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To: Mayor

Subject: To Mayor Mark...and Trustees...A Miracle on Ardmore Road..from Resident Susan Levine

Thanks for your reply...

I attended the Chip Osborne Mulching Discussion at the Library..
but it was Not attended by enough people..nor did enough
people come to the Mulching demonstration on October 25.

Those efforts will unfortunately have no impact..
since they do not show residents the amazing results on their
own property.
That is what needs to happen.

I contend that only when Mulching becomes Required in Scarsdale..
then and only then will people require their Gardeners to
Mulch their Leaves..and then the results will speak for
themselves.

People here lead busy lives and they do not
have the time to deal with something "new"..even if
it would be of great benefit to them.
Living here for 46 years has taught me that.

If their Gardeners willingly Mulched their Leaves..they
would be amazed at the experience..as I was...
and Mulching would eventually become the norm.

But most gardeners..as I have seen and learned...are resistant.
Moving too fast ..and most of them have no time or interest in doing the right thing.

Until we Require Mulching in our Town..as beneficial from many standpoints..
I do not think it will be done or understood by Scarsdale's
majority.

But my experience today was so remarkable..
I wish I could have filmed it so that it could
be seen by others...as the miracle that it was...
and if replicated...so good for Scarsdale...

Thanks for listening.

Susan Levine