

## **Yard Waste – following the City of Ormond Beach Laws and Guidelines**

Trimming bushes, trimming trees, mowing, cleaning flower beds and weeding, all create yard waste.

Homeowners are permitted to place yard waste homeowners have generated, at the curb, no earlier than 5pm on Tuesdays for weekly Wednesday morning pick up. The City has requested that yard waste be at the curb on Wednesday no later than 5am.

If a contractor, tree trimmer, yard service of any type works for a homeowner and creates yard waste – limbs, grass clippings, etc – the contractor MUST remove the yard waste. It does not qualify for pick-up by the City.

There are also guidelines about HOW MUCH yard waste can be picked up, and how large branches/limbs/logs can be, to be acceptable for City removal. These guidelines are found in the City of Ormond Beach Compliance Guide, available here:

<https://www.ormondbeach.org/DocumentCenter/View/212/Compliance-Guide?bidId=>

Reviewing the Compliance Guide will ensure that homeowner yard waste is collected on Wednesday as scheduled and will also help homeowner's understand and follow the law. Some actions relative to disposing of yard waste are illegal. This includes coercing waste collection workers to remove more than the acceptable amount of yard waste and/or contractor yard waste, placing contractor generated yard waste at the curb for City pick-up, and scattering yard waste in common areas.

Printed copies of the City of Ormond Beach Compliance Guidelines, are available at the Clubhouse.