



# OCTOBER 9 is Fall Cleanup Day!

The **City of Arkansas City** is seeking interested volunteers to help with cleaning up our yards and sidewalks this fall! This event will be a perfect opportunity for youth groups, civic clubs, churches, and other nonprofit organizations to lend a helping hand to our neighbors and friends who are in need of some assistance.

To register to participate (or if you need some assistance with cleaning up your property):

- Call Andrew Lawson at **(620) 441-4415**
- Email [alawson@arkansascityks.gov](mailto:alawson@arkansascityks.gov)
- Visit with us at **City Hall, 118 W. Central**

This is a great opportunity for students to volunteer for **community service or leadership hours!** Just let us know where you plan to be and we will sign off on your paperwork.

If you need supplies, call **(620) 441-4415** prior to **October 1** and the City will see what we can do to help. Maps and lists of target areas will be provided to you before you head out to clean. We also will have a **special surprise** for every volunteer as a token of our sincere appreciation for your help in cleaning up Arkansas City!

The **Fall Cleanup Day** schedule is simple:

1. Call **(620) 441-4415** prior to **October 1** to register yourself or your group of volunteers. We will need a contact name, telephone number and email address. We also need to know how many people will be in your group and if you need any additional supplies ahead of time. Assignments will be emailed to you.
2. Cleanup groups should plan to head out to their assigned areas by **9 AM** and work through at least **Noon**. Volunteer groups can choose to work later into the day if they wish. (Cleanup also can be done in your own yard!)

Thanks to **31st Century Techsupport**, electronic waste recycling drop-offs also will be offered **Saturday, October 9** at **Wilson Park**.

Please drop off any electronic waste you would like to dispose of at the truck and trailer located north of **Wilson Park on West Birch Avenue**.



For more information or questions about e-waste, please call Gareth McGee at **(620) 660-1465** or email him at [31techsupport@gmail.com](mailto:31techsupport@gmail.com).

**Fall Cleanup Day** also is a great way to get a headstart on **Citywide Pickup Week**, which will coincide with regular refuse collection on **Monday through Friday, October 11-15, 2021**, in Arkansas City!

- All items or materials suitable for pickup must be bundled, boxed, bagged or tied, and may not exceed **50 pounds** in weight. Please be considerate of our City workers!
- Old appliances and furniture will be picked up **in reasonable quantities**.
- On **OCT. 11-15 ONLY**, City crews will pick up **ONE** appliance that contains Freon, **PER HOUSEHOLD**. This service is presented in cooperation with **Kuhn Mechanical**, which volunteers to take care of Freon removal.
- Please place household garbage and trash in your normal container pickup location by **6:00 AM**.
- Please do not place cleanup debris or trash in the gutters or in the ditch.
- If you want us to pick up any special or large items, **PLEASE CALL (620) 441-4480** prior to **October 1!**

