

Q18) "Are the fall leaves to be blown and set for pickup by the City? Given their value as mulch that overwinters insects and insulates the soil, are we to at least cover bare spots with them?"

A18) Green waste (leaves and weeds) can be brought to the City's mulching pile at 31 Oswego Ave; the contractor is responsible for transportation including Fall leaves. At these sites we require leaves to be removed at a December/January visit, then again during Spring cut back/clean up

Q19) are machines allowed to be used to remove sediment and how would the cost be incorporated into the contract. Also, the disposal of the sediment material, who incurs the cost of the disposal of that material?

A19) This contract is for routine maintenance only, and extensive sediment removal is not required. The expectation is that sediment be removed from catchment basins/sediment boxes and new sediment be blown out of forebays & inlets. Sediment may be disposed of at no charge at the Public Works facility with advanced notice.