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It's the least we can do. Leaf blowers are contrary to protection of the environment. Removing leaves in the winter kills bees and important insects that need to burrow there to survive. Leaves are a buffer over winter which protect plants. We are facing global warming and should be doing everything we can to support good environmental practices. We should be protecting native habitat, plants and taking proactive steps to protect the Earth and all it's species. Leaf blowers are also incredibly polluting and the noise is deafening. I live in a neighborhood where they are widely used. As long as they are allowed people think it's okay. Let's do whatever we can to set a better standard. Thank you!