

Request for Council Action

Storm debris

According to Lorraine Anderson, Debris Collection Zones UPDATE posted Oct 12, 2022

The costs of debris collection and removal from private roadways in gated subdivisions, condominiums, and commercial property are currently not eligible for reimbursement under the FEMA in the COV. The City has submitted a special exception request to FEMA to allow for collection within gated single-family subdivisions.

Mr. Lavallee stated at our Council Meeting Oct 11, that the COV would be making two passes for public streets. The first pass would take approximately 40 days. He said he sent a letter to FEMA on Oct. 10, requesting permission to collect debris on private streets. Currently there are no plans to pick up debris on private streets.

Following Hurricane IRMA, a special exception was granted by FEMA to the City of Venice, and I would expect that it will be granted again for Hurricane IAN.

According to the Venice Gondolier, Oct 8, Sarasota County has been collecting debris from private roadways for weeks.

The county has hired private contractors as it did following Hurricane Irma to work throughout the county to gather the debris and haul it away.

For residents in gated communities or living on a private road without a homeowner's association, the county has prepared agreements allowing the contractors access to pick up debris from the hurricane.

The North Port website states,

Public Works has contracted debris management crews collecting material throughout the City. Crews will be making multipole passes through the City to ensure that all debris is collected.

Request:

The COV begin collecting debris from private roadways in the same manner as both the County and the City of North Port.

Hurricane Ian Debris Cleanup and Solid Waste Information

DEBRIS CLEANUP

Public Works has contracted debris management crews collecting material throughout the City. Crews will be making multiple passes through the City to ensure that all debris is collected. [Click here for a helpful graphic \(available in English, Spanish, and Russian\)](#) on how to separate your debris piles to ensure they're collected.

Separating Your Debris

Debris should be placed curbside, without blocking the roadway or storm drains.

NO PICKUP ZONE
Any debris placed from the sidewalk toward your property will not be picked up.

DEBRIS SEPARATION
Separate debris into the six categories shown below.

DO NOT STACK OR LEAN
Placing debris near or on trees, poles, or other structures makes removal difficult. This includes fire hydrants and meters.

UNSURE WHERE TO PLACE DEBRIS?
If you don't have a sidewalk, ditch, or utility line in front of your house, place debris at the edge of your property before the curb.

- Normal Household Trash**
Normal household trash and bagged debris of any kind will not be picked up with disaster debris. You should continue to follow your normal garbage removal schedule.
- VEGETATIVE DEBRIS**
 - Leaves (do not put in bags)
 - Logs
 - Plants
 - Tree branches
- CONSTRUCTION & DEMOLITION DEBRIS**
 - Building materials
 - Carpet
 - Drywall
 - Furniture
 - Lumber
 - Mattresses
 - Plumbing
- APPLIANCES & WHITE GOODS**
 - Air conditioners
 - Dishwashers
 - Freezers
 - Refrigerators
 - Stoves
 - Washers, dryers
 - Water heaters
- ELECTRONICS**
 - Computers
 - Radios
 - Stereos
 - Televisions
 - Other devices with a cord
- HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE**
 - Cleaning supplies
 - Batteries
 - Lawn chemicals
 - Oils
 - Oil-based paints and stains
 - Pesticides

FAQ:

Can I place small branches and leaves in yard waste bags for debris collection? No. Debris of any kind should not be placed in bags of any kind for collection. Yard waste bags will be collected by Solid Waste trucks as they return to full collection on Wednesday, Oct. 12, but should not be placed with storm debris.

Do I need to request a bulk pickup? No. Set any storm-related debris curbside and it will be collected by debris collection crews.

How long will I have to get material curbside? Collection crews will be running through the City multiple times to ensure that all debris is collected, however, the sooner you are able to get your material curbside, the better.

Where should my debris be placed? Debris should be separated into different piles and placed curbside, clear of other objects like power poles, mailboxes, backflow equipment, or vehicles, and not placed under overhead obstacles like power lines.

SOLID WASTE

The Solid Waste Division has resumed full garbage and recycling collection on Wednesday, October 12, beginning with the normal Wednesday routes.

