

# LEAF COLLECTION PROGRAM



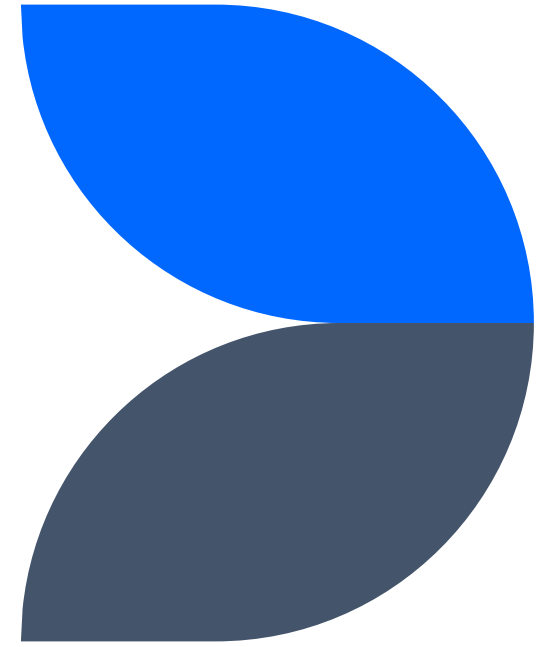
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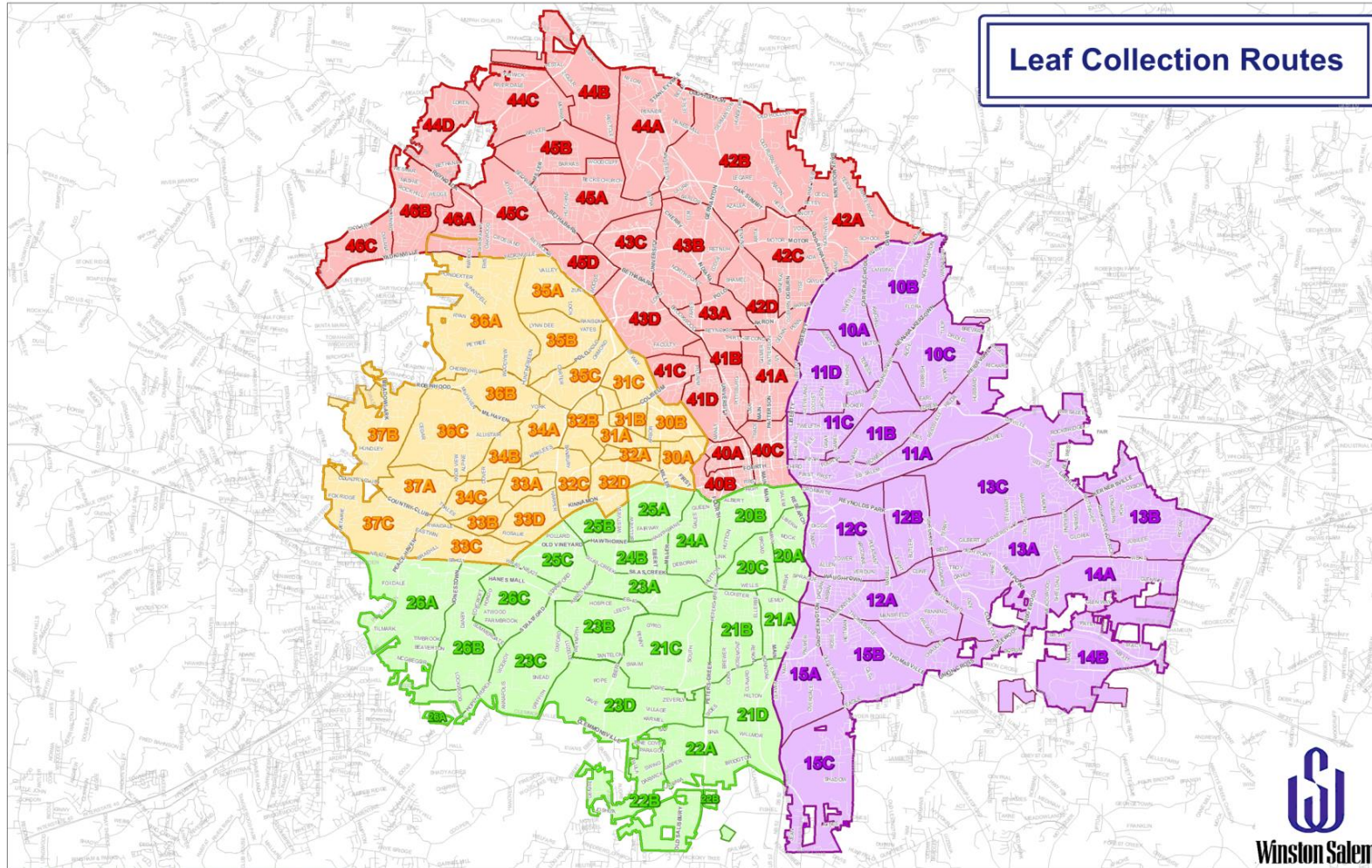
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# Overview

