

MEDIA RELEASE

THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWN OF FORT ERIE

1 Municipal Centre Drive
Fort Erie, ON
L2A 2S6

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE DATE: October 24, 2018

MEDIA CONTACT: Melissa Marshall, Communications Advisor

TELEPHONE: 905-871-1600, ext. 2217

Fall Branch Collection Oct 29 - Nov 23, 2018

Fall branch collection starts on October 29 and continues until November 23. Curbside branch collection is available across the region to all residents living in single-family homes and apartments with six units or less.

When setting out branches for collection, it is important to remember:

- Branches must be tied in bundles
- Maximum weight of bundle = 22.7 kg (50 lbs.)
- Maximum size of bundle = 1.5 m (5 ft.) in length and 0.5 m (1.6 ft.) in diameter
- Individual branches inside of the bundle must not exceed 7 cm (2.8 in.) in diameter
- Branches must be at the curb by 7 a.m. on your regular collection day
- During the weeks of fall branch collection, branches are often collected in a separate collection truck than Green Bin material

In addition to curbside collection, branches and yard waste can also be dropped off by residents at one of the Region's Waste and Recycling Drop-off Depots year-round, free of charge.

For more information about Niagara Region's waste management services, including drop-off locations and hours of operation, visit <u>niagararegion.ca/waste</u> or call the Waste Info-Line at 905-356-4141 or 1-800-594-5542.

Contact

Jennifer Wilson Niagara Region 905-980-6000 ext. 2534