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## **Waukee Citywide Garage Sale & Spring Clean-Up Week**

The 2023 **Waukee Citywide Garage Sale** is planned for Saturday, April 29. Waukee residents are invited to host their yard or garage sale on this day. Residents and visitors are encouraged to enjoy perusing garage sales around Waukee for furniture, house goods, toys and many other items.

**Spring Clean-Up Week for City of Waukee garage & recycling customers is scheduled for May 1-5.** Place large items on the curb by 7 a.m. on normally scheduled garbage collection day for free disposal. Ankeny Sanitation will pick up bulky items, such as furniture, oversized electronics and other large items up to five feet in length. Smaller items should be bagged or boxed.

**Household Hazardous Waste, Appliance and Tire Drop-Off Day is May 6.** Hazardous waste items can be taken to Vince Meyer Learning Center at 445 5th Street for free disposal. This includes items such as acid, rechargeable batteries, oil, antifreeze, lawn fertilizer, pesticides, pool chemicals, and oil-based paints or aerosols. Latex paint will not be accepted. Cans of dried out latex paint can be placed in garbage bins with the regular trash; non-dried cans of latex paint can be taken to the Metro Waste Authority in Grimes for a fee. Sharps must be contained in detergent bottles or sharps containers (not milk jugs or soda pop bottles). Lids to sharps containers must be taped.

Appliances and tires can be dropped at 1205 6th Street. Appliances must be cleared of food, hazardous waste and garbage prior to drop-off. Up to five car tires may be dropped off free of charge. The drop-off fee for each additional car tire will be \$1, and semi-truck and tractor tire drop-offs will cost \$5 per tire. Rims will not be accepted.

Find information on accepted and not-accepted items at **Waukee.org/ CleanUp**. Residents in apartments, townhomes and Midwest Country Estates may have private garbage collection and are not eligible for curbside pick-up during Spring Clean-Up week. Please refer to the property manager for guidance on disposing of large or bulky items.

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The City of Waukee is recognized as the fastest growing (large) city in Iowa and is located in Dallas County—the fourth fastest growing county in the U.S. The current population is 26,495 residents. Waukee offers a welcoming atmosphere, featuring quality parks, schools and trails. The City is also dedicated to

economic development and expanding business opportunities, including the creation of the mixed-use development, [Kettlestone](#). For more information, visit [Waukee.org](#).