



2021-2022

Leaf Season Collection Program

NOVEMBER 1 - JANUARY 15



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The Department of Public Works (DPW) will provide leaf collection service on November 1, 2021 through January 15, 2022 to residents who receive our trash and recycling services. Our goal is to provide this service while keeping residents and our crews safe and healthy.

District households serviced by DPW are asked to rake leaves into the tree box or at the curb in front of their home where there is no tree box by the Sunday of their scheduled collection week.

The leaf collection schedule could be disrupted by weather events and personnel changes due to the pandemic. Each time snow or freezing rain and ice is forecast, our DC Snow Team hits the streets to salt and pretreat roads. This necessitates switching our equipment and crews from leaf collection duties to snow duties, which unfortunately causes delays.

If your leaves were not collected please call 311 (202-737-4404) or visit 311.dc.gov to open a "Leaf Season Collection" service request. Be sure to sign up for the MyDPW app to check when our crews will collect on your street.

Leaves placed in the tree box or at the curb will be composted as part of Mayor Bowser's Zero Waste initiative.

Did you know leaves can clog storm drains, cause street flooding, and eventually pollute the Anacostia River and other local waterbodies.

Proper leaf collection and disposal is an important practice that helps make our rivers and streams healthy.



DPW will not collect leaves on the Thanksgiving, Christmas and New Year's holidays. Resident should place their leaves in the tree box or at the curb during holiday weeks and DPW will extend the collection week until Saturday.

2021-22 Key Leaf Collection Facts:

What is considered a residence serviced by DPW?

As defined by District of Columbia law, residences serviced by DPW are single-family homes and apartment buildings containing three residential housing units or fewer.

Is leaf collection in the front or rear?

Leaves are collected at the front of residences. Please rake leaves into your tree box or at the curb, if there is no tree box place leaves at your curb.

What is a tree box?

Tree boxes are public space (usually box shaped) that surround trees and other plants at the front of private property. Residents are responsible for keeping the tree boxes in front of their homes in clean and safe condition.

Can I just rake my leaves into the street?

No. Piles of leaves in the street are a fire hazard and create parking and traffic issues. Only leaves left at the curb or in the tree box will be collected.

What will DPW do if piles of leaves on our street blow into the storm drain or are washed there during a rainstorm?

Please report piles of leaves in storm drains by calling 311 (202-737-4404) or by contacting DC Water at 202-727-2000.

Do I have to rake my leaves again if they blow away or have seeped into the ground because of a storm?

Yes. DPW will only collect leaves left in the tree box or at the curb.

How do I find out when my leaves will be collected?

Visit dpw.dc.gov to view a map and leaf collection schedule in your ward. While you're there, sign up for MyDPW App for reminders about the schedule for your street.

Brochures including the schedules and an overview of the leaf collection program will be mailed to each DPW-serviced household before the program starts.

What day during my collection week should I bag my leaves?

Please bag your leaves and place them at the curb or in the tree box on Sunday of your collection week.

Need leaves and/or yard waste collected after January 1?

Yard waste and leaves can be placed in paper bags for a scheduled yard waste pick up by calling 311. Residents can also visit www.311.dc.gov to make an appointment or download and schedule an appointment using the 311 mobile app available at the Google Play & Apple App stores.

If you miss collections on your street, drop-off your bagged leaves at the following locations:

Fort Totten Transfer Station 4900 Bates Road, NE:

Mon - Fri: 1 - 5 pm

Sat: 8 am - 3 pm



Pick Up 1

Area Boundaries:

Rake Leaves out by Sunday:

Collection Dates:

A	North of Harvard St to Piney Branch Pkwy; West of 14th St to Beach Dr	October 31	November 1 to November 5
B	South of Harvard St to Florida Ave/U St; West of 14th St to Connecticut Ave	November 7	November 8 to November 12 (Working on Veterans day)
C	North of Harvard St to Spring Rd/Rock Creek Church Rd; East of 14th St to Park Pl	November 14	November 15 to November 19
D	South of Harvard St/Michigan Ave to S St/Florida Ave; East of 14th St to 1st St/2nd St	November 21	November 22 to November 27 (No work on Thanksgiving day Nov. 25)

Pick Up 2

A	North of Harvard St to Piney Branch Pkwy; West of 14th St to Beach Dr	November 28	November 29 to December 3
B	South of Harvard St to Florida Ave/U St; West of 14th St to Connecticut Ave	December 5	December 6 to December 10
C	North of Harvard St to Spring Rd/Rock Creek Church Rd; East of 14th St to Park Pl	December 12	December 13 to December 17
D	South of Harvard St/Michigan Ave to S St/Florida Ave; East of 14th St to 1st St/2nd St	December 26	December 27 to December 31

