



ROADS & DRAINAGE DIVISION
**MAINTAINING COUNTY
RIGHTS-OF-WAY**

MOWING, TRIMMING, DEBRIS CLEAN UP

“ **MISSION STATEMENT**

The Public Works Department designs, constructs, operates and maintains the County's roadways, drainage systems, traffic control devices and pedestrian walkways through professional, innovative and sustainable services consistent with the vision and goals of Orange County.

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ORANGE COUNTY
PUBLIC WORKS
DEPARTMENT





TRASH & DEBRIS REMOVAL

When trash or debris is reported to Public Works or is found on an Orange County Right-of-Way, it is inspected by a County representative. It is then determined what procedure needs to be followed:

The Roads & Drainage Division schedules road crews to pick-up trash and debris both on a scheduled basis, and on an as-needed basis, weather permitting.

If trash or debris accumulates in front of private property and is placed on County Right-of-Way, the property owner will be sent a letter requesting the trash or debris be removed from County Right-of-Way within a designated time.

If the property owner does not remove the trash or debris from the Right-of-Way within the designated time, a second letter is sent and future action is taken. ●

Orange County Public Works Department

Mowing, trimming, and clearing debris from County Rights-of-Way

TREE & VEGETATION TRIMMING

▶ The Roads & Drainage Division trims trees and other vegetation so as not to interfere with the safe passage of pedestrians or vehicles in public right-of-ways. Trees are trimmed to a height of 14-feet over roadways and 10-feet over sidewalks.

▶ We also trim them so they do not hang over the sides of roads, sidewalks, or block traffic lights. Vegetation is also trimmed so as not to impair the clear sight distance of a driver approaching the roadway from side streets and driveways. To provide a clear sight distance, we trim vegetation obstructing the driver's view between three-feet and six-feet in height.

▶ Any tree trimming required in an utility easement (because of interference with either the power or phone lines) needs to be referred to the appropriate utility company.

▶ Any tree trimming required around streetlights should be referred to the appropriate power company serving the area in question.

▶ Crews may provide notice using door hangers if extensive trimming will be done in your area or on right-of-way property adjacent to private property. This notice may be provided in case citizens wish to trim the vegetation on their own.

MOWING COUNTY RIGHTS-OF-WAY

▶ The Orange County Roads & Drainage Division routinely mows right-of-ways and secondary drainage ditches on a four-to-six-week mowing cycle when the weather permits. Sidewalks and curbs are edged during every mowing cycle. ●



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