

Levy County Solid Waste

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County Waste Tire Amnesty Day

Florida DEP will reimburse Levy County for tire disposal costs up to \$25,000.

Date(s) of Events: Saturday October 28, 2023 and April 13, 2024, Time: 8:00 A.M.-5:00 P.M.

Collection Location:

Levy County Solid Waste 12051 NE 69th Lane Williston, FL 32696

Proposed Plan.

We will be accepting **maximum 25** tires per resident with proof of residency. Tires from commercial shops will not be accepted. Photo ID must be presented. Levy County will provide mosquito control as necessary.

Operational Procedures: Levy County will provide labor and oversee collection of tires at the location. Levy County will deliver full roll-off containers to (Empire Tire Recycling 4888 W Colonial DR Orlando, FL 32808) for deposition.

Levy County assumes responsibility for the advertising at least 2 to 4 weeks before the event and staffing of the event. DEP will reimburse Levy County for the transportation, processing costs and equipment rental only, up to **\$25,000.00** for waste tires collected during the Levy County Waste Tire Amnesty Day events on October 28, 2023 and April 13, 2024 from 8am – 5pm.

Florida DEP will reimburse Levy County upon receipt of itemized invoice. Florida DEP requires proof of disposal method to include weight ticket (must include disposal rate) from the Levy County Waste Tire Amnesty Days on October 28, 2023 and April 13, 2024. Time of the Events beginning at 8am and ending at 5pm.

Levy County assumes responsibility for any additional costs incurred.

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From: Thigpen, Hope [mailto:Hope.Thigpen@dep.state.fl.us]

Sent: Tuesday, August 22, 2023 1:22 PM

Subject: Waste Tire Amnesty Events

Good Afternoon

I hope this email finds you well!!! I am excited to be reaching out to you once again regarding our Waste Tire Amnesty Programs. The Florida Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) is offering assistance to reimburse the counties to remove waste tires through the amnesty events. Florida DEP will assist with tire transportation and processing costs up to \$25,000 for waste tires collected during a 1-3 day amnesty event. I have attached a blank scope of work for your review. Last year we made a huge impact in removing unwanted and slightly waste tires that were improperly disposed of and looking forward to another great year.

Please let me know if you are interested in working with Florida DEP on a joint Waste Tire Amnesty Event. I have attached a blank scope of work that will need to be filled out on county letterhead and returned. If you have any questions regarding the waste tire amnesty events, please let me know.

I look forward to hopefully hearing from you soon!! Take care and stay safe!

Thanks

Hope



Hope Thigpen

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From: Thigpen, Hope <Hope.Thigpen@dep.state.fl.us>
Sent: Monday, August 28, 2023 11:07 AM
To: Levy County Transfer Station
Subject: RE: Waste Tire Amnesty Events

Good Morning Ms. Tina

Yes ma'am you can hold as many events as you would like for the new year. For the scope of work you can add both dates, see below:

October 28, 2023 add location

April 13, 2024 add location

I'll get started on this, just send scope of work when you can.

Have a great day!

Thanks

Hope

From: Levy County Transfer Station <solidwaste@levycounty.org>
Sent: Monday, August 28, 2023 10:05 AM
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Good Morning Ms. Hope,

Yes we are looking forward to another year working with DEP and appreciate the opportunity provided to us through the Waste Tire Amnesty Program. In the new fiscal year 23/24 we would like to hold two amnesty events instead of one event like in previous years. The dates we are looking at are October 28, 2023 and April 13, 2024. I wasn't sure how you would want me to complete the scope of work with two dates (if allowed) and wanted to get approval from you first before we submitted it to you.

If you can let me know at your earliest convenience then I will complete the scope of work and return to you.

Thanks again,

Tina Horne
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