Ward 2



Area Boundaries:

Rake Leaves out by Sunday:

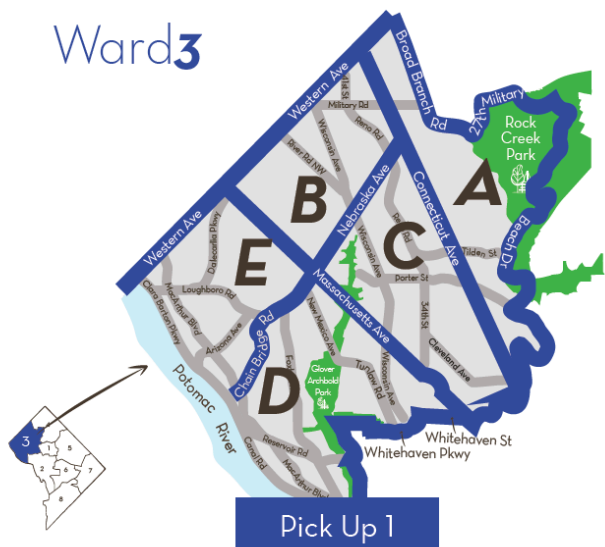
Collection Dates:

A	East of 15th St; North of Independence Ave	October 31	November 1 to November 5
B	West of 15th St to 23rd St; North of Potomac River	November 7	November 8 to November 12 (Working on Veterans day)
C	West of 23rd St to Wisconsin Ave; South of Whitehaven St to Potomac River	November 14	November 15 to November 19
D	West of Wisconsin Ave to Glover Archbold Park; North of Canal Rd	November 21	November 22 to November 27 (No work on Thanksgiving day Nov. 25)

Pick Up 2

A	East of 15th St; North of Independence Ave	November 27	November 29 to December 3
B	West of 15th St to 23rd St; North of Potomac River	December 5	December 6 to December 10
C	West of 23rd St to Wisconsin Ave; South of Whitehaven St to Potomac River	December 12	December 13 to December 17
D	West of Wisconsin Ave to Glover Archbold Park; North of Canal Rd	December 26	December 27 to December 31

Ward 3



Pick Up 1

Area Boundaries:

Rake Leaves out by Sunday:

Collection Dates:

A	West of Beach Dr/Broad Branch Rd; East of Connecticut Ave	October 31	November 1 to November 6
B	East of Western Ave; West of Nebraska Ave; North of Massachusetts Ave to Connecticut Ave	November 7	November 8 to November 13 (Working on Veterans day)
C	East of Nebraska Ave; South of Connecticut Ave to Massachusetts Ave	November 14	November 15 to November 20
D	South of Nebraska Ave/Chain Bridge Rd; West of Massachusetts Ave to the Potomac River	November 21	November 22 to November 27 (No Work on Thanksgiving (Nov 25))
E	West of Nebraska Ave/Chain Bridge Rd to Western Ave; South of Massachusetts Ave to Potomac River	November 28	November 29 to December 4

Pick Up 2

A	West of Beach Dr/Broad Branch Rd; East of Connecticut Ave	December 5	December 6 to December 11
B	East of Western Ave; West of Nebraska Ave; North of Massachusetts Ave to Connecticut Ave	December 12	December 13 to December 18
C	East of Nebraska Ave; South of Connecticut Ave to Massachusetts Ave	December 26	December 27 to December 31
D	South of Nebraska Ave/Chain Bridge Rd; West of Massachusetts Ave to the Potomac River	January 2	January 3 to January 8
E	West of Nebraska Ave/Chain Bridge Rd to Western Ave; South of Massachusetts Ave to Potomac River	January 9	January 10 to January 15

Ward 4



Pick Up 1

Area Boundaries:

- A** North of Broad Branch Rd/
Military Rd/Sheridan St;
South of Western Ave/Eastern
Ave; West of Georgia Ave
- B** South of Sheridan St; North of
Ingraham St; East of Rock Creek
Park; West of 4th St
- C** East of Georgia Ave/4th St;
North of Missouri Ave/Riggs Rd/
Kennedy St; South of Eastern Ave
- D** North of Rock Creek Church Rd
to Ingraham St/Missouri Ave;
West of North Capitol St; East of
Georgia Ave
- E** South of Ingraham St;
West of Georgia Ave; North of
Spring Rd/Piney Branch Pkwy;
East of Rock Creek Park

