

## **James City County Announces Leaf Collection Options**

Due to declining revenues, James City County has made significant changes to the annual leaf collection program.

### **Self-haul**

Between November 9 and November 22, 2009 and January 4 and January 17 , 2010, James City County residents may drop off leaves free of charge at the Jolly Pond Convenience Center located at 1204 Jolly Pond Road daily between 7 a.m. and 5 p.m. Leaves will only be accepted in clear bags no larger than lawn or leaf-size (40 gallons or less). Leaves from commercial lawn service companies will be accepted by Convenience Center staff with a letter from the resident containing the resident's name, address and telephone number.

At all other times, leaves may be self-hauled by using coupons available at the Treasurer's Office, Satellite Office, all County fire stations or online at

[www.jccEgov.com/epayment](http://www.jccEgov.com/epayment). One coupon per four lawn and leaf-sized bags is required.

Disposal of Brush and tree limbs are not included in the free collection and will require coupons.

### **Curbside collection**

In a break from previous years, James City County will only provide one round of curbside leaf collection. Collection dates are as follows and are determined by voting district.

| <b>Voting District</b> | <b>Collection Dates</b> |
|------------------------|-------------------------|
| Stonehouse             | December 1 – 3          |
| Powhatan               | December 3 – 8          |
| Berkeley               | December 8 – 11         |
| Jamestown/Roberts      | December 14 – 18        |

Leaves must be in clear bags no larger than lawn or leaf-size (40 gallons or less). Bagged leaves must be left curbside by 8 a.m. on the first day of collection in each district. Each street will be collected one time only. Bulky materials such as brush and tree limbs cannot be accepted.

## **Leaf Burning**

Burning of leaves is not permitted in James City County, except in certain areas zoned A-1, General Agriculture.

Bagged leaves will be available, free of charge, for personal composting only.

For more information, contact: JCC Solid Waste, 565-0971. E-mail: [GenServ@james-city.va.us](mailto:GenServ@james-city.va.us).