



### **NEWS RELEASE**

The City of Hastings announces their response to Sunday night's wind storm.

The tree damage is city wide with a number of large trees down in yards, parks, and in the streets. The first priority is to clear the parks and trees blocking streets.

City crews from the Parks and Street Departments will be working to pick up storm damage from the public terrace. Citizens are asked to not pile limbs in the streets or on sidewalks. Crews will be making only one pass through the community.

The City Landfill will be open its' regular hours and will allow the citizens of Hastings to bring their storm damaged limbs and trees to the landfill at no charge through Saturday, August 23<sup>rd</sup>.

Out of City residents will be charged the normal fee. The terrace pick up will take some time to complete, due to the scope of the damage and the City's loss of seasonal staff. Citizens are encouraged to transport their limbs, if at all possible.

The hours of the landfill are M-F 8am to 4:45pm and Saturday 8am to noon.