## **UPDATE: Special Brush Collection Begins Monday, June 3**

Thank you for being patient with us while we worked with Republic to come up with a residential storm debris collection plan! Here's what you need to know:

- o The special collection will begin on June 3. Collection will follow the regular trash routes, so you must place your debris out ahead of your collection day that week.
- o If your debris isn't collected on your day, don't panic! It may take Republic multiple days to complete each route, depending on volume.
- You can place out tree branches at the curb unbundled and uncut. Please try to keep the pile organized, as best you can, so crews can be efficient.
- o Tree branches should be piled separately from fencing and similar debris.
- o If you live on an alleyway, where your trash and recycling is normally collected, you must place your uncut and unbundled piles in front of your home. The special collection trucks are too large for alleyways. If you want to place items in the alleyway, they must be cut and bundled per the regular brush collection guidelines because they will be collected by the smaller brush collection trucks.
- This special collection is only for storm debris from residential customers. Commercial
  customers, including apartments, should use their paid commercial service to remove
  storm debris. If you hire a tree service to trim your trees, a roofer to perform roof
  repairs or replacement, or a company to replace or repair your fence, those contractors
  should dispose of that debris.
- Please do not add any items beyond storm debris to this special collection, as that will increase the amount of time it takes Republic employees to complete this service, therefore increasing the cost of this service to the Town.
- o If you plan on hauling off your debris, you may make one trip with up to 10 cubic yards of waste once per month to the Camelot Landfill (580 Huffines Blvd., Lewisville) for free. Loads in excess of 10 cubic yards (which is roughly one truck bed and small trailer) will be subject to additional fees. Find more information about the landfill disposal process at <a href="www.flower-mound.com/landfill">www.flower-mound.com/landfill</a>. You can also take tree trimmings or brush to green material recycler Living Earth (3901 Haynes Rd., Flower Mound). You are allowed to bring five cubic yards per trip for free. Learn more about that process at <a href="www.flower-mound.com/livingearth">www.flower-mound.com/livingearth</a>.

Of course, you also still have the option of using the regular weekly bulk service, if you'd like to dispose of your debris sooner. If you use this option, branches must be cut into sections no more than 4 feet long and tied into bundles weighing less than 50 pounds each. This bundled debris can be placed next to your trash and recycling carts on your regular collection day.

Please be safe while clearing your property!