

# TOWN OF WILKIE- BULLETIN

## BACK LANE PICK UP

### TREES:

The Town of Wilkie Public Works Dept will pick up small amounts of trees and wood two times per year; following the long weekend in May and starting on or about October 1<sup>st</sup>.

- ▶ Do not bag or tag wood, branches or trees.
- ▶ Lumber and trees must be deposited loose at the back lane in a manner that does not impede traffic in the lane and is easily accessible for pick up.
- ▶ Material must be kept separate from compost material. ***Trees and/or wood mixed with household garbage or compost material will not be picked up. You will be responsible to sort and transport mixed material to the Transfer Station.***
- ▶ Back Lane pick up will not include appliances, tires, recyclable material, large volumes of branches or trees, sod, shingles, fences, decks, concrete, or metals.

### COMPOST PICK UP:

- ▶ Compost is defined as grass clippings, leaves and garden refuse. Scheduled pick-ups shall occur following the long weekend in May and starting on or about October 1<sup>st</sup>. Further pick-ups shall occur on a random basis as time permits.
- ▶ Material shall be deposited loosely in a manner that does not impede back lane traffic and is easily accessible. Compost material must be kept separate from trees, wood, branches and household garbage.
- ▶ **Compost material may be bagged only if using compostable plastic bags.** The bag must be clearly labeled to indicate it is compostable, material left in normal plastic bags will not be picked up. Residents are encouraged to use the compostable bags for their grass clippings and leaves.

**Compost material mixed with wood, trees, branches or other refuse will not be picked up. You will then be responsible to sort and transport your compost material and trees/wood to the transfer station.**