# **Separating Your Debris**

Debris should be placed curbside, without blocking the roadway or storm drains. Debris collectors will make at least three passes in your area.

# **DEBRIS SEPARATION**

### Separate debris into the six categories shown below.

# **DO NOT STACK OR LEAN**

Placing debris near or on trees, poles, or other structures makes removal difficult. This includes fire hydrants and meters.

## **UNSURE WHERE TO PLACE DEBRIS?**

If you don't have a sidewalk, ditch, or utility line in front of your house, place debris at the edge of your property before the curb. Use clear trash bags for loose debris.

**ELECTRONICS** 

Computers

Televisions

Other devices with a

Radios

· Stereos

cord

NO PICKUP ZONE Any debris placed from the sidewalk toward your property will not be picked up.

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

Normal Household

Normal household

debris of any kind will

not be picked up with disaster debris. You

should continue to

follow your normal garbage removal

schedule.

trash and bagged

Trash

## **VEGETATIVE DEBRIS**

Leaves (do not put in

- bags) · Logs
- · Plants
  - Tree branches

#### **CONSTRUCTION & DEMOLITION DEBRIS**

- **Building materials**
- Carpet
- · Drywall
- Furniture
- · Lumber
- Mattresses
- · Plumbing

#### **APPLIANCES &** WHITE GOODS

- · Air conditioners
- Dishwashers
- · Freezers
- Refrigerators Stoves
- Washers, dryers
- · Water heaters

Assessed and

#### HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE

Household hazardous Waste (HHW), such as paint (oil-based and latex), automotive chemicals, batteries, and lawn chemicals. HHW will not be picked up with regular debris piles. Harris County will notify all residents about HHW collection dates and drop-off locations.

For more information visit www.eng.hctx.net or call the Debris Hotline at 713-274-3880