Leaf Collection season normally starts the first week in November each year, but staff now have the approval to start as soon as the leaves began to fall which can be earlier if needed. Collection will run through January, or as long as it takes to make (3) passes through every quadrant.



# LEAF COLLECTION ROUTE MAP



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4 Quadrants Consisting of 28 Routes

# Equipment & Staff



# Automated Leaf Trucks



12 – Automated Leaf Trucks  
(Staff needed (12) Drivers, one man operation.)

# Pull-Behind Leaf Machine With Scow Bed Truck



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24-Pull-Behind Leaf Machines & 24-Scow Bed Trucks  
(Staff needed (24) Drivers, and (48) Laborers )

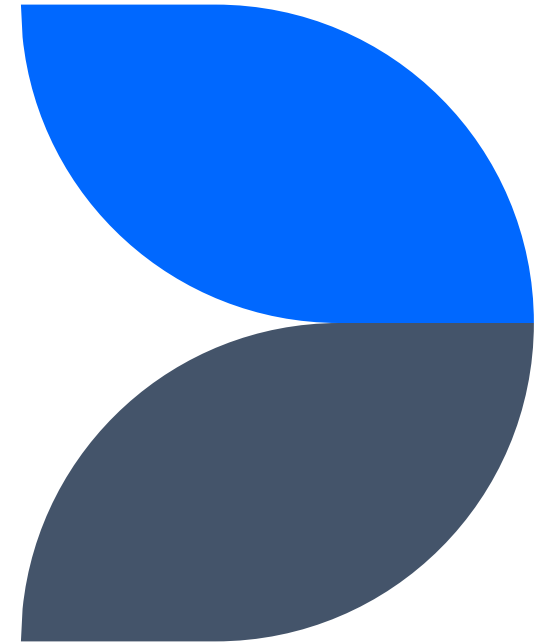
# Primary



Providing leaf collection to (Single Family) residence of Winston-Salem as quickly as possible, making (3) collections in each quadrant.

Note:

