

# **Town of Taylorsville Brush and Limb Policy**

## **Limbs**

All tree limbs must be neatly stacked with the “butts” facing the street right of way. Limbs must be shorter than 12 feet and less than 4 inches in diameter. Stumps cannot be picked up.

Limbs should not be mixed with other yard waste, such as leaves; etc.

Limbs should be placed in an area away from obstructions such as power poles, guide wires, signs, buildings, etc.

Disposal of debris following tree removal is the responsibility of the property owner. If the property owner contracts with someone to remove the tree, the debris removal should be part of that contract. If the property owner takes on tree removal, he should make arrangements to have the debris removed.

No debris of any kind can be picked up from empty lots. If a lot is being cleared, it will be the responsibility of the contractor or property owner to arrange for debris removal

Christmas Trees are collected through January 15<sup>th</sup>. Please remove all garland, lights, ornaments, tinsel and the stand prior to placing the tree on the curb.

## **Trimmings**

All grass trimmings, briars, weeds, twigs, and etc must be placed in plastic bags (preferably clear) at the curb.

## **Bulk Debris**

Items resulting from remodeling, construction, or business openings and closings cannot be picked up by the Town.

The Town cannot collect any of the following items:

Batteries	Stumps
Oil	Tires
Anti-freeze	Building materials
Paint and paint thinner	Construction debris
Gasoline	Lumber or boards
Bricks or rocks	Decking material
Guttering	

The Town can collect the following items:

Household white goods such as:

- Appliances
- Washers
- Dryers
- Furniture
- Mattresses

### **Leaves**

All leaves to be collected by the Town must be at curb side no later than January 15<sup>th</sup>, after this date, all leaves will have to be bagged.

For quicker collection, the Town encourages citizens to put their leaves in plastic bags

Keep leaves free of sticks and other debris

Place leaves in an easily accessible area. Stay away from power poles, guide wires, trees, sign post, etc.

The leave collecting truck will run regularly each week up to January 15<sup>th</sup>, but not every day, because the same crew that collects leaves are the same workers that perform other duties for the Town.

### **General**

All materials shall be placed at curb side.

At no time shall a Town employee go onto private property to make collections.

Failure to comply with the above policies may interfere with the timely removal of your materials.

The Town cannot pick up limbs that have been trimmed by someone who was hired to trim the limbs. The person trimming will be responsible for the removal of the limbs and debris.

The Town of Taylorsville would like to thank citizens for their understanding and cooperation with this policy.