Rake Leaves out by Sunday:

- October 31
- November 7
- November 14
- November 21
- November 28

Collection Dates:

- November 1
to November 6
- November 8 to
November 13
(Working on Veterans day)
- November 15 to
November 20
- November 22 to
November 27
(No Work on Thanksgiving
(Nov 25))
- November 29 to
December 4

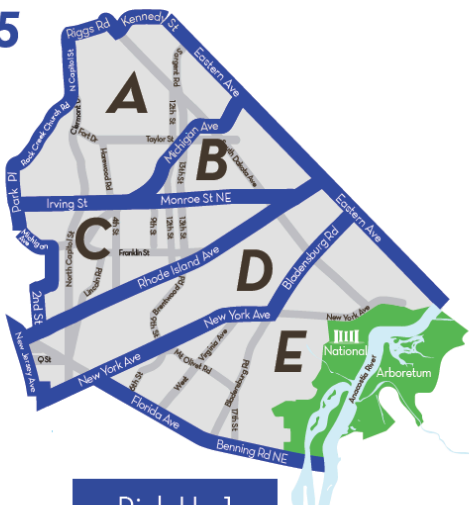
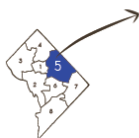
Pick Up 2

- A** North of Broad Branch Rd/
Military Rd/Sheridan St;
South of Western Ave/Eastern
Ave; West of Georgia Ave
- B** South of Sheridan St; North of
Ingraham St; East of Rock Creek
Park; West of 4th St
- C** East of Georgia Ave/4th St;
North of Missouri Ave/Riggs Rd/
Kennedy St; South of Eastern Ave
- D** North of Rock Creek Church Rd
to Ingraham St/Missouri Ave;
West of North Capitol St; East of
Georgia Ave
- E** South of Ingraham St;
West of Georgia Ave; North of
Spring Rd/Piney Branch Pkwy;
East of Rock Creek Park

- December 5
- December 12
- December 26
- January 2
- January 9

- December 6 to
December 11
- December 13 to
December 18
- December 27 to
December 31
- January 3 to
January 8
- January 10 to
January 15

Ward 5



Pick Up 1

Area Boundaries:

Rake Leaves out by Sunday:

Collection Dates:

A	West of Michigan Ave to Rock Creek Church Rd/ North Capitol St; South of Eastern Ave to Irving St/Monroe St	October 31	November 1 to November 6
B	West of Eastern Ave; South of Michigan Ave to Monroe St	November 7	November 8 to November 13 (Working on Veterans day)
C	South of Irving St/Monroe St to Rhode Island Ave	November 14	November 15 to November 20
D	South of Rhode Island Ave; North of New York Ave/Bladensburg Rd	November 21	November 22 to November 27 (No Work on Thanksgiving (Nov 25))
E	South of New York Ave/ Bladensburg Rd; North of Benning Rd/Florida Ave	November 28	November 29 to December 4

Pick Up 2

A	West of Michigan Ave to Rock Creek Church Rd/ North Capitol St; South of Eastern Ave to Irving St/Monroe St	December 5	December 6 to December 11
B	West of Eastern Ave; South of Michigan Ave to Monroe St	December 12	December 13 to December 18
C	South of Irving St/Monroe St to Rhode Island Ave	December 26	December 27 to December 31
D	South of Rhode Island Ave; North of New York Ave/Bladensburg Rd	January 2	January 3 to January 8
E	South of New York Ave/ Bladensburg Rd; North of Benning Rd/Florida Ave	January 9	January 10 to January 15

Ward 6



Pick Up 1

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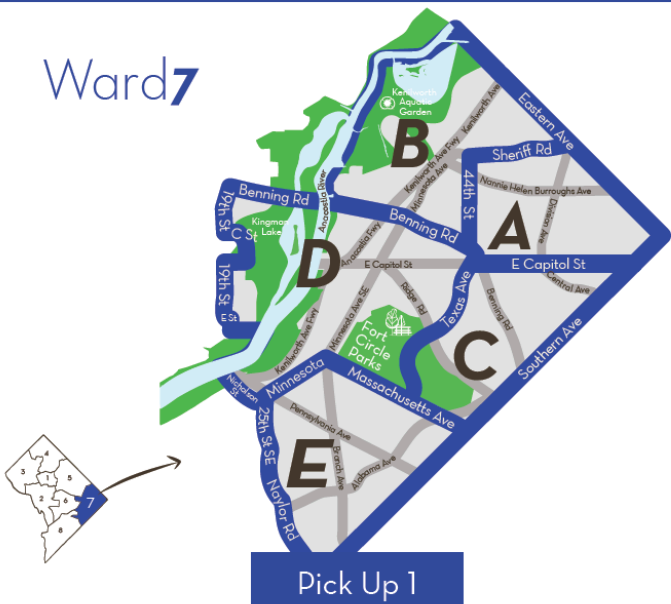
Collection Dates:

A	West of 4th St; North of E Capitol St; South of S St/New York Ave	October 31	November 1 to November 6
B	East of 4th St to 14th St; North of E Capitol St to Florida Ave	November 7	November 8 to November 13 (Working on Veterans day)
C	West of 19th St to 11th St/14th St; South of Benning Rd to Anacostia River	November 14	November 15 to November 20
D	West of 11th St to South Capitol St; South of East Capitol to Anacostia River	November 21	November 22 to November 27 (No Work on Thanksgiving (Nov 25))
E	West of South Capitol St to Maine Ave/1st Ave; South of Independence Ave to the Anacostia River	November 28	November 29 to December 4

Pick Up 2

A	West of 4th St; North of E Capitol St; South of S St/New York Ave	December 5	December 6 to December 11
B	East of 4th St to 14th St; North of E Capitol St to Florida Ave	December 12	December 13 to December 18
C	West of 19th St to 11th St/14th St; South of Benning Rd to Anacostia River	December 26	December 27 to December 31
D	West of 11th St to South Capitol St; South of East Capitol to Anacostia River	January 2	January 3 to January 8
E	West of South Capitol St to Maine Ave/1st Ave; South of Independence Ave to the Anacostia River	January 9	January 10 to January 15

Ward 7



Pick Up 1

Area Boundaries:

Rake Leaves out by Sunday:

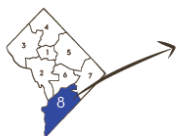
Collection Dates:

A	North of E Capitol St to Sheriff Rd/Eastern Ave; East of 44th St	October 31	November 1 to November 6
B	West of 44th St/Sheriff Rd to the Anacostia River; North of Benning Rd	November 7	November 8 to November 13 (Working on Veterans day)
C	East of Texas Ave to Southern Ave; South of E Capitol St to Southern Ave	November 14	November 15 to November 20
D	South of Benning Rd to Minnesota Ave/Massachusetts Ave; East of 19th St to Texas Ave	November 21	November 22 to November 27 (No Work on Thanksgiving (Nov 25))
E	South of Minnesota Ave/Massachusetts Ave to Southern Ave; East of 25th St/Naylor Rd to Southern Ave	November 28	November 29 to December 4

Pick Up 2

A	North of E Capitol St to Sheriff Rd/Eastern Ave; East of 44th St	December 5	December 6 to December 11
B	West of 44th St/Sheriff Rd to the Anacostia River; North of Benning Rd	December 12	December 13 to December 18
C	East of Texas Ave to Southern Ave; South of E Capitol St to Southern Ave	December 26	December 27 to December 31
D	South of Benning Rd to Minnesota Ave/Massachusetts Ave; East of 19th St to Texas Ave	January 2	January 3 to January 8
E	South of Minnesota Ave/Massachusetts Ave to Southern Ave; East of 25th St/Naylor Rd to Southern Ave	January 9	January 10 to January 15

Ward 8



Pick Up 1

Area Boundaries:

A West of Naylor Rd/25th St to Suitland Pkwy; North of Southern Ave to Anacostia River

B West of Suitland Pkwy; North of Mississippi Ave/ Atlantic St to Anacostia River/Potomac River

C South of Mississippi Ave/ Atlantic St to Southern Ave

Rake Leaves out by Sunday:

October 31

November 7

November 14

Collection Dates:

November 1 to November 6

November 8 to November 13
(Working on Veterans day)

November 15 to November 20

Pick Up 2

A West of Naylor Rd/25th St to Suitland Pkwy; North of Southern Ave to Anacostia River

B West of Suitland Pkwy; North of Mississippi Ave/ Atlantic St to Anacostia River/Potomac River

C South of Mississippi Ave/Atlantic St to Southern Ave

November 21

November 28

December 5

November 22 to November 27
(No collections on Nov 25)

November 29 to December 3

December 6 to December 10