

South Whitehall Township
Leaf Collection 2023

The Township will begin its 2023 leaf collection on **Monday, October 9th and will continue until the beginning of December 1st.** Leaf Collection is one of Public Works largest operations involving 20 employees, 14 trucks and many hours.

It is the responsibility of the residents to protect their leaves along the street so that they do not blow throughout the neighborhood.

- Place leaves two feet from the curb so that they don't interfere with the rain and storm sewers.
- Leaves will not be collected on private property.
- Park all vehicles 15' away from where the leaves are piled.
- Collection crews will not pick up empty plastic bags or containers, branches, grass clippings, shrubbery, garbage or building material. These objects can cause extensive damage to the leaf collection equipment and will contaminate the leaves that we ultimately dispose of.

With the increasing number of maturing trees each year in various areas of the Township, it is impossible to guarantee a specific pick-up day for any one location. If leaves are not in place when the crews go by, they will be picked up on the next rotation. The crews will not make any return trips. Leaf collection is subject to inclement weather, mechanical breakdowns, and Township emergencies requiring Public Works personnel and equipment. Your area could be skipped at any time should these situations occur. Please be patient; your area will be collected.

Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.