

**MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN BROWNING-FERRIS
INDUSTRIES OF OHIO, INC. AND THE CITY OF AVON, LORAIN COUNTY,
OHIO FOR THE COLLECTION AND DISPOSAL OF SOLID WASTE,
RECYCLABLE MATERIAL COLLECTION/PROCESSING,
YARD WASTE COLLECTION AND BULK PICK-UP**

Beginning May 1, 2019 and continuing through April 30, 2024, curbside solid waste collection and disposal, recyclable material collection/processing, yard waste collection and bulk pick-up services will continue to be provided to all City of Avon residents who contract with Browning-Ferris Industries of Ohio, Inc. (BFIO). BFIO provides a ninety-six (96) or sixty-four (64) gallon automated refuse cart to their residential customers. BFIO supplies thirty-two (32) gallon automated refuse carts for residents of certain apartment and condominium developments. All automated carts are and will remain the property of BFIO.

BFIO will only remove refuse and recyclables contained within the automated refuse and recycling carts (with the lid closed). Beginning on or about May 1, 2022, BFIO will collect bulk items from individual households every week on the same day of the week as residents' usual curbside service. Bulk items include, but are not limited to, washers, dryers, household furniture, carpeting, window air conditioning units, freezers, refrigerators, dehumidifiers, etc. (Freon must be removed from appliances prior to placing them at the curb.) If a refuse cart is not adequate to contain the volume of residential waste generated by a household the resident may make arrangements with the Hauler for removal of additional refuse by calling BFIO at (440) 458-5191.

There is a large container, clearly marked for collection of recyclables, in the Avon City Hall parking lot, located at 36080 Chester Road. This container is for use by Avon residents who do not have access to curbside service. Residents will be able to recycle the same materials in this container as those with residential curbside service.

Recyclable materials for collection by BFIO include: plastic nos. 1 through 7, aseptic containers (sterile, sealed containers, such as milk cartons & juice boxes), aluminum cans, bi-metal cans, glass bottles and jars, telephone books, newspapers, magazines, catalogues, junk mail, cardboard and paperboard and all office/school paper. Recyclables do not have to be separated according to material type. All food and beverage containers must be rinsed prior to placing them in an automated cart or in the recycling container at City Hall. If materials are bagged before being placed in a recycling container, the bags must be blue or clear.

Weather permitting, beginning on or about May 1, 2022 and each week thereafter, BFIO will collect residential yard waste on the same day of the week as residents' usual curbside service. Yard waste may be placed at the curb in clear plastic or brown paper bags, or loose in cans of the same type as a trash can, clearly marked "YARD WASTE" and must be of a manageable weight.

Residential curbside service will be one day later than the regular day of service after these holidays: New Year's Day, Memorial Day, the 4th of July, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day and Christmas Day.

It is understood that Avon residents contract individually for refuse removal and there is no additional charge to the resident for BULK PICK-UP or for the removal of yard waste. **BFIO will provide written notice to the Mayor and City Council of any proposed governmental fee increases to be incurred for disposal or processing of Solid Waste or Recycling Materials at least Sixty (60) days prior to any implementation of the rate increases for residential curbside refuse service.**

Any breach of the terms of this Memorandum of Understanding and/or the [Exhibits](#) attached hereto and incorporated herein by this reference by BFIO can, at the City's option, be grounds to terminate this MOU.

CITY OF AVON, OHIO

**BROWNING-FERRIS INDUSTRIES OF
OHIO, INC.**

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