

# **Get wise about leaf litter. Consider your options.**

1. Mulch leaves in place with your lawn mower to put valuable nutrients back into your soil.
2. Gather leaves and other "yard waste" into a compost pile, let overwinter and decompose, and then use as fertilizer next growing season.
3. Offer your leaves to a neighbor who may be able to use them for composting.
4. Residential Brush is chipped at the Millbury DPW Garage located at 137 Providence Street (Route 122A).

## **Did you know?**

The combination of rainfall with leaves on our driveways, sidewalks, streets, and parking lots can produce stormwater runoff into local rivers, streams, and lakes that is loaded with nutrients. Proper use or disposal of leaves will help to minimize contamination of stormwater runoff and protect our water resources.

**For more information, call DPW at 508-865-9143.**

