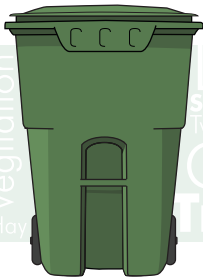


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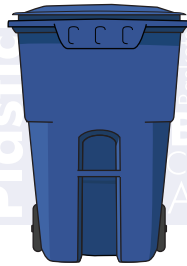
## SANITARY DISTRICT

### RESIDENTIAL RECYCLE GUIDE

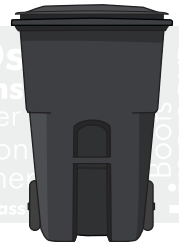
for **Yard Waste**, **Recyclables** and **Garbage**



Flowers  
Vegetation  
Hay  
Landscape vegetation  
Stumps  
Twigs and  
Flax  
Cactus  
Sawdust  
Leaves  
Christmas trees  
Bushes  
Succulents  
Shrubs  
Grass clippings  
Tree trimmings  
Branches  
Construction lumber  
Plants



Bubble wrap  
Toys  
Magazines  
Newspaper  
Cardboard  
Frozen food bags  
Envelopes  
Can lids  
Plastic  
Food jars  
Baby wipe containers  
Detergent bottles  
Paper  
Coupons  
Cereal and cracker boxes  
Nuts and bolts  
Mirrors  
Junk mail  
Keys  
Glass  
Beverage bottles  
Colored or construction paper  
Aerosol cans  
Metal



Shoes  
Burlap  
Carpet and rugs  
Straws  
Speakers  
Meat trays  
Styrofoam  
Pillows  
Cups and plates  
Aseptic containers  
Audio and video tapes  
Rayon  
Rubber bands  
Corks  
Foil  
Diapers  
CDs  
Foam egg cartons  
Carbon paper  
Latex gloves  
Vinyl  
Wool  
Cotton  
Leather  
Blue Glass  
Linen  
DVDs  
Boots  
Stuffed animals



**RECYCLABLES** Please place all recyclable materials loose in your recyclables container. All items must fit completely inside the cart with lid closed.

Extra cardboard may be placed next to your recycling container in a secured bundle no larger than 2' x 2' and not exceeding 50lbs.

**METAL** Empty and rinse food and product containers

- Aerosol cans (empty and non-hazardous)
- Aluminum foil, foil trays and pans (clean)
- Aluminum pie pans
- Beverage and soda cans
- Can lids - metal
- Car parts - small (no fluids)
- Doors and screens\*
- Electrical motors
- Food and soup cans
- Furniture\* (e.g., chairs, tables)
- Hangers - metal/wire
- Keys
- Lids and caps - metal (e.g., from glass bottles, jars)
- Nuts and bolts
- Paint cans (remove excess paint, let residue dry)
- Pet food cans
- Pipes
- Plumbing fixtures
- Pots and pans
- Propane/gas tanks\* (empty)
- Scrap metal\*
- Screws and nails
- Sporting goods - metal
- Tools - metal
- Toys - metal
- Umbrellas - metal
- Utensils - metal

**GLASS** Empty and rinse food and product containers

- Beverage bottles
- Broken glass
- Dishware - glass
- Food jars
- Windows - uncoated/unlaminated
- Wine bottles

**PAPER** Staples and tape are acceptable

- Books - hardback and softback
- Carbonless paper (e.g., receipts)
- Cardboard - unwaxed (flattened)
- Cereal and cracker boxes (remove liners)
- Coffee cups - paper
- Colored or construction paper
- Computer paper
- Coupons
- Egg cartons - cardboard
- Envelopes (plastic window OK)
- Frozen food packaging - cardboard
- Gift wrap (no metallic/foil)
- Juice boxes and cartons
- Junk mail
- Magazines and catalogs
- Mailers - cardboard (e.g., FedEx, UPS)
- Milk and cream cartons
- Newspaper - clean (including inserts)
- Office paper
- Paper bags
- Paper cups and plates - clean uncoated
- Photographