



NEWS ADVISORY

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LEAF COLLECTION MOVES TO AREA 1 NOV. 30 **Pickup continues in Area 4**

In the week of Nov. 30, City leaf collection crews will finish up Area 4 and begin work in Area 1, the Rattlesnake neighborhood on the City's northeast side.

Residents of Area 1 can expect leaf pickup in the neighborhood to continue the following week, beginning Dec. 7.

All leaf pickup plans are subject to change, depending on snowfall.

The beginning of leaf collection was delayed a week because the early freeze in mid-October disrupted the normal progression of fall foliage, and many leaves remained on the trees. Area 1 moved to the end of the schedule.

See the leaf collection map and schedule online at
<http://www.ci.missoula.mt.us/DocumentView.aspx?DID=772>.

Notice of the area set for collection each week will be posted on the City's Web site at www.ci.missoula.mt.us and in local news media every Friday as long as leaf collection continues.

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