

## A Message from The Highway Department



Dear Resident:

The Highway Department wants to help you keep your properties clean and attractive. We will provide loose leaf pick-up for Town residents (except in the Village of Spring Valley and the Village of Upper Nyack) between October 28 and November 25, 2019. Please help us by following the dates and rules outlined in this brochure.

Be sure to have all loose leaves on the edge of your property no later than November 25th to ensure that they are picked up before our leaf pick up collection ends. There is no leaf pick up after December 6th, as we have to prepare our trucks for snow removal.

As I prepare to retire at the end of the year, I want to take the opportunity to thank all the residents of Clarkstown for allowing me to serve as your Superintendent of Highways these past four years. It's been a privilege to serve my hometown in this capacity.

All the best,  
Frank DiZenzo  
Superintendent of Highways

## Street Tracker

Visit [clarkstownhighway.com](http://clarkstownhighway.com) and click leaf program/loose leaf pick up schedule to find your fall leaf pick up dates listed by street. This site is updated daily and provides an easy way for you and your landscaper to find out when Highway crews are anticipated to be in your area, providing enough time to get your bagged and loose leaves to the edge of your property.

 [clarkstownhighway.com](http://clarkstownhighway.com)  
Visit us online for more information on loose leaf pick up.



Town of Clarkstown  
10 Maple Avenue | New City, NY 10956  
[clarkstown.org](http://clarkstown.org)



For Questions  
or Additional  
Information:

Highway Department  
845.623.7500 | [highway@clarkstown.org](mailto:highway@clarkstown.org)  
[clarkstownhighway.com](http://clarkstownhighway.com)

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# Clarkstown

## Leaf Pick-Up and Drop-Off 2019

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## Let's Keep Clarkstown Clean



Dear Resident:

Happy Fall! Over the next few weeks our Highway Department will be working hard to pick up loose leaves from 25,000 households across the Town of Clarkstown. We all want to keep our Town beautiful and clean. Let's work together by following the simple rules and dates noted in this mailing.

Remember, whether you hire a licensed landscaper for leaf removal or do it yourself, please do not place leaves in the street.

As always, please feel free to contact me with any questions or concerns. Be sure to follow the Town's Facebook page, and check our website for up-to-date information.

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Town Supervisor



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Councilman  
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## Loose Leaf Program Rules



### Loose Leaf Pick-Up Program

Clarkstown Highway Department  
845.623.7500

- ▶ Pile loose or biodegradable bagged leaves on your lawn at the edge of your property no earlier than October 28 and no later than November 25, 2019.
- ▶ Plastic bags will not be picked up.
- ▶ Pick-up of yard waste including brush, twigs, branches, and logs is suspended until April 2020.
- ▶ A tarp or mesh container helps to keep loose leaves in place.

### Loose Leaf Drop-Off Program

Residents may bring their leaves to the Rockland County Solid Waste Management Authority (RCSWMA)

- ▶ This drop-off site is for **residents only**, no commercial vehicles.
- ▶ Twigs, branches, and logs must be separated from leaves and grass.
- ▶ Plastic bags are not acceptable.

### RCSWMA

166 South Route 303, West Nyack  
845.358.0759

- ▶ Monday through Friday:  
7:00 am – 3:30 pm
- ▶ Saturdays,  
December 1st through March 31st  
7:00 am – Noon
- ▶ Saturdays,  
April 1st through November 30th  
7:00 am – 2:30 pm
- ▶ Sundays: Closed



### Unacceptable for Pick-Up

#### Plastic Bags

Plastics are not biodegradable and cannot be mixed in with yard waste.

#### Yard Waste, Including:

- ▶ Brush
- ▶ Twigs
- ▶ Branches
- ▶ Logs



### Safety Reminder

For the safety of our children, school bus drivers, and the population-at-large **DO NOT** pile leaves in the following areas:

- ▶ In the street
- ▶ At intersections
- ▶ School bus stops
- ▶ Near fire hydrants
- ▶ Over storm drains

**THIS LAW WILL BE STRICTLY ENFORCED.**

*Pursuant to the NYS Vehicle and Traffic Law, Section 1220.*



### Composting Tips

For tips and information on composting, check out the Cornell University Cooperative Extension Rockland County website, [rocklandccce.org](http://rocklandccce.org) or contact the office at **845.429.7085 x3**.



### Biodegradable Bags

Collection of biodegradable leaf bags is a separate operation for the Highway Department as it is faster, easier, and requires less manpower and heavy equipment. During the leaf season and throughout the winter, we will pick up biodegradable bags filled with leaves. Yard waste pick-up of twigs, branches, and logs will resume in April 2020.

Free biodegradable bags may be available at the following locations (we suggest calling ahead to be sure they are in stock):

- ▶ Clarkstown Highway Department  
12 Seeger Dr., Nanuet  
845.623.7500
- ▶ Clarkstown Parks & Recreation Department  
31 Zukor Rd., New City  
845.639.6200
- ▶ Clarkstown Department of Environmental Control  
10 Maple Ave., New City  
845.639.2111



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