Leaf collection is not provided to businesses or apartments

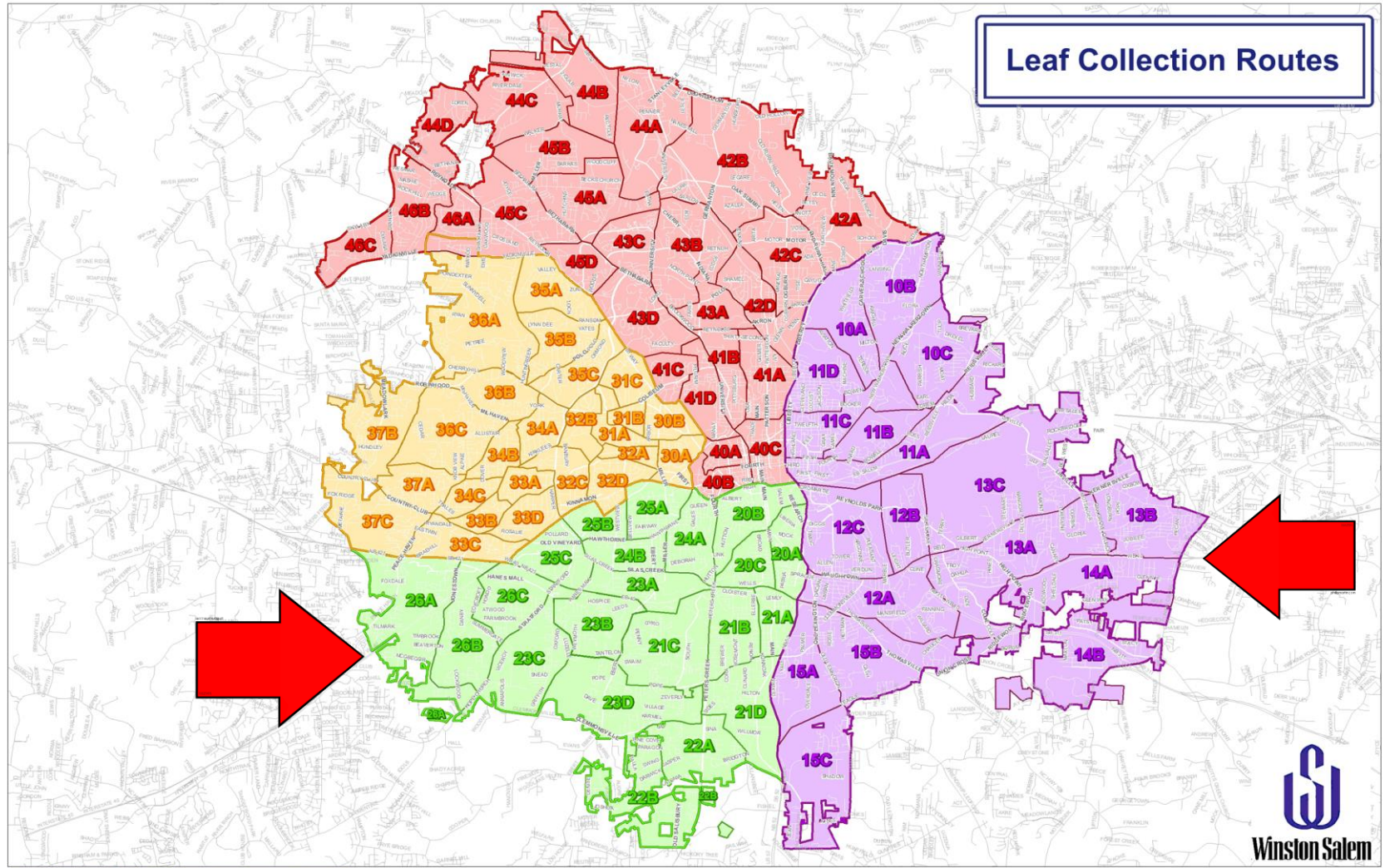


# Changes In Program





Leaves will be collected in (2) quadrants at one time instead of (1) quadrant. Therefore, we will start in quadrants 1 & 2



