

# Leaf Collection Program

City of Charlottesville Public Works Department

## Agenda

- Collection Start
- What to Expect
- Best Practices
- Communication



### **Collection Start**

- Leaf Collection begins on October 27<sup>th</sup>
- Detailed weekly schedule information available on website





Last Week
Of
October

### What to Expect

- The City collects loose leaves at the curbside for residents up to three times per season
- There will also be a drop-off option available for residents who wish to bag their leaves for disposal
- The collected leaves are taken to a local farm where they are turned into compost that is used by area residents, farms, and landscaping companies



**Curbside Collection** 

### **Best Practices**

- Do not block storm drains or fire hydrants
- Do not mix with other yard debris
- Do not block travel-ways, curb ramps, or crosswalks
- Consider mulching or starting an at-home compost pile



(With Street Parking)

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Tips and Alternatives

### Communication

• Sign up for text alerts: 434-771-0251

Visit <u>www.Charlottesville.gov/leaves</u> for information and

schedule maps





**Community Awareness**