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MERIDIAN WASTE ACCEPTS ITEMS TO 'FILL THE 40' FOR TOYS FOR TOTS

- Meridian Waste to fill a 40-yard container with toys and gifts for children this Christmas season -

FORISTELL, MO. (October 3, 2022) – Meridian Waste Missouri LLC, a subsidiary of [Meridian Waste](#), an integrated, non-hazardous solid waste services company, is asking for the community's help to collect new, unwrapped toys and gifts for Toys for Tots this Christmas season.

Fill the 40 is a Meridian Waste initiative to help collect items for causes by setting a collection goal of filling the company's largest 40-yard container. Meridian Waste Missouri locations are designated official drop-off sites for Toys for Tots this year. In partnership with the local Toys for Tots chapters, Meridian Waste is collecting toys and gifts for children ages one to 17 to help make the holidays brighter for local families.

"For the second year in a row, we are proud to help promote and serve as official drop-off locations for the campaigns in our service neighborhoods," said Area President Gregg Ascitutto. "We believe that through the efforts and donations, we can help bring warmth and comfort while positively impacting many young lives and lightening the financial burden felt by many during this special time for families."

Meridian Waste is collecting unwrapped toys and gifts through Monday, December 5, along with local municipalities and business partners.

"We are honored to be working with Toys for Tots, an extraordinary volunteer organization celebrating 75 years of bringing joy to children in our service communities," said Barbie Russo, Meridian Waste Missouri's Government Affairs and Community Relations Manager. "We need our greater community of family, friends, neighbors, and customers to help make this campaign successful. Please donate toys and spread the word to put a smile on every child's face," said Russo.

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Locations include:

LINCOLN COUNTY

Meridian Waste Winfield Transfer Station
751 S. HWY 79, Winfield, MO 633

City of Winfield
51 Harry's Way, Winfield, MO 63389

Troy City Hall
800 Cap au Gris St., Troy, MO 63379

PIKE COUNTY

Meridian Waste Eagle Ridge Landfill
13100 Hwy VV, Bowling Green, MO 63334

Village of Eolia
105 Community Ln., Eolia, MO 63344

Veolia Environmental Services
3651 West Industrial Dr., Louisiana, MO 63353

ST. CHARLES COUNTY

Meridian Waste Foristell
17900 Veteran's Memorial Pkwy., Foristell, MO 63348

Lake Saint Louis City Hall
200 Civic Center Dr., Lake Saint Louis, MO 63367

Synergy at the Meadows
1000 Fountain Grass Dr., Lake Saint Louis, MO 63367

The GOAT Barber House
1816 W Pearce Blvd., Wentzville, MO 63385

For additional drop-off locations, visit the Toys for Tots website at <https://www.toysfortots.org>.

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GRAPHIC: Flyer for Meridian Waste Toys for Tots 2023 toys and gifts drive with drop-off locations, and more information about the local efforts.

On a mission to make sure every kid can feel the sparks of magic, joy & hope.

Help us **FILL THE 40**
Teaming up to help LOCAL kids
Neighborhood Drop-off Sites!

75th Anniversary
TOYS FOR TOTS

We truly care about the families in our service areas—and that absolutely includes the kids. It's a big world full of wonder and possibilities, but children in struggling families need help hanging on to that joy & hope.

Meridian Waste Missouri is partnering with the Marine Toys for Tots Foundation and local programs in our service areas by becoming **Toys For Tots official drop-off locations** through **December 5**.

Collection boxes are set up at our facilities and partner sites, accepting gifts for local children and teenagers **ages 1-17** in economically disadvantaged homes.

Thank you for sharing the love this season!

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About Meridian Waste

Headquartered in Charlotte, N.C., Meridian Waste is a company defined by its commitment to servicing its customers, caring for and engaging its employees, and generating financial value for its shareholders while delivering a clean and healthy community. The company's core waste business is centered on residential, commercial, and industrial non-hazardous solid waste collection and disposal. Currently, the company operates in Northeast Fla., St. Louis, Mo., Raleigh, N.C., Goldston, N.C., Greenville, S.C., Knoxville, Tenn., Blacksburg, Va., Harrisonburg, Va., and Richmond, Va. servicing more than 206,840 residential, commercial, industrial, and governmental customers. In addition to a fleet of commercial, residential, and roll-off trucks, the company operates 13 hauling companies, eight transfer stations/materials recycling facilities (MRFs), two municipal solid waste landfills, and three C&D landfills in which 857,649 tons of waste are safely disposed of annually. For more information, visit MeridianWaste.com.