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

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

- Start a Compost Pile**

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- Winterize Swimming Pool**

(Don't drain til spring—See www.springfieldmo.gov/stormwater)

- Rake Leaves***

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

- 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 see www.springfieldmo.gov/showmeyards or www.springfieldmo.gov/recycling for tips)

- 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

