

**City of Harper Woods  
Department of Public Works  
313-343-2570**

**Fall Leaf Pick-Up**

During the fall months, the Department of Public Works collects leaves on your regularly scheduled garbage/trash pick-up day.

**Generally**, leaf pick-up is done from approximately mid-to-late October through the week of Thanksgiving.

**Please consult** your City Calendar, the City Newsletter, The Calendar on the City's website OR call the DPW for specific program dates.

Circumstances (weather, equipment, staffing) will determine the pick-up schedule.

**Please follow these guidelines for leaf pick-up:**

1. Do not rake leaves into the street any sooner than the night before your regularly scheduled refuse collection day. Try to keep the leaves close to the curb.
2. Only place leaves in the street. Branches and other items can damage our equipment.
3. If it is going to rain, try to wait as long as possible before placing leaves in the street, as leaves block the drainage and can cause street flooding and driving hazards.