

# VILLAGE OF RANTOUL

## 2023-2024 Brush and Leaf Collections Schedule

### Brush Pickup Dates

Apr 3<sup>rd</sup> – Apr 6<sup>th</sup>  
May 1<sup>st</sup> – May 5<sup>th</sup>  
Jun 5<sup>th</sup> – Jun 9<sup>th</sup>  
Jul 3<sup>rd</sup> – Jul 7<sup>th</sup> (closed on July 4<sup>th</sup>)  
Aug 7<sup>th</sup> – Aug 11<sup>th</sup>  
Sep 5<sup>th</sup> – Sept 8<sup>th</sup>  
Oct 2<sup>nd</sup> – Oct 6<sup>th</sup>  
Dec 4<sup>th</sup> – Dec 8<sup>th</sup>  
Jan 2<sup>nd</sup> – Jan 5<sup>th</sup>, 2024 (Christmas trees only)

### Leaf Pick up Dates North of Rte. 136

Oct 16<sup>th</sup> – Oct 20<sup>th</sup>  
Nov 6<sup>th</sup> – Nov 10<sup>th</sup>  
Nov 27<sup>th</sup> – Dec 1<sup>st</sup>  
Dec 11<sup>th</sup> – Dec 15<sup>th</sup> **FINAL PICKUP**

### Leaf Pickup Dates South of Rte. 136

Oct 23<sup>rd</sup> – Oct 27<sup>th</sup>  
Nov 13<sup>th</sup> – Nov 17<sup>th</sup>  
Dec 4<sup>th</sup> – Dec 8<sup>th</sup>  
Dec 11<sup>th</sup> – Dec 15<sup>th</sup> **FINAL PICKUP**

**\*\*A SPRING LEAF PICKUP WILL BE CONDUCTED MARCH 20 - MARCH 24\*\***

**\*\*\*WATER MAIN FLUSHING WILL BE CONDUCTED APRIL 10 – APRIL 28\*\*\***

**\*\*\*\*LEAF & BRUSH COLLECTION ALONG PUBLIC STREETS ONLY\*\*\*\***

### Leaf Collection Guideline:

- Leaves should be placed at the curbside no later than 7:00am on the Monday morning your area is scheduled for collection.
- **Do not** put leaves into the street, gutters or block sidewalks.
- Only leaves raked to the curbside will be accepted.
- **No** Grass clippings will be accepted.
- **No** Bagged leaves will be accepted. Bagged leaves will need to be picked up by a private hauler.
- Vehicles should not be parked near the leaves or brush, as this blocks accessing the piles.
- You may burn leaves April, May, October & November on Saturdays from 11:00AM to 4:00PM.
- Leaves may be burned on private property only.

### Brush Collection Guidelines:

- All branches must be properly stacked and placed at the curbside no later than 7:00 a.m. on the Monday morning of the scheduled service and no sooner than seven (7) calendar days prior.
- Any brush placed out after that time may not get picked up in a timely manner or may result in a fine/charge.
- Brush should be stacked at the curbside with branches laying in the same direction.
- **Do not** place branches in the street, gutters, or block sidewalks.
- Logs need to be stacked separately from brush.
- Vehicles should not be parked near the brush, as this blocks accessing the piles.
- Tree removals by a contractor for a homeowner are to be disposed of by the contractor.
- Wood chips for residential landscaping will be available for public pickup and use.
- The Village **will not pick up** garbage, old furniture, lumber or other municipal waste. Disposal of these items are the responsibility of the owner or tenant.

## Village of Rantoul Brush Collection

Few communities offer this type of free, scheduled service. Your assistance in adhering to the following guidelines will ensure that service does not get abused, and that it can be performed in a timely and effective manner. Working together will help keep our community attractive and brush-free.

### Brush Collection Guidelines

- All branches must be properly stacked and placed at the curbside no later than 7:00 a.m. on the Monday morning of the scheduled service and no earlier than 10 days before the collection period.
- Any brush placed out after that time may not get picked up in a timely manner or may result in a fine/charge.
- Do not place branches in the street, gutters, or block sidewalks.
- Logs need to be stacked separately from brush.
- Bagged leaves and grass clippings are not accepted.
- Vehicles should not be parked near the brush, as this blocks access.
- Tree removals by a contractor for a homeowner are to be disposed of by the contractor.
- Wood chips for residential landscaping will be available for public pick up and use. Please contact the Public Works Department for location.
- The Village will not pick up garbage, old furniture, lumber or other municipal waste. Disposal of these items are the responsibility of the owner or tenant.

If additional information is desired, please contact the Village of Rantoul Public Works Department at 217-892-6526.

***Thank you for your cooperation!***



Do NOT put any other items in the brush pile.



Stacks should be close to, but not on the road.



Do NOT place brush in the street.



Branches must face same direction, stack logs separately.



The Village does NOT pick up bagged leaves.



In a very small pile, branches may be in different directions.



Please arrange all branches in the same direction.



Sort leaves and brush into separate piles.



Sort branches into piles of similar size. Arrange all branches in the same direction.



Please stack logs separately.