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CITY OF ROME GREEN WASTE AND BRUSH PICKUP

The Department of Public Works will begin the weekly collection of green waste and brush pickup for the inside corporation district starting April 7th, 2025. The City of Rome Department of Public Works will pick up your green waste the day before your regular rubbish pickup day. For example, if your rubbish day is Tuesday, your green waste will be picked up on Monday. This schedule will continue until our leaf schedule begins in the fall of 2025. Contractors are **prohibited** from placing green waste and brush at the curb; they are responsible for their own disposal.

All green waste must be containerized; no loose piles of green waste will be picked up. Please use either (5)-five 30 gallon containers or (5)-five 30 gallon 100% biodegradable lawn + leaf paper bags. Each container or bag shall weigh **no more than 50 pounds**. These bags are sold at Ace, Grand Union, Price Chopper, Wal-Mart, Hannaford and Lowe's. Please remember that no foreign matter should be co-mingled with green waste, such as: dirt, paper, household garbage, stones, concrete, or animal feces. Unacceptable containers are plastic garbage bags, cardboard boxes, and the city issued garbage & recycling containers. Any disposal of green waste in these containers will be left at the curb.

Please remember, brush and limbs should be cut up NO more than 5 feet in length, with butt ends towards the road. Limbs should be **no larger than 6" in diameter** and manageable by hand. There will be NO shrub/root ball pickup at the curb.

If you place containerized green waste or brush at the curb before April 7th 2025, please contact the City Yard and we will collect your green waste as time allows. Alternatively, all Rome residents may bring their green waste, brush, limbs larger than 6" in diameter, and shrubs/root balls to the Rome City Yard located at 132 Race Street Monday through Friday during the hours of 8:00AM to 2:00PM.

After April 7th 2025, all Rome residents may also bring their green waste to **Mohawk Valley Materials located at 7166 Lower E. Dominick Street** Monday through Friday during the hours of 8:00AM to 4:00PM, and Saturday from 8:00AM to 12:00PM.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR COOPERATION!!

PLEASE CALL D.P.W AT (315) 339-7778 WITH ANY QUESTIONS.