

City Develops New “Predictable” Brush Pickup Routes

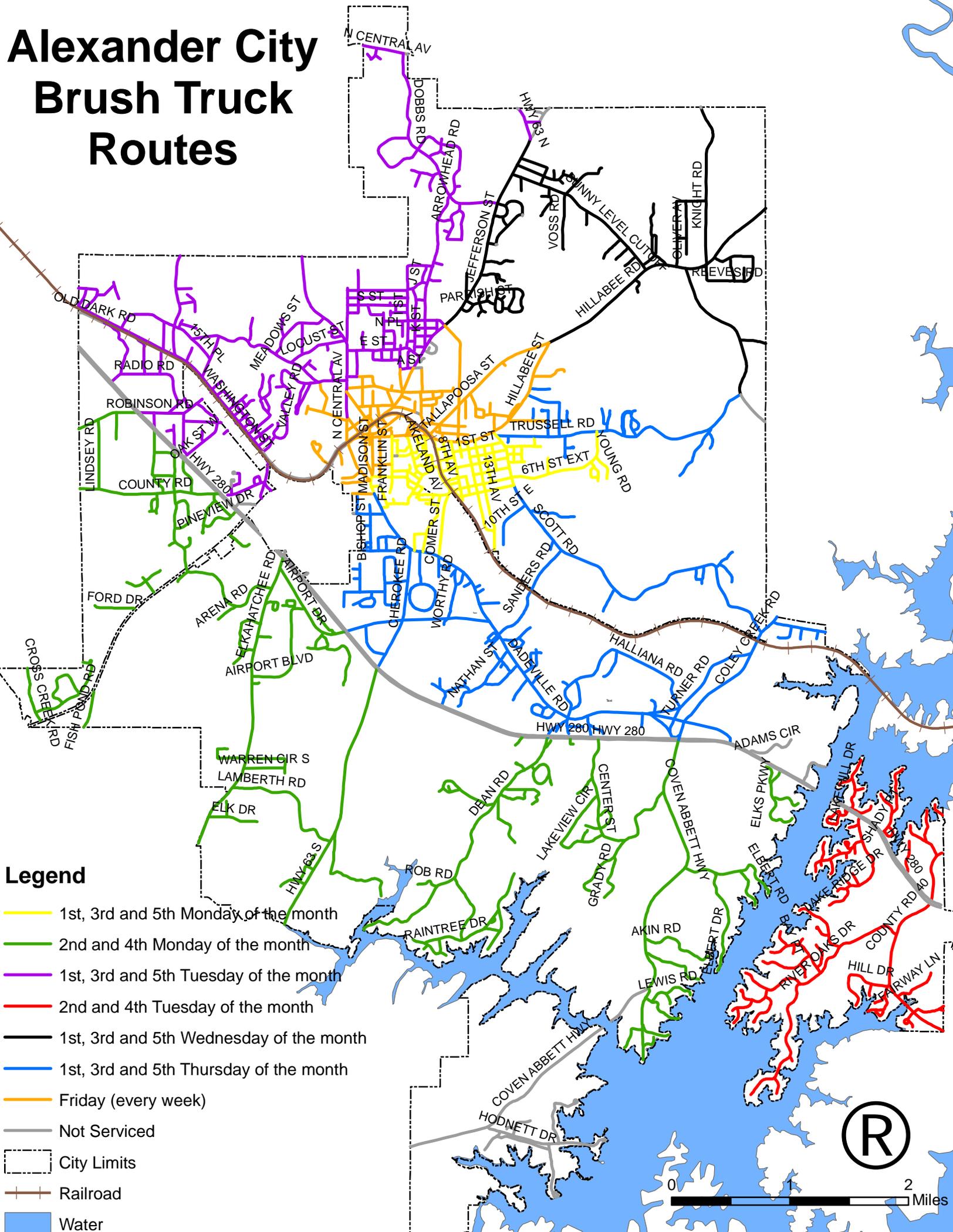
In an effort to make city services more efficient, cost-effective, convenient and predictable for its citizens, the City of Alexander City Public Works Department is changing its procedures for curbside brush pickup. Beginning June 1, 2008, the brush trucks will pick up curbside brush and debris according to the predictable scheduled routes shown on the map.

Terry Bishop, Superintendent of the Environmental Services Department, and his employees have been working on the new route for the last couple of months on a trial-and-error basis. During this time, they have tweaked the routes to a point that they now feel confident that they have established a scheduled route that they can meet. This route has been established in an effort to be as aggressive as possible at picking up the brush, while allowing for regular down-time due to breakdowns, equipment maintenance, inclement weather, employee absences, holidays, priority changes, etc.

This new predictable scheduled route allows the city to provide a more professional-level brush service. The citizens, after determining their pickup dates, can schedule their own brush-producing activities to coincide with pickup; thereby preventing damage to their lawns that might have been caused previously by brush awaiting pickup. If your brush is not picked up on the exact date shown on the attached map because of any of the previously mentioned down-time reasons, it should be no longer than a couple of days before the routes are caught up and your brush is picked up. However, if it takes longer than a couple or three days, it would be a good idea to call Terry Bishop at the number below. Otherwise, with this new route it is not necessary to call in your brush.

Please look at the attached routes and scheduled pickup dates. If you have any questions about your pickup date, or any other questions or comments regarding the brush pickup, please contact Terry Bishop or Gerard Brewer at the Alexander City Public Works Department at 256 409-2020.

Alexander City Brush Truck Routes



Legend

- 1st, 3rd and 5th Monday of the month
- 2nd and 4th Monday of the month
- 1st, 3rd and 5th Tuesday of the month
- 2nd and 4th Tuesday of the month
- 1st, 3rd and 5th Wednesday of the month
- 1st, 3rd and 5th Thursday of the month
- Friday (every week)
- Not Serviced
- City Limits
- Railroad
- Water

