

# Removal of Fallen Trees and Branches Following Storm Events

## Trees in Public Spaces

Council manages a number of locations such as parks, reserves and nature strips, all of which may contain a number of trees. Please notify Council of any fallen branches in public spaces which require collection. Contact Council's City Works Division on 4645 4699.

## Storm Debris Clean Up

A storm event can result in a large amount of debris falling from trees. Council is only able to assist residents with storm debris clean up when a storm has been officially declared by the NSW State Government. At all other times, it is the responsibility of the resident to dispose of tree debris caused by inclement weather.

In the event of a storm being officially registered at a State level, Council can provide services to assist with the clean up of debris. Council requires notice of the required debris clean up within three (3) weeks of the registered storm event occurring. For enquiries, please contact Council's City Works Division on 4645 4699.

If a storm has not been officially declared, tree debris can be disposed of in the garden organics bin provided by Council. Garden waste that is too large for the garden organics bin may be disposed of in a kerbside clean up service. Garden organics must be tied and bundled into 1-metre lengths. Large whole branches or trunks (eg palm tree trunks) thicker than 15 cm in diameter will not be accepted. There is a 1 cubic metre limit on the amount of material that will be collected and clean ups must be arranged in advance before placing material on the kerb. For enquires, please contact Council's Waste and Recycling Services Section on 4645 4645.

Garden organics not suitable for placement in the garden organics bin or collection through Council's clean up service can be disposed of at one of the local waste management centres. Please note that a fee may be charged for this service.





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