

## YARD WASTE PICKUP GUIDELINES

Waste Management will pick up yard waste from City of Whiteville residents when it is prepared in the following manner:

- **Set out ONE pile rather than several small piles.**  
Please help facilitate the collection process.
- **5 inches in diameter.**  
Limit the diameter of limbs and branches to **5 inches** or less.
- **5 feet in length.**  
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- **5 feet by 5 feet by 5 feet.**  
Limit the total yard waste to **5 feet long by 5 feet wide by 5 feet high.** Excess yard waste each week will be picked up at an additional charge of \$20.00 to the resident or can be taken out to the curb for future pickups with same size limits. Oversized piles should not be left at the curb.
- **Separate** leaves and grass clippings from larger branches and limbs. Place leaves and grass clippings in loose piles for utilization of vacuum collection equipment. **DO NOT BAG LEAVES.**
- **Do not** set out yard waste near guide wires or poles that impede pickup.
- **Do not** pile yard waste at storm drains to prevent clogging.
- **Do not** set out yard waste generated by commercial contractors. Residents and/or private contractors are responsible for pickup.
- **Do not** set out bulky goods, such as appliances and furniture, as they are not included in the City's service.

If you have any questions, please call the city offices.

**Thank you for your cooperation!**

