

# GAS-POWERED LEAF BLOWERS **PROHIBITED** IN RESIDENTIAL NEIGHBORHOODS

The City is reminding the public to go with an **electric or battery-powered blower, or grab a rake or broom**, for landscaping and garden clean ups in our residential areas. Gas-powered leaf blowers pollute our air and make a lot of noise that disturb our neighborhoods. If you see — or hear — somebody using a gas-powered leaf blower in a residential area, please help:



Share this information with neighbors who may not be aware.



Submit or report a call using the Palo Alto 311 app with the day of the week and time of violation.



Make an electric leaf blower available for your landscaper or extra battery for their use.

## USING A GAS POWERED LEAF BLOWER MAY BE SUBJECT TO FINES

**LANDSCAPERS:**  
Convert to electric leaf blower.

**PROPERTY OWNERS:** Make an electric leaf blower available for your landscaper or provide an extra battery for their use.

**NEIGHBORS:** Download the flyer online to help inform your neighbors of the City's requirements.



Contact Code Enforcement: (650) 329-2605  
Enforcement including fines are now in effect.  
[cityofpaloalto.org/LeafBlowers](http://cityofpaloalto.org/LeafBlowers)

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