

## **YARD WASTE COLLECTION AVAILABLE TO CITY OF DELAFIELD RESIDENTS**

City of Delafield residents can take advantage of yard waste collection services provided by Veolia Environmental Services (Veolia). Veolia is the same company that provides refuse and recycling collection services in the City. However the yard waste collection will not coincide with the regular refuse and recycling collection.

The yard waste collection services is provided as a sticker program. Residents wishing to utilize the service must purchase stickers from Veolia and place one sticker on every bag of yard waste to be collected. The cost of the stickers is \$1.90 each and residents choosing to purchase the stickers must purchase a minimum of 30 stickers at a time. Veolia will maintain a map of the addresses of residents that have purchased stickers and will only collect yard waste from the driveways at those addresses. Veolia will check the driveways of every resident that has purchased stickers once per month for the months of April through December. No collection will be scheduled for the months of January through March.

Stickers can be purchased at Veolia's offices located at 559 Progress Drive, Hartland, WI 53029. Sticker purchases can also be arranged over the telephone using a credit card. Telephone orders will be mailed via certified mail with the mailing cost to be added to the cost of the stickers. The certified mailing cost would be approximately \$5. The number to call to contact Veolia for purchasing stickers or with questions about the yard waste service is (262) 367-6040.

All yard waste to be picked up must be contained in biodegradable Kraft paper lawn & leaf bags (large brown paper bags) that are available at most home improvement, hardware and grocery stores. The bags typically cost approximately \$8 for a pack of 25 bags. Each bag must have a sticker affixed to it and must be out at the driveway by 7:00 am on the day of the collection to ensure pick-up. There is a 50-pound per bag weight limit. Bags may contain grass clippings, leaves, weeds, other vegetation and small branches or twigs. No dirt or sod should be included in the bags.