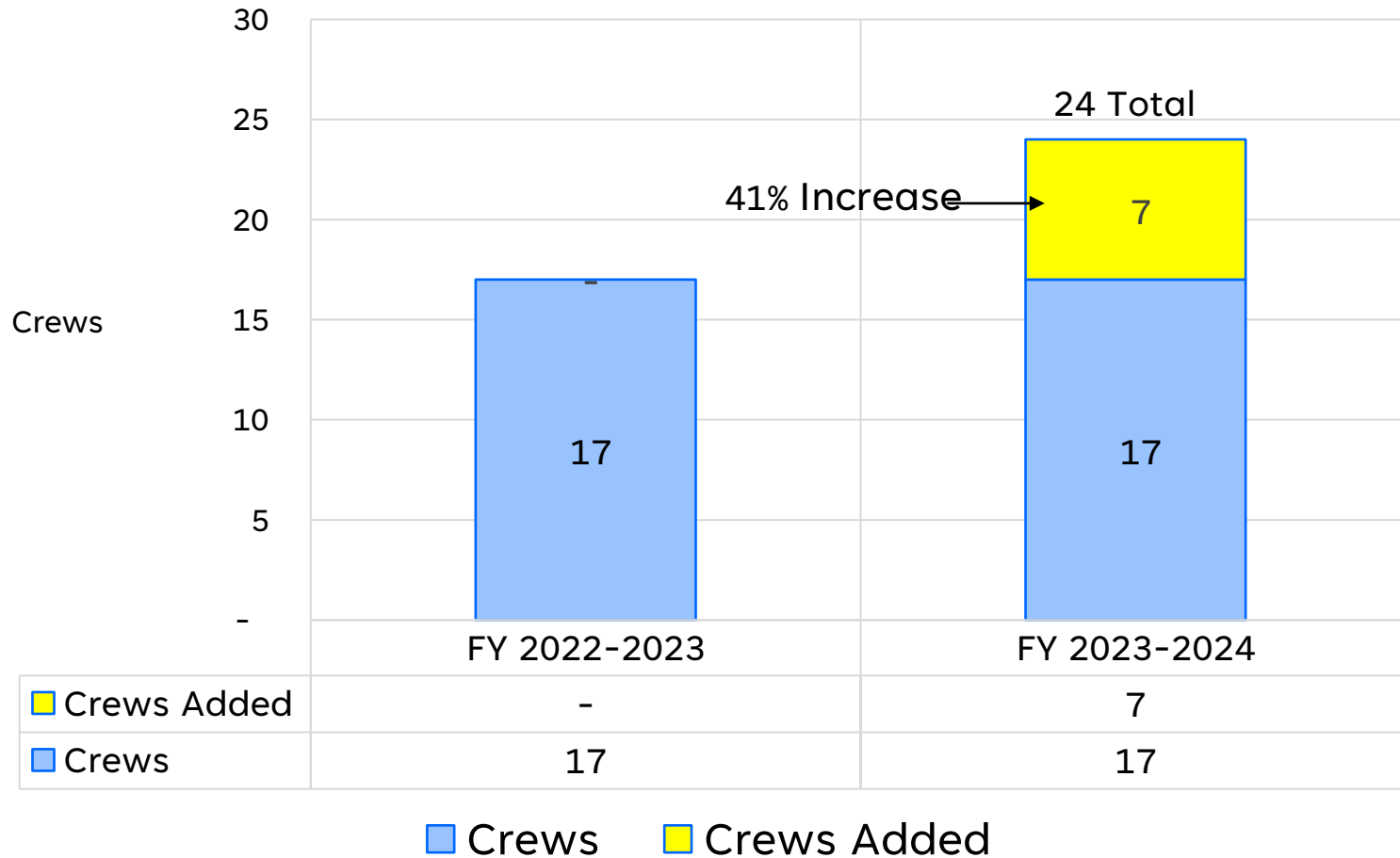
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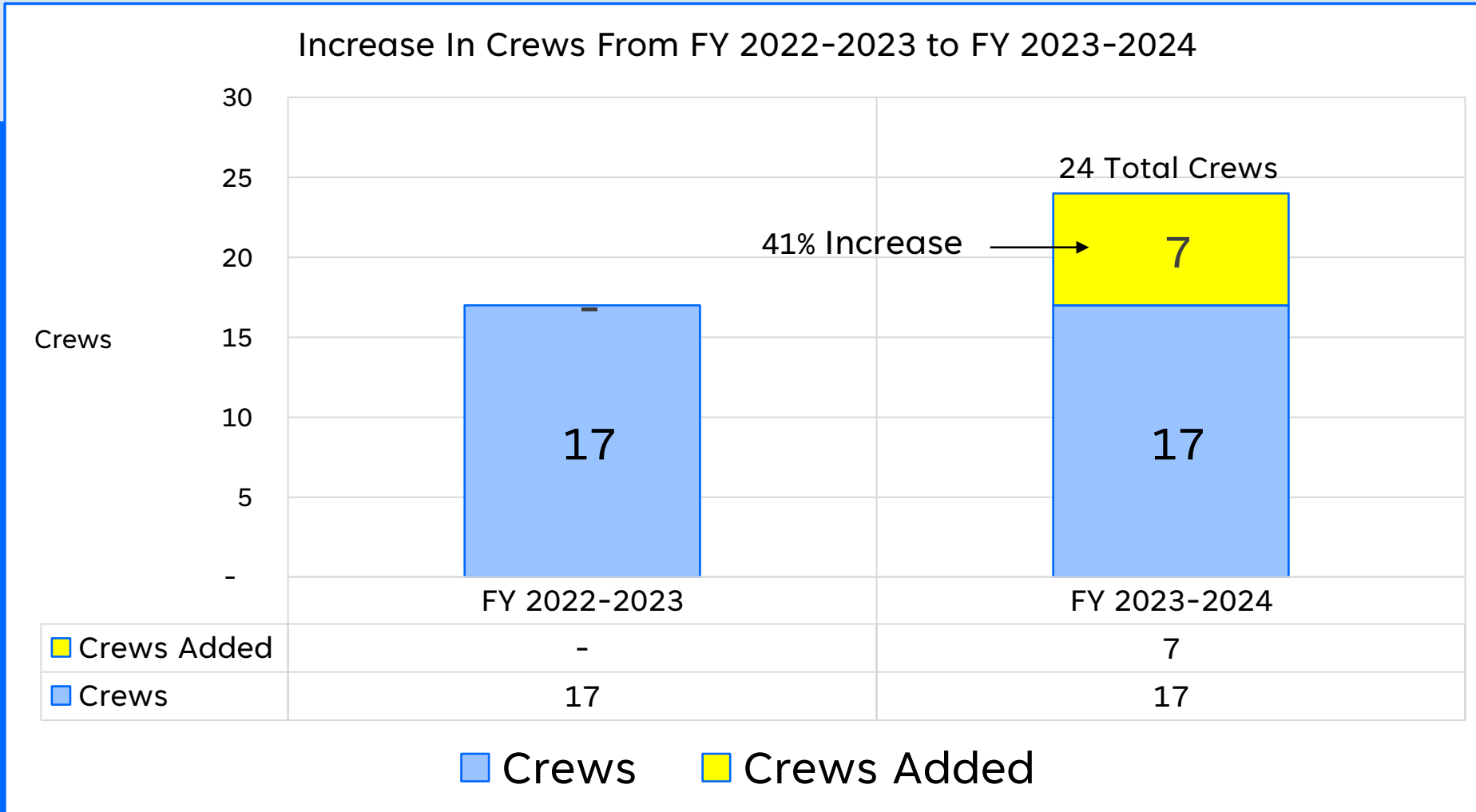


# Increasing equipment for leaf collection from the previous year of (17) pull-behind leaf machines to (24) which is an increase of 41%

Increase In Crews From FY 2022-2023 to FY 2023-2024



Increasing collection crews at the beginning of leaf season from the previous year of (17) crews to (24) crews which is an increase of 41%



To prevent equipment failure, staff will not operate the Automated Leaf Trucks during rainy days where it continuously rains all day long. These trucks require a lot of repairs when the internal parts of the leaf vacuum system gets wet which results to several days of downtime.



Raining  
continuously  
all day long

# Leaf Collection



- Do not park vehicles on, in front of, or near your leaves.
- Rake leaves to the edge of your yard, behind the curb, and not in the street.
- Leaves should not be placed on a tarp.
- Inclement weather may force a change in the leaf collection schedule
- Remember you may not burn leaves inside the city limits.
- Sticks, rocks, and other debris may damage our equipment.  
Please, leaves only.



# Thank you

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