

Dear Resident:

Please note that the Department of Public Works (DPW) will begin **BRUSH ONLY** pick up according to the schedule published in the recycling calendar mailed to your home which is also available on the Township website [HERE](#).

The zone by zone fall **BRUSH ONLY** pickup weeks (one collection per zone) are:

October 14	Zones 3 & 5
October 21	Zones 2 & 4
October 28	Zones 1 & 8
November 4	Zones 6 & 7

There is no leaf pick up until mid-November. No leaves may be curbside and brush and leaves may NOT be commingled. For the safety of all residents, please note the following regulations:

- Brush is to be placed curbside (*not in the roadway, but on your property near the road*) by 7:00 am on the first day of the scheduled pickup week free of leaves or other debris.
- Weather permitting; it generally takes approximately one week to complete each zone. Once a street has been completed, the DPW will not return to that street. If you miss your zone's scheduled pickup see below for recycling center guidelines or you may arrange for a private contractor.
- For the safety of pedestrians and motorists Brush should not be placed at the curb earlier than one week prior to the first scheduled collection date.
- All brush is to be cut to a maximum length of six (6) feet and a maximum diameter of four (4) inches and should not exceed fifty (50) pounds in weight. Branches less than one inch in diameter shall be tied in neat bundles no more than four (4) feet in length and two (2) feet across.

**Brush commingled with leaves, grass, rocks, stumps, construction debris, fence posts, etc., trash or recyclables will not be collected. Landscapers or residents placing debris for collection in an unauthorized manner shall be required to remove the waste from the public right of way.**

Brush and leaves are accepted at the Township Recycling Center throughout the year, free of charge. The hours of the Recycling Center are Monday and Wednesday 8:00-1:30 and Saturday 8:00-4:00. Other items that may be dropped off at the Recycling Center are:

- Electronics (TVs, computers, etc.) - No charge. No permit required.
- Bulk Items - Free bulk Permit required and are available at the Recycling office Monday to Friday 7:30 am to 3:00 pm. Proof of residency is required.

Recycling Guidelines are available on page 10 of the recycling calendar mailed to your home or online [HERE](#). You may also obtain recycling information by calling 732 536-0188 or by sending an email to [publicworks@marlboro-nj.gov](mailto:publicworks@marlboro-nj.gov).

We remind you that, as per County regulations, curbside recycling must be placed in rigid reusable containers. Your recycling will not be collected if plastic bags of any kind are commingled. For more on recycling regulations, please click [HERE](#).

Thank you for your cooperation as we work to keep Marlboro streets safe and clean.

Robert Miller, Superintendent of Public Works