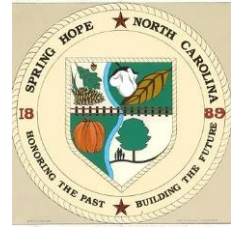


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Leaf and Limb Pickup Requirements:

- ✓ Please place leaf and limb debris out according to the annual published calendar for pick up.
- ✓ The Town **WILL NOT** pick up debris from contractors. If you hire a contractor to trim trees, shrubs, or landscape the contractor is responsible for removing the resulting debris.
- ✓ Always keep leaves and limbs separate from each other. The facility that accepts our yard debris requires leaves, limbs, and other organic material to be separate.
- ✓ Loose leaves will NOT be picked up. Package leaves, in bags, barrels, bins, or carts. The Town does not currently have a piece of equipment to pick up loose leaves
- ✓ Limbs must be cut to four foot (4') lengths or less.
- ✓ Limbs must be less than six inches (6") in diameter.
- ✓ Town staff will pick up approximately four cubic yards (the volume of a pick up truck bed). This is essential to continue to keep the costs of leaf and limb manageable.
- ✓ *The Town will charge \$75/hour (added to utility bill) and reserves the right to charge additional dump, contractor, or equipment fees if Town resources are utilized to remove contractor or excess (greater than 4 cubic yards) yard debris/leaf and limbs. This is a necessary service fee to recoup staff time and town funds.*

We thank you in advance for your cooperation. These small steps will ensure that the annual budget will continue to accommodate leaf and limb pick up. Failure to follow these published standards can result in code enforcement action.