

2024 BRUSH SCHEDULE

The brush drop-off site is located at 407 Briar Street (behind the old Public Works Facility) and is open year round.

Hours of operation may vary. Be aware of posted signage. City of Baraboo residency will be verified. HAVE YOUR ID READY.

Non-Resident and contractors are prohibited from using drop-off site.

Unlawful use of site may result in citation.

City of Baraboo residents may also place brush curbside for our monthly brush pickup program.

For 2024, brush collection will be picked up the last **FULL** week of each month April through October:

(April 22, May 20, June 24, July 22, August 26, September 23, and October 21)

For the safety and efficiency of our brush cleanup process, brush must be stacked neatly with cut ends

facing the same direction. Property owners not meeting these requirements may be required to re-stack

the brush pile set out for pickup. Whenever possible, make a few separate piles that are able to be

picked up by a single person. Please stack brush in a location where it is accessible to Public Works

crews, and does not impede vision of motorists or block pedestrian walkways.

Do not stack brush piles within 5 feet of fire hydrants, sign posts, trees, fences, or utility poles.



CORRECT



INCORRECT

Monthly brush pickup is intended for typical residential yard cleanup and is not intended as a lot clearing or tree removal service. The City will NOT pick up brush that was placed by a contractor. Contractors are responsible for the disposal of tree waste that they generate. Also, please do not mix yard waste with brush to be picked up. Brush piles containing yard waste, trash, lumber, or other debris will not be picked up by City staff.

Fall Leaves & Yard Waste Schedule

Leaf pickup is scheduled to begin Monday, October 28th and continue until November 27th. Leaves must be placed un-bagged on the treebank free of debris such as rocks, stumps, and other yard waste. During leaf cleanup, please be certain that leaves are accessible by keeping piles away from vehicles, trailers, trees, and signs. Leaves and brush must be placed separately for pickup. Comingled piles will not be picked up.

Collection will begin in Monday's refuse collection district. After completing collection in Monday's area, crews will move into the Tuesday district, then Wednesday's district, followed by Thursday's and then Friday's refuse collection districts. Upon completion of Friday's refuse district, crews will begin the cycle again in Monday's district. This rotation will continue until May 17th.

This service is intended purely for leaf pick-up. Our leaf vacs are incapable of picking up yard waste such as potted plants and garden materials. Those materials must be dropped off at the City of Baraboo Compost Site located at 407 Briar Street behind the old Public Works Garage.

Curbside leaf collection only occurs during certain times in the spring and fall. During non-pickup times, residents may dispose of leaves at the City of Baraboo Compost Site. Leaves and yard waste must be free of trash and other foreign debris. If material is bagged, you must empty the contents on the appropriate pile and take the bags with you.

At no time may leaves, grass clippings, brush, or other yard waste be deposited on the street or alley. Not only does it impact ground and surface water quality, but it is also prohibited by Ordinance §8.15.