

Fall



Checklist

Fall's the Best Time to Renew the Lawn – Test Your Soil First!

(See www.springfieldmo.gov/showmeyards for tips)

Start a Compost Pile

(See www.springfieldmo.gov/showmeyards for tips)

Winterize Swimming Pool

(Don't drain until spring—See www.springfieldmo.gov/stormwater for tips)

Rake Leaves*

(Take leaves to the City's Yardwaste Recycling Center. Keep them out of streets and out of the ditches—See www.springfieldmo.gov/recycling for drop off locations)

Drain Lawn Mower*

(Take gasoline to City's Household Chemical Collection Center—Call 864-2000 for an appointment)

Clean out Garage*

(Take leftover pesticides/chemicals to City's Household Chemical Collection Center—Call 864-2000 for an appointment)

Mulch Tender Woody Ornamentals & Perennials

(Following the onset of cold weather... Wood chip mulch is available at the City's Yardwaste Recycling Center. For tips, visit www.springfieldmo.gov/showmeyards www.springfieldmo.gov/recycling)

Drain Garden Hoses and Disconnect From House

*For information, including hours of operation, call **City Recycling Hotline, 864-1904** or visit www.springfieldmo.gov/recycling www.OzarksEnvironment.com

