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YARD WASTE COLLECTION PROGRAM

Residents are reminded that curbside pick-up of yard waste (grass clippings, small branches, weeds, etc.) **ends the week of June 15th** on your normal collection day.

The drop-off site in Blackstone, MA, off Canal Street (North Smithfield) will continue to be open on Wednesdays and Saturdays, for those residents having the appropriate yard waste sticker; **all residential properties in the City of Woonsocket are included in the yard waste drop-off program.** Stickers can be obtained, for a \$25.00 fee, at City Hall in the Department of Public Works, Monday through Friday 8:30 am – 4 pm. Proper identification and vehicle registration is required. Commercial vehicle registrations are excluded from this program.

Mayor Baldelli Hunt stated that, "I want to remind all residents that the Blackstone site is available to all whether you have city collection services or not. Thus all residential properties may participate, so please take advantage of this benefit. A \$25 dollar sticker gets you access for a whole season."

Residents are reminded that it is illegal to throw yard waste in the household waste collection carts.

Curbside yard waste collection will resume in October.

Questions can be directed to the Solid Waste Division at (401) 767-8880.

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