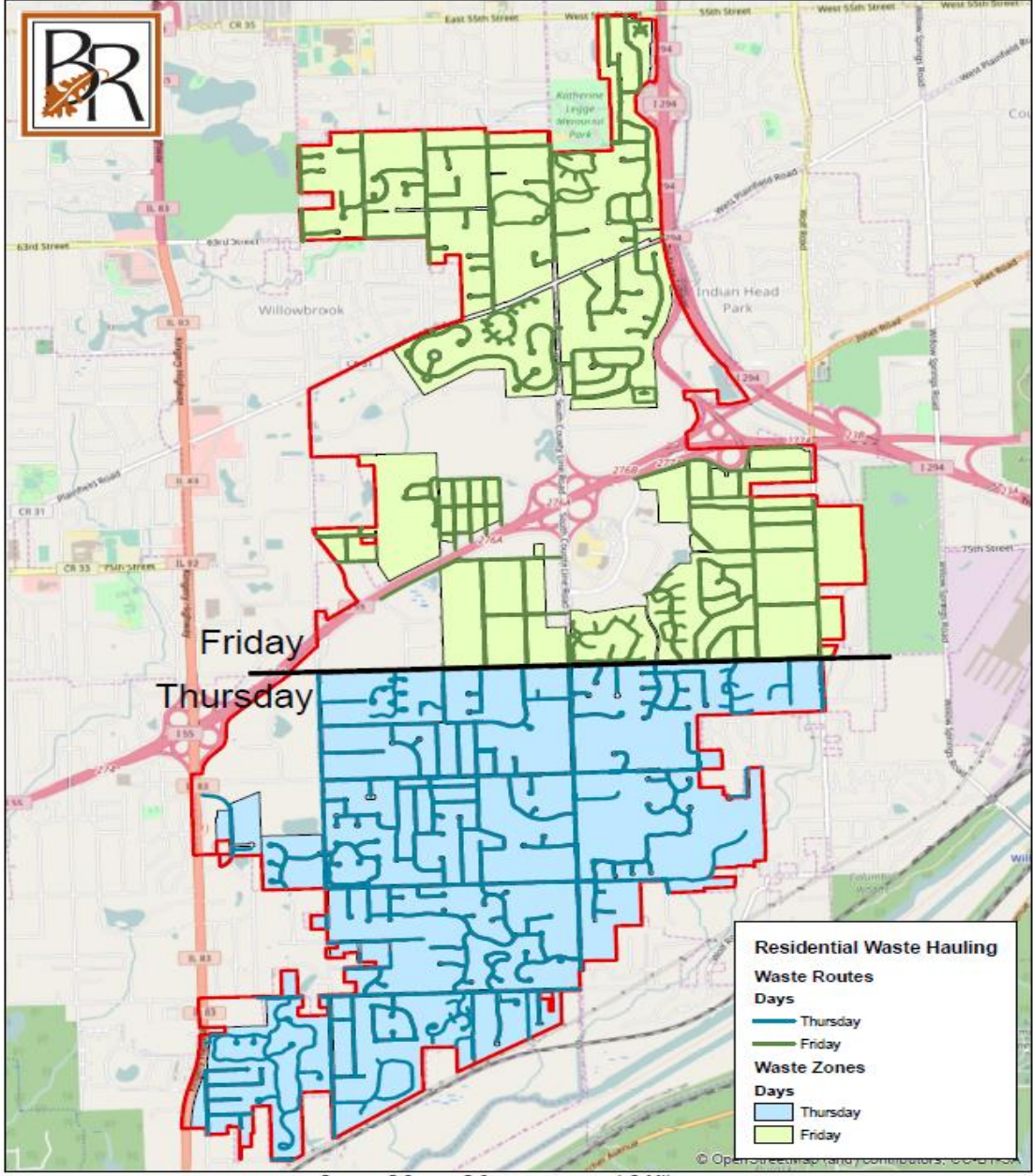


Timeline For Implementation of Franchise Agreement

May 8	Board Approved Franchise Agreement with Groot
June 5	Flyer Sent to Residents from Groot Industries
June 12	Village Newsletter mailed
June 12	Letter sent to Residents
June 15	Last Day for HOA to request opt out
June 20 & July 12	Meeting with Residents/Presentation by Groot
June 26	Board of Trustees approval of opt outs
Last Week of July	Old refuse cans picked up by previous haulers; New cans delivered by Groot
Thursday, August 3	Refuse Collection Begins South of 79 th Street
Friday, August 4	Refuse Collection Begins North of 79 th Street



Refuse Collection Route Map



Questions/Comments



Thank you!

