

Spring Creek Forest PUD
Bagged Storm Debris Removal Notice
September 27, 2008

Beginning Monday September 29, 2008 the water district will be picking up bagged storm debris. **Only bagged debris will be picked up.** Please place your bags near the curb but not in the street.

To facilitate the removal of the bagged debris, please move all parked vehicles off of the street. Dumpsters will be placed in the street at various locations in the neighborhood so moving parked cars off the street keeps traffic flowing safely and allows the contractor room to operate.

This pick-up does **not** include household waste. Please save your household waste for the regular trash pick-up.

Harris County will be picking up the larger debris (brush, limbs, and logs) that is stacked in your yard near the curb. The County may not pick up bagged material, which is why the SCFPUD is taking action to remove the bagged debris now. We do not know when the County plans to remove the larger debris, but we have been told that it could take as long as 3 months.

SCFPUD held a special meeting to review the post-hurricane status of all district facilities and operations. SCFPUD took several bids from waste management companies, and the total cost to remove all the storm debris, including the bagged waste and the larger vegetative storm debris, would be about \$160,000. This money would likely **not** be reimbursed by FEMA, the County or any other entity. The District does not have the resources to remove all the large debris and the Board decided that it would not be a good use of the District's taxpayer dollars since storm debris removal is already the County's responsibility.

PLEASE REMOVE ALL DEBRIS OUT OF THE STREET. Debris placed on the street causes drainage problems and presents traffic safety issues.