



# City of Eastman

## YARD WASTE

For those receiving trash services from the City of Eastman, collection of yard waste is now being handled in-house, allowing us to monitor pick-ups more closely. We have created a collection route for our crew and will be picking up all neighborhoods on a more regular basis.

Please keep the following in mind with regards to yard waste (per the Code of Ordinances, Article IV. – Solid Waste Collection and Disposal, Sec. 38-197. – Placement for collection of tree trimmings and Sec. 38-200. – Limitation on quantity):

- All yard waste should be placed curbside for pick-up, away from your household trash pick-up space.
- Yard waste includes leaves, grass clippings, limbs, pine straw, shrubbery trimmings and cones.
- Yard waste DOES NOT INCLUDE paper, household garbage, concrete, metal or other non-biodegradable items. Please make sure these items are not mixed in with your actual yard waste.
- Demolition materials such as roof shingles, metal roofing, sheetrock, blocks, bricks and other related materials resulting from home repairs, building construction or structure demolition will be the RESPONSIBILITY OF THE PROPERTY OWNER to dispose of, not the City of Eastman.
- DO NOT place yard waste in garbage bags.
- Limbs up to three inches in diameter should be cut into 4-foot lengths maximum and piled separately.
- Limbs and trees larger than 3 inches in diameter that are blown down by windstorms must be cut into 4-foot lengths prior to pick-up.
- Commercial yard and tree service companies operating in the city limits shall be responsible for hauling all limbs, trees and other byproducts to a designated landfill and paying all required fees.

If you have any questions regarding yard waste, please contact City Hall by calling 478-374-7721 or stop by our office Monday-Friday 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. Thank you!