

2021 LEAF AND YARD WASTE SCHEDULE

The City of Boston is dedicated to becoming a zero waste city by 2035. You can help us reach that goal by reducing, repairing, and reusing materials before recycling or throwing them away. Learn more at boston.gov/zero-waste



DONATE / REUSE

Donate unwanted items instead of throwing them out.



BREAK IT DOWN

Break down all cardboard before you recycle it.



IS IT CLEAN?

Rinse recyclable items before you put them in your blue recycling bin.



TRASH DAY APP

Download the Boston Trash Day app to learn what items you can and can't recycle.



DONATE YOUR TEXTILES

We have dropboxes across the City where you can drop off clothes and textiles.



NO PLASTIC BAGS!

Plastic bags should be put in the trash.

CITY of **BOSTON**



BOS:311



Public Works

✔ DO:

- Place leaves and yard debris in large paper bags or open barrels labeled “yard waste.”
- Tie branches with string (3-foot max length and 1-inch max diameter)
- Place barrels, bags, and branches curbside by 6 a.m.

✘ DON'T:

- No plastic bags
- Don't put branches in barrels
- No dirt

⚠ NOTE:

- If you have two recycling days per week, **collection is on your first recycling day of the week.**
- We don't collect leaf and yard waste curbside on non-scheduled weeks.
- We collect Christmas trees from January 3 – 14, 2022.

⚠ WANT TO COMPOST?

You can buy backyard compost bins and kitchen-scrap buckets at:
 Boston Building Resources
 100 Terrace St. Mission Hill, Roxbury
 For more information, go to:
boston.gov/trash

■ Leaf and yard waste curbside collection
 ■ Household hazardous waste drop-off
 ■ 2022 tree collection
 ■ Yard waste drop-off
 500 American Legion Hwy, Boston, MA 02131

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HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE DROP-OFF LOCATIONS | 9 A.M. - 2 P.M.

MAY 22 | SOUTH BOSTON
 Central DPW facility
 400 Frontage Rd.

JUNE 26 | WEST ROXBURY
 West Roxbury DPW
 315 Gardner St.

AUGUST 14 | DORCHESTER
 UMass Boston - Bayside Lot
 244 Mt. Vernon St.

SEPTEMBER 25 | SOUTH BOSTON
 Central DPW facility
 400 Frontage Rd.

OCTOBER 9 | WEST ROXBURY
 West Roxbury DPW
 315 Gardner St.