

LADUE LEAF & BRUSH COLLECTION PROGRAM

LOOSE LEAVES

A scheduled city-wide collection will be made beginning Oct. 1 through Dec. 31 weather permitting. Notification cards will be sent out in September for your October, November and December pick-up dates.

NO BAGGED LEAVES ACCEPTED

Leaves must not contain brush, hedge clippings, sweet gum balls, vines, grass clippings, trash, garbage or metal objects as they cause equipment breakdowns. Leaves must be raked off the road & spread out so that the back edges of the leaves are no farther than 3 feet from the road, and 4' to 6' in height.

SPRING LEAF COLLECTION is in April. This schedule will run the same as the fall collection. Example: If your fall pickup was the 3rd week of the month, your spring pick-up will also be the 3rd week.

BRUSH: Pickup begins March 1st through September of each year. Maximum of two (2) loads per month.

NO BRUSH PICKUP FROM SEPTEMBER 30TH THROUGH FEBRUARY 28TH

We will pick up brush up to 10" in diameter & 10' in length. The larger diameter wood must be a minimum of 6' in length (**no firewood lengths**). Hedge trimmings, stumps, roots & dirt balls are not accepted. Brush should be stacked parallel to the road & the back edge of the pile should be no farther than 3 ft. from the road. **NO BAGS ACCEPTED.** Please do not mix loose leaves & brush together as each of these requires a different piece of equipment for collection. ITEMS MIXED TOGETHER WILL NOT BE PICKED UP UNTIL THEY ARE SEPARATED.

CHRISTMAS TREE PICK-UP – Have all Christmas trees out to the curb by January 14th.

PLACEMENT OF LEAVES & BRUSH: Leaves & brush should be set out by Monday morning of the scheduled week but not more than 10 days in advance. Leaves & brush must NOT be placed on a sidewalk, road that accommodates vehicle traffic, piled on top of a hill or embankment or behind or near obstacles: such as hedges, trees, fences, mailboxes, poles and sewers. If your property abuts a public as well as a private road, leaves and/or brush must be placed adjacent to the private road & not more than 3' from the edge of the roadway adjacent to your residence. (Ordinance Number 1288.) If your property can only be reached by a private driveway, we will collect your leaves and/or brush if your driveway can accommodate our equipment (which is 34' long & 14' high) & has an adequate turnaround area (either a circular drive or a square pad which is a minimum of 70' X 70'.) If you wish us to come up your driveway we will need to issue a letter of permission. Ordinance 1442. The City DOES NOT COLLECT grass, lawn/hedge clippings, sweet gum balls, refuse, trash, old appliances. Please make arrangements for disposal.