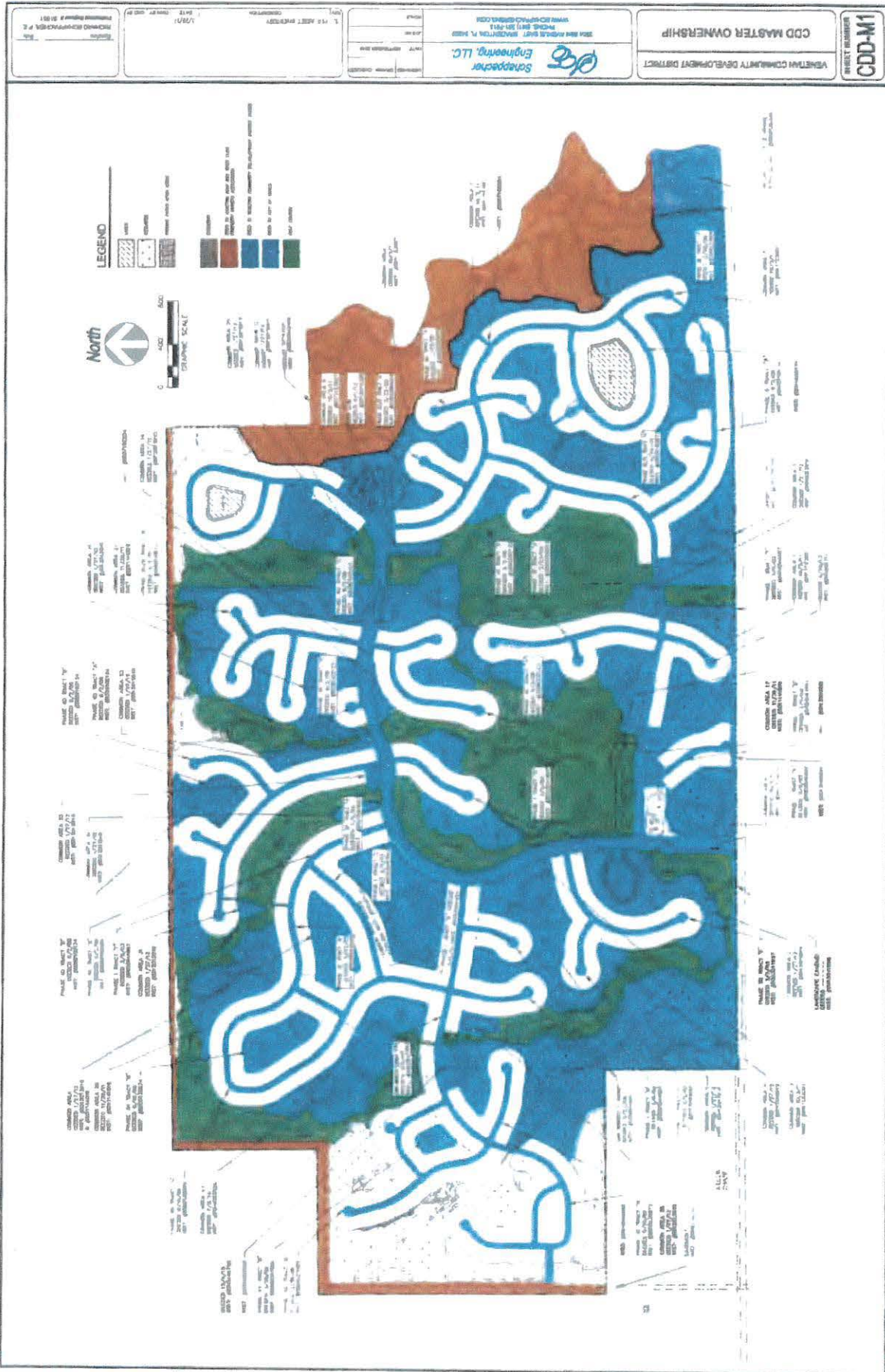
FAQ:

Which recycling should I put out? Collection for Wednesday, October 12, through Friday, October 14, will start with blue-lid containers for those routes. On Monday, October 17, recycling will transition to tan-lid containers for all routes. After that, Solid Waste will be back on its normal recycling rotation.

