

# HOW OFTEN SHOULD YOU CLEAN YOUR GUTTERS?

3 QUESTIONS TO DETERMINE HOW OFTEN YOU NEED YOUR GUTTERS CLEANED



## I. WHERE DO YOU LIVE?

### MORE TREES = MORE CLEANING

Locations with deciduous trees are going to have seasonal leaf dumps. These areas (think Pacific Northwest and New England) absolutely need to have a scheduled service after leaves have fallen.

## 2. WHAT SURROUNDS YOUR HOME?

### MORE OVERHANG = MORE DEBRIS

Trees overhanging or touching your home are going to eventually cause some issues. Not only can rodents use the connection as a highway, you'll have a steady supply of debris littering your roof and gutters throughout the year. If those trees are blocking sunlight you can expect mold and moss too!



## 3. HOW'S YOUR CLIMATE?

### CONSISTENTLY WET = MOLD FREEZING TEMPS = POTENTIAL OF BIG DAMAGE

Year round damp climates need a bit extra attention when it comes to gutter and roof maintenance. Standing water is never a good thing and only leads to problems. The best gutters take water from location A and quickly and efficiently move it to location B.



## SO HERE'S THE DEAL:

### TO BE SAFE = 2X YEAR CLEANING SPRING/FALL

To be on the safe side and protect your largest investment, having your gutters and downspouts cleaned and inspected twice a year is a great maintenance plan to have. 95% of the problems we see would be avoided with this sort of regimen.



## STAY ACTIVE AND INVOLVED IN YOUR HOME MAINTENANCE!

### WE'VE GOT HOMEOWNERS COVERED

Being a homeowner isn't always easy and we completely understand that! That's why we created a section to help provide additional resources and information for the homeowner out there that wants to take care of his or her home but needs a little help with where to start!

