



Department of Public Works Upcoming Events



SPRING CLEANUP

The City of Dover has designated April 13 – 24, 2020, as **SPRING CLEAN UP**. **SPRING CLEAN UP** is intended to encourage all citizens in the City of Dover to clean up and beautify their premises.

SPRING CLEAN UP items should be put out the same day as your regular trash day for pick up. Bulk yard waste and bulk household items should be put out following the schedule outlined below. We ask residents to set out trash by 7:00 a.m. on the day of collection.

Large bulk yard waste items will be collected on the same day as recycling. Large bulk household items will be collected on your trash day the week recycling is **NOT** picked up. There will be **NO CHARGE** during **SPRING CLEAN UP** for bulk items.

(NOTE: The City of Dover **WILL NOT** pick up items such as cement, tires, bricks, sand, and concrete blocks. If you have questions regarding particular items for pick up, please call 736-7025.)

SPRING CLEAN UP is designated for residents of the City of Dover and does not apply to commercial accounts or out of city areas.

Loose leaves along the curb or in the alley will be collected during **SPRING CLEAN UP** (weather permitting). Leaves cannot be in bags or contain litter or yard waste which includes sticks (no foreign objects or debris permitted) – such items will not be collected. The schedule for leaf collection will be the **day after** your regular trash pickup day.

Questions concerning this program should be directed to the Department of Public Works at 736-7025.



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HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE COLLECTION

While spring cleaning your lawn, you may also be spring cleaning your house. Please remember to dispose of household hazardous wastes properly (**NOT** in the trash can). Household hazardous wastes include the following: full aerosol cans, bleach, chemistry kits, nail polish/remover, perfumes, disinfectants, drain cleaners, floor wax, toilet cleaner, herbicides, fungicides, pool chemicals, gasoline, auto batteries, oil-based paints, stains/varnishes, solvents, strippers/thinners, and wood preservatives).



Household Hazardous Waste items may be taken to the Delaware Solid Waste Authority (DSWA): 54 Fork Branch Road, Cheswold DE, 19936. Every Friday 10am-2pm



Questions concerning the household hazardous waste disposal should be directed to the DSWA: 302-736-6054 or <http://www.dswa.com/facilities/collection-stations/cheswold/>.

WATER DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM FLUSHING

Due to operational improvements on the Water Treatment Plant, the City of Dover Department of Public Works **will not** be conducting water distribution system flushing in the Spring of 2020. The next planned flushing activity is scheduled for October 4 – 23, 2020. The City appreciates your support.