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2026 FALL CURBSIDE LEAF COLLECTIONS & COMPOST SITE SCHEDULE

The **First** CITYWIDE CURBSIDE COLLECTION of bagged leaves will begin on **Monday, October 26** and end on **Friday, October 30**.

The **Last** CITYWIDE CURBSIDE COLLECTION of bagged leaves will begin on **Monday, November 30** and end on **Friday, December 4**.

- Only **brown paper biodegradable bags** will be picked up.
- Bagged leaves should be placed at the curbside on the regular trash collection day. Please be sure to keep leaf bags apart from your regular trash.
- Bags should only contain leaves and **not grass clippings, sticks, rocks** etc. Bags containing these items will not be accepted and will be left at curb.
- In the event of a snowstorm, leaf bags should be left out at the curbside. They will be collected as soon as possible.

During the fall season of **2026**, the **COMPOST SITE** on Willoughby Road, next to Elizabeth Shelton School will be open as follows:

Starting OCTOBER 26 thru DECEMBER 5

Monday thru Friday: Gate will be Open 7 AM - 2 PM

****Closed: ALL Saturdays**

November 11 – Veteran's Day

November 26 – Thanksgiving Day

****Dumpsters will be available outside of Gate for loose and paper bagged leaves ONLY!**

Anyone bringing leaves to the Compost Site in containers other than biodegradable paper bags must remove non-conforming container from the site.