

2021 Yard Waste Collection Program

Economy Borough's Yard Waste Collection Program consists of two parts; 1) a centralized drop off for grass, leaves and garden residue only (April through November; the following yard waste items are not allowed: tree trimmings, trunks, shrubs, root balls, etc.); and 2) a curbside collection/chipping of small branches and shrubs (April through November). Both collections are for residents use only and a Yard Waste Permit is required; no commercial drop-offs/collections are allowed.

The centralized collection will utilize a large roll-off dumpster located beyond the basketball court at the Municipal Park. It will be available from sunrise to sunset, April through November.

Curbside pickup/chipping of tree trimmings, small branches and shrubs will take place on the first Monday (or first day thereafter if it rains) of each month by appointment only. In order to be scheduled for service, **residents must call the Road Foreman (724-869-4779 x 4) no later than 3 p.m. the Wednesday prior to the collection date to provide their street address.**

Branches/shrubbery should not exceed 8 feet in length and cannot exceed 4 inches in diameter. In order to make the collection efficient and to meet the needs of the borough, branches must be placed in orderly piles. Heaped piles will not be collected and quantities that cannot be chipped in a 10-15-minute time period will be left for the next collection. Items other than three trimmings, small branches and shrubs will not be collected. The chips will be piled near the yard collection roll-off and are free for residential use.