What if I have too much garbage to fit in my container? If residents have a bag or two extra, that can be placed next to your garbage container and will be collected by drivers as they collect garbage on their routes. If residents have a large pile of extra bags, they will be left for bulk drivers to collect.

They still haven't come to collect my garbage, what should I do? Due to heavier than usual volume, some routes are taking longer than usual to complete. Drivers are working later than usual to complete routes, and in the case that they weren't able to complete the route on one day, are beginning the next day where they left off.

Exhibit A



CDD MASTER OWNERSHIP

VERMONT COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT

SHEET NUMBER

CDD-M1

Engineer, L.C.

200 NEW BRIDGE STREET, SUITE 200
MONTPELIER, VT 05602
PHONE: 802.249.1111
WWW.ENGINEERVT.COM

DATE: 1/20/11

PROJECT: 1. 1/8" ASBEST PAVEMENT

SCALE: 1/8" = 1'-0"

REVISIONS:

**INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT
BETWEEN VENETIAN COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT
AND CITY OF VENICE REGARDING DISASTER DEBRIS REMOVAL**

THIS INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT is made this 28 day of August, 2018, by and between the Venetian Community Development District, a local unit of special purpose government organized and operating under the laws of the State of Florida (the "Venetian CDD"), and the City of Venice, Florida, a municipal corporation in Sarasota County, Florida (the "City").

WHEREAS, the Venetian CDD is a community development district established pursuant to Chapter 190, Florida Statutes, to administer and maintain designated portions of the Venetian Golf and River Club in Venice, Sarasota County, Florida, including the streets and roadways located within the boundaries of the Venetian CDD as depicted on the attached Exhibit "A" (hereinafter referred to as the "Roadways"); and

WHEREAS, the Venetian CDD and its Roadways are located within the City; and

WHEREAS, the Roadways are public but the Venetian CDD is legally responsible for their repair and maintenance; and

WHEREAS, the Venetian CDD desires aid in removing natural or man-made disaster-generated debris from the Roadways; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 252.38, Florida Statutes, the City has certain emergency management powers.

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of the mutual covenants and obligations set forth herein, the Venetian CDD and the City agree as follows:

1. The Venetian CDD freely and voluntarily grants a right of entry to the Roadways to the City, its successors and assigns, including its contractors and subcontractors, the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA), the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (USACE), USDA Forest Service and the Florida Division of Emergency Management (the "Invitees") for the purpose of removing disaster-generated debris.

2. The Venetian CDD acknowledges that this Agreement does not oblige any or all of the Invitees to perform disaster-generated debris removal.

3. As a further inducement and in consideration for any debris removal performed pursuant to the right of entry hereby given, the Venetian CDD hereby agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the Invitees for any and all damages of any and all types, either to the Roadways or persons situated thereon or therein, that might arise by or be related to removal of disaster-generated vegetative debris from the Roadways and the Venetian CDD does hereby release, discharge and waive any action, either legal or equitable, that may arise by reason of, or be

related to, any action of the Invitees related to removal of disaster generated vegetative debris from the Roadways.

4. The Venetian CDD undersigned acknowledges that Federal Law (42 U.S.C. 5155, et. seq.) requires that property owners reimburse the City for the cost of removing the disaster-generated debris to the extent such costs are covered in the property owner's insurance policy. The Venetian CDD also understands that it must provide a copy of the proof/statement of loss from its insurance company to the City if any claim is made by the CDD for City removal of debris generated by damage to CDD owned property. The Venetian CDD agrees that on receipt of payment from its insurance company for disaster-generated debris removal, it shall promptly notify and send payment and proof/statement of loss to the City so that the City may reimburse FEMA. The Venetian CDD further acknowledges that all disaster/debris funding, including that for disaster-generated debris removal from private property, is subject to audit by the City and/or FEMA.

