



MULCH RESOURCES

Tree pruning/removal companies

Some tree pruning companies will deliver large quantities (up to 7 or 8 cubic yards) of free woodchip mulch (it saves them the expense of disposal). Be mindful that scheduling a delivery time can take some persistence and be a bit unpredictable. You'll need a place to accept and temporarily store the large mulch pile! Trucks are 10-12 feet wide and will need to fit through your gate. Remember to consider the alternative side of the street parking regulations when making a delivery appointment. You can ask any local tree service company, but three such companies are:



Urban Arborists (718) 522-0612
Beth at ext. 202

Paul Bunyan Tree Care (917) 251-6269
Ask for a chips only, no logs delivery

Evergreen Tree Service (718) 238-8733

We urge you to please call only one company to arrange a delivery – don't leave multiple messages for different companies.



For smaller quantities of free woodchip mulch

You can shovel as many bags as you can cart away from Green-Wood Cemetery. Go to the entrance at 500 25th Street (at 5th Ave) and ask the guard to direct you to the mulch pile. The entrance is open every day from 8am-5pm. Call (718) 210-3080 if you have questions.

Large amounts

Brooklyn Forestry at Prospect Park sometimes has wood chips that they will deliver. The minimum order is 10 cubic yards and your location must have an entrance for the truck to back into at least 10 feet wide. Call Guy Battista, park supervisor at (718) 965-7749.

NYC Wasteless

Request small quantities of mulch or compost for street tree beds or large quantities for big projects from the NYC Department of Sanitation/Bureau of Waste Prevention, Reuse and Recycling.

www.nyc.gov/html/nycwasteless

GreenThumb

Registered GreenThumb community gardens are eligible to attend yearly workshops and sign up to request a delivery of compost, soil, cleanfill and/or mulch. See www.greenthumbnyc.org for details.

BROOKLYN BOTANIC GARDEN, 1000 Washington Ave, Brooklyn, New York 11225-1099

Have questions on specifics? Give GreenBridge a call! 718-623-7250