As of April 2017, the Wyandotte County Yard Waste Center started accepting recyclable items again. The new Wyandotte County Recycling & Yard Waste Drop Off Center is located at 3241 Park Drive, Kansas City, Kansas. Hours of operation for the Center are from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Thursday, Friday, Saturday, and Sunday each week from April through November. From December through March hours each week will be 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Saturday and Sunday. The Center will be closed on holidays.

Clear, brown, and colored glass is accepted at the Center. The glass does not have to be separated by color and will be placed in the same container. In addition, other recyclables do not need to be separated and will be placed in one container. Other recyclable items accepted include newspapers, magazines, mixed office paper, cardboard, paperboard, food & beverage cans and plastics. Please remove recyclables from plastic bags before placing them into recycling containers. Please break down cardboard boxes.

But there are some plastic items that will not be accepted: No plastic bags. No plastic toys. No motor oil or other auto product container. No herbicide or pesticide containers. No Styrofoam materials such as peanuts, packaging blocks/sheets or cups. No plastic cereal box or cake box liner bags. No plastic 6-pack holders. No plastic pipe, PVC pipe. No plastic building materials or plastic sheet materials.

In addition, Wyandotte County residents can take grass clippings, garden trimmings, leaves and branches to the Recycling & Yard Waste Drop Off Center. The Center cannot accept stumps and logs larger than 12 inches in diameter or items more than four feet in length. Wyandotte County residents will need to show a proof of residency such as a driver’s license. Commercially generated yard waste material will not be accepted.

For more information about the Recycling & Yard Waste Center, during hours of operation you can call 913-371-2034. During other hours please call 913-573-8318 or 913-573-5400.

Other alternatives for disposing of yard waste include the following:

Yard Waste at Johnson County Landfill:
Johnson County landfill will accept Landscape Waste delivered by Wyandotte County residents to the landfill, free of charge based on the following guidelines.

1. Landscape waste is defined as leaves, grass clippings, branches 3” or less in diameter and 4’ or less in length, fallen fruit, nuts and acorns.
2. Material is to be generated from a residential property within Wyandotte County, including Kansas City, KS and Bonner Springs, and is to be delivered to the landfill by the residential property owner.
3. Property owner must provide proof of residency upon arrival to the landfill.
4. Acceptance is limited to one-load per week, of no more than 3-cubic yards of material. Material not accepted as Landscape Waste includes, but is not limited to; branches / stumps in excess of 3” in diameter, cut or rolls of sod and animal manure. Material will be accepted Monday thru Friday: 8:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. and Saturday: 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. at 17955 Holliday Dr., Shawnee, Ks.

Yard Waste is Taken with Weekly Trash:
Residents in Kansas City, Kansas can also dispose of yard waste in their regular weekly trash pickup. Leaves and grass clippings must be bagged and not in excess of 50 pounds per bag. Tree limbs must be tied in bundles not more than four feet long, less than 50 pounds, and 4” or less in diameter.