5. Either party may terminate this Agreement upon 90 (ninety) days' written notice sent by certified mail, return receipt requested, to the party intended to receive same at the following addresses:

To the Venetian CDD:

Belinda Blandon., District Manager
Rizzetta & Company
9530 Marketplace Rd Ste 206
Fl. Myers, FL 33912

Cc: Patricia A. Petruff, Esq.
Dye, Harrison, Kirkland, Petruff, Pratt & St. Paul, PLLC
1206 Manatee Avenue West
Bradenton, FL 34205

To the City of Venice:

Edward F. Lavallec, City Manager
City of Venice
401 West Venice Avenue
Venice, FL 34285

Cc: Kelly Fernandez, Esq.
Persson & Cohen, PA
6853 Enrgy Court
Lakewood Ranch, FL 34240

6. The parties acknowledge, one to the other, that the terms hereof constitute the entire understanding and agreement of the parties with respect hereof. No modification hereof

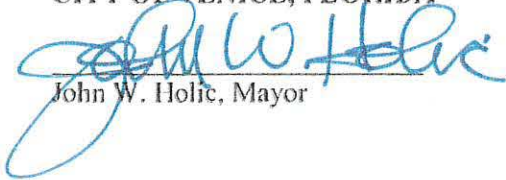
shall be effective unless in writing and executed with the same formalities as this Interlocal Agreement is executed.

7. This Agreement shall take effect upon full execution.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused their respective representatives to execute this Interlocal Agreement on the day and year first written above.

Signature pages follow

CITY OF VENICE, FLORIDA


John W. Holic, Mayor

ATTEST


Lori Stelzer, MMC, City Clerk


Approved By City Council

Date: 8/28/2018

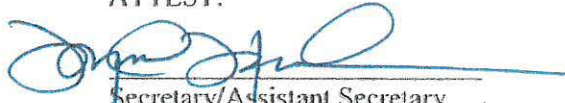
Approved as to form and correctness:

By: 
Kelly Fernandez, City Attorney

VENETIAN COMMUNITY
DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT

By: 
Chair, Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:


Secretary/Assistant Secretary

Venice Gondolier

Saturday, October 8, 2022

Sarasota County begins lan cleanup

Debris should be separated and placed at the curb

By BARB RICHARDSON

SUN CORRESPONDENT

SARASOTA ? With an estimated 1.5 million cubic yards of debris following Hurricane Ian, Sarasota County began the massive clean-up effort Thursday.

County officials said that eclipsed by five times the 300,000 cubic yards of debris gathered after Hurricane Irma in 2017.

Acknowledging the immense piles of material to be gathered, County Administrator Jonathan Lewis said, "It will take a while to complete."

The county has hired private contractors as it did following Hurricane Irma to work throughout the county to gather the debris and haul it away.

For residents in gated communities or living on a private road without a homeowners

association, the county has prepared agreements allowing the contractors access to pick up debris from the hurricane.

Debris placed at the curb for pickup must be separated from regular trash and yard waste and away from mailboxes, trees, fire hydrants, utility lines or anything that would impede the machine from gathering the materials.

Smaller debris such as branches, leaves, and moss should be gathered in bags, containers, or bundled and placed at the curb for pickup during your regularly scheduled collection day.

Waste Management will continue with the schedule for trash and yard waste collection while the debris clean-up is occurring county officials said.

County officials also said the debris needs to be placed as close to the curb as possible, which may be problematic

in the sections of Englewood north of Dearborn Street, where roads tend to be narrow with drainage ditches on either side.

While fees at the county landfill will not be waived, the county is offering two free drop-off sites for residents who want to transport debris themselves from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. daily.

For South County residents, the drop-off site is at the Jackson Road Transfer Station, 250 S. Jackson Road, Venice.

Proof of residency in Sarasota County is required and residents using the drop-off site will need to unload the materials themselves.

Residents can also find an estimated timeframe for collection by visiting <https://bit.ly/stormdebrispickupmap> and entering their address into the map. Information will be updated on a

regular basis as contractors work through the collection process.

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