

Press Release for Immediate Distribution

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AUBURN CHRISTMAS TREE DISPOSAL

AUBURN, ME. – Auburn Public Services Director, Dan Goyette announces several options for the disposal of Christmas trees. Christmas trees can be dropped off by Auburn residents at the three following locations:

- Public Works Garage 296 Gracelawn Rd. (behind the community sand shed)
- Mid Maine Waste Action Corporation (MMWAC) Goldthwaite Rd. (Mon-Fri, 7:00 AM to 4:00 PM & Sat. 7:00 AM to 12:00 PM)
- Engine 2 Fire Station 181 South Main St. (by the community sandbox)

Pick-up Option:

• The Auburn-based Boy Scout Troop 121 will again be picking up Christmas trees in the city of Auburn.

Local Boy Scout Troop 121 will pick-up Christmas trees on the weekend of January 9 and 10 for a minimum donation of \$5. Trees should not be placed curbside until the morning of January 9.

Money raised by this program goes directly to the troop's scouting activities. Troop 121 was created to help give youth with special physical, mental and emotional challenges the opportunity for success in a safe scouting environment that builds character, encourages citizenship, teaches life skills and develops personal fitness.

To make a pick-up request, Auburn citizens should send their \$5 minimum donation by January 7, 2016 to:

Troop 121 United Methodist Church 439 Park Ave. Auburn, ME 04210

The Troop, in turn, will send participants a tag to attach to their tree prior to placing it curbside. For more information about this program or Troop 121, please call (207) 783-0790.

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