

MEMO

DATE: October 6, 2020

TO: Rockland County Towns & Villages HWY Dept. & Authorized Haulers

FROM: Ronald Ludwig, Assistant Operations Manager

RE: 2020 Leaf Composting Program

The Rockland Green is pleased to announce, effective October 19, 2020 thru December 12, 2020 leaves collected by or on behalf of your municipalities may be brought to Rockland Green's West Nyack Composting Facility located at 166 S Rte. 303 for recycling at no charge. Hours of operation are Monday's through Friday's 7:00am to 3:30pm and Saturday's 7:00am to 12:00pm.

Please note, the **Hillburn Leaf Composting Facility is CLOSED**, and all leaves generated within Rockland County are to be delivered to the West Nyack Leaf Composting Facility.

Once again, Rockland Green has installed a weight scale on the Compost Pad and ask all participating Municipalities to bring their collection vehicles in the week of **October 13, 2020 7:00am to 3:30pm thru October 16, 2020** in order to established new tare weights based upon any change in configuration of the body type utilized by your highway crews to collect leaves. Once the new tare weights have been entered into our system, your trucks will only be required to weigh in each and every time they dispose of the leaves, collected within your Municipality.

Trucks that have not updated their tare weights will be redirected to Rockland Green's main scale at the entrance of the facility.

Tickets are still required and are available at the temporary scale house, located on the Compost Pad. If you have tickets from the 2019 Leaf Composting Program please feel free to use them.

Simple Rules to Follow:

1. Municipalities are required to weigh in during this time period.
2. All Municipalities are required to complete tickets issued to them from Rockland Green prior to dropping off their leaves for Composting on the Composting Pad.
3. All Municipalities are required to dispose of all leaves at the designated areas on the Compost Pad and follow directions of Rockland Green's contractor or that of Rockland Green's Operation's personnel.

If you have any questions or concerns please feel free to call this office at (845)358-0759.

