

Media Advisory

Department of Public Works Providing a clean, safe and healthy environment

## Richmond, Virginia

The Honorable Mayor Levar M. Stoney

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## Citywide Neighborhood Clean-Up Program Begins This Weekend

RICHMOND, Va. – The Department of Public Works is committed to providing a clean, safe and healthy environment for Richmond residents. In addition to bi-weekly bulk and brush collections, the Neighborhood Clean-Up Program is another service provided to help residents dispose of bulk items. The first neighborhood clean-up is Saturday, March 6 from 8 a.m. to noon in Zone 1 (Bellevue/Ginter Park/Washington Park). *We take everything except: electronics, construction debris, hazardous waste items and broken glass.* All brush must be cut into four foot lengths. Acceptable items include: furniture, mattresses, tires (four per household) and appliances. During Neighborhood Clean-Ups, DPW crews will collect items curbside and in alleys (wherever your trash is normally collected).

Please see the attached map and the Neighborhood Clean-Up Program schedule below:

Zone 1 Bellevue/ Ginter Park/Washington Park (Clean-Up dates: March 6 & July 24) Zone 2 Northside/Highland Park (Clean-Up dates: March 13 & July 31) Zone 3 Church Hill/Fulton (Clean-Up dates: March 20 & August 7) Newtowne/Carver/Jackson Ward Zone 4 (Clean-Up dates: March 27 & August 14) The Fan/Shaffer Zone 5 (Clean-Up dates: April 17 & August 21) Zone 6 Museum District (Clean-Up dates: May 1 & August 28) Maymont/Byrd Park/Oregon Hill/Carillon Zone 7 (Clean-Up dates: May 8 & September 11) Zone 8 Bellemeade (Clean-Up dates: May 15 & September 18) Zone 9 Westover Hills/Forest Hill/Woodland Heights (Clean-Up dates: May 22 & September 25) Zone 10 Broad Rock/Brookbury (Clean-Up dates: June 5 & October 2) Zone 11 Worthington Farms (Clean-Up dates: June 12 & October 9)

- Zone 12 Westover Gardens
  - (Clean-Up dates: June 19 & October 16)
- Zone 13 Strafford Hills/Willow Oaks
  - (Clean-Up dates: June 26 & October 30)
- Zone 14 Windsor Farms/University of Richmond/Far West End
- (Clean-Up dates: July 10 & November 6)
- Zone 15 Stony Point
  - (Clean-Up dates: July 17 and November 13)

Note: all clean-ups are scheduled from 8 a.m. to noon (rain or shine)

For more information, go to https://www.rva.gov/public-works/neighborhoodcleanups or email us at AskDPW@RichmondGov.com or call 804-646-8325.

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The City of Richmond Department of Public Works (DPW) is one of only 178 currently accredited public works agencies in the United States. DPW's portfolio comprises a wide array of services to include leaf collection; street, sidewalk and alley maintenance; trash collection; recycling; grass cutting; graffiti removal; parking enforcement; urban forestry; street signs; traffic signals and pavement markings and civil engineering. In addition, DPW maintains upkeep on most city buildings; issues permits for working in the city's right-of-way; manages the RVA Bike Share program and maintains the fleet of city vehicles. DPW's operating budget comes from the general fund of the City of Richmond. For more information about DPW services, <u>click here</u> or call 3-1-1.