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Arapahoe County offers tree disposal this weekend

Littleton, Colo. - Arapahoe County, in cooperation with the Arapahoe Parks and Recreation District, is offering disposal sites for residents to drop off tree limbs broken during this week's snowstorm. Sites will be open 8 a.m. to 2 p.m., Oct. 15 and 16. During this time, citizens may bring broken tree limbs to the following locations:

- In the parking lot at **Lookout Park Pool**, 5455 South Riviera Way (Southeast corner of Picadilly and South Riviera).
- In the parking lot of the future **Piney Creek Hollow Park** on South Tower Road (1/4 mile south of Orchard Road on Tower).

Arapahoe County Road and Bridge crews are removing broken tree limbs that have fallen within the right-of-way. Crews will be working along streets in the priority of major arterials, collectors and finally local streets. Requests for tree limb removal within public right-of-way only should be directed to the County Public Works and Development department at 720-874-ROAD.

Where an entity such as Management Association or Metro District is responsible for landscape maintenance within street right-of-ways those entities will be responsible for downed tree limb disposal. Damaged limbs on private property should not be placed in the street right-of-way.

Citizens are encouraged to dispose of downed tree limbs on private property by one of the following methods:

- Work with private trash collection providers. Most Waste Management companies will accept limbs cut and bundled in 4-foot lengths. Contact your trash company to get specific requirements.
- Haul limbs to one of the drop-off locations provided by the County listed above (this weekend only).
- Contact a Tree Service Company from the local yellow pages.

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