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PRESS RELEASE

DATE: NOVEMBER 12, 2019

FROM: CITY OF ST. CLAIRSVILLE

SUBJECT: UPDATE ON ST. CLAIRSVILLE'S LEAF PICKUP

RELEASE: **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

The City of St. Clairsville's Street Department has begun its **loose** and **bagged** leaf pickup service.

Any **loose** leaves must be raked within 10 feet of the curb but not placed on the sidewalks or streets. An important reminder, please do not rake -- or use a leaf blower to push -- leaves into the street drains; this practice causes maintenance problems for the storm sewer system. Loose leaf pickup will continue until further notice.

All **bagged** leaves must be in **paper lawn and leaf bags** (not plastic) since these bags can be composted easily. Many local stores sell the required paper lawn and leaf bags. All **bagged** leaves should be placed near the curb but **not** on the sidewalk or street. The City crews will continue the collection of bagged leaves through some time in December.

The City provides this service in the fall for leaf pickup ONLY. City crews are unable to accept any yard clippings, garden waste, tree and/or shrub debris of any kind at this time.

Thank you.

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