



## **Branch Collection and Yard Waste**

### **Branch Collection**

The Town provides curbside residential tree branch collection service two times per year in the spring and fall for single-family and two-family residential properties abutting public streets.

This service is intended for branches generated by residents through routine pruning and yard maintenance of trees on their property. It is not intended for large-scale removal or cleanup performed by commercial contractors.

**Pre-registration is required.** The Grand Chute Public Works Office will need to know your address and phone number no later than the Friday prior to your corresponding collection schedule. Branches that were not pre-registered will not be picked up.

#### **How to Register:**

Online: [CLICK HERE TO REGISTER ONLINE](#)

Phone: (920) 832-1581

Email: [publicworks@grandchutewi.gov](mailto:publicworks@grandchutewi.gov)

### **Collection Schedule**

Branch collection services will follow the Town's regular garbage pickup schedule and will typically begin on the **first Monday of May (spring)** and the **first Monday of September (fall)**. Branches shall be placed at the roadside by 6:00 a.m. on the corresponding Monday.

Branch collection routes are as follows:

- Monday garbage route: first Monday of May or September
- Tuesday/Wednesday garbage routes: second Monday of May or September
- Thursday garbage route: third Monday of May or September
- Friday garbage route: fourth Monday of May or September

Please note collection will continue throughout the week until all piles in a route have been picked up. This may take several days or even continue into the next week if necessary.

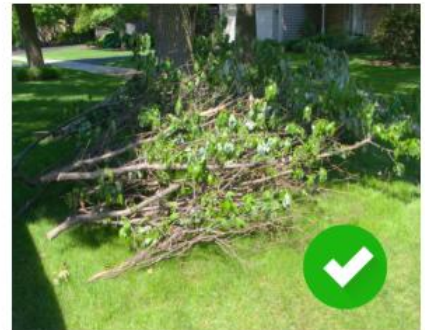
### **Rules and Regulations**

Single-family and two-family properties abutting public streets may place one (1) branch pile, per collection period, per property. Branches shall not be placed in the right-of-way more than 72 hours prior to the corresponding Monday in accordance with your collection schedule, except in the event of a severe weather incident. **Pre-registration is required.** Branches that were not pre-registered will not be picked up.

Pile regulations are as follows:

- Not exceeding 400 cubic feet, calculated on a loose branch pile with the following requirements:
  - Branch pile cannot exceed four (4) feet in height
  - Branch pile cannot exceed ten (10) feet in width
  - Branch pile cannot exceed ten (10) feet in length
- Any individual branch cannot exceed eight (8) feet in length or be shorter than three (3) feet in length
- Any individual branch cannot exceed 12 inches in diameter and/or 75 pounds in weight

- Branches are to be stacked neatly and loosely along the shoulder or curb of the road
- Cut ends are to face the road
- No root balls, stumps, construction debris, grass clippings, thorny brush, leaves, or shrub trimmings



**Branch piles in violation of any of the above regulations will receive a notice affixed to the pile indicating the violation and will be rejected in full.** The property owner will be responsible to remove the pile within seven (7) calendar days of the date on the notice. Failure to comply will result in Town staff removing the pile and all associated costs billed back to the property owner.

## Other Ways to Dispose of Branches and Yard Waste

1. The Town of Grand Chute and the City of Appleton have a reciprocal agreement which allows Grand Chute residents the use of the City of Appleton's Yard Waste sites. Both sites are available to all Grand Chute residents for yard waste, brush, Christmas trees, and grass clippings. A per bag fee applies to grass clippings. Please be prepared to show proof of residency to the attendant.

For more information about the Appleton Yard Waste Sites, please contact their office at (920) 832-5580 or visit their website at

[https://appletonwi.gov/government/departments/public\\_works/yard\\_waste/yard\\_waste\\_sites.php](https://appletonwi.gov/government/departments/public_works/yard_waste/yard_waste_sites.php)

**WHITMAN YARD SITE** – 701 S. Whitman Avenue, Appleton

- November – March
  - CLOSED
- April – November
  - OPEN: Tuesday – Friday 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
  - CLOSED: Saturday – Monday / Appleton observed holidays



**GLENDALE YARD SITE** – 2625 E. Glendale Avenue, Appleton

- December – March
  - OPEN: Monday – Friday 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
  - CLOSED: Saturday – Sunday / Appleton observed holidays
- April – November
  - OPEN: Friday, Saturday, Sunday, Monday 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
  - CLOSED: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday / Appleton observed holidays

2. Residents are also welcome to use the Outagamie County Solid Waste and Recycling (Resource Recovery Park) drop-off site for leaves, garden/grass clippings, straw/hay, and brush & tree limbs < 6" diameter. Vehicles will be charged based on weight, per ton. There are no reweighs 30 minutes prior to closing

**COUNTY RESOURCE RECOVERY PARK** – 1919 Holland Road (Gate #3), Appleton

- OPEN: Monday – Friday, 7:00 am to 3:30 pm. / Saturday, 7:00 am to 12:00 pm
  - CLOSED: County observed holidays

For more information about the Outagamie County Solid Waste and Recycling Center's drop-off site and disposal rates, contact their office at (920) 832-5277 or visit their website at <https://www.recyclemoreoutagamie.org/disposal-rates/>