Debris removal guidelines

In efforts to expedite the debris removal process, please follow these rules:

1. **Debris should be placed curbside.**
2. **Debris should not block roadway.**
3. **Placing debris near or on trees, poles or other structures makes removal difficult.** This includes fire hydrants and meters.
4. **Debris separation:** Please separate debris into the six categories, shown below:
   - **Electronics:** Television, computer, stereo, phone, DVD player
   - **Large Appliances:** Refrigerator, washer/dryer, air conditioner, stove, water heater, dishwasher
   - **Hazardous waste:** Oil, battery, pesticide, paint, cleaning supplies, compressed gas
   - **Vegetative debris:** Tree branches, leaves, logs, plants
   - **Construction debris:** Building materials, drywall, lumber, carpet, furniture, plumbing
   - **Household garbage:** Bagged garbage, discarded food, paper, packaging

*Note: Similar to regular refuse collection, electronics and certain household hazardous waste will be collected with household garbage. To find a list of acceptable items and proper disposal/preparation methods, please see the City’s Refuse Division Website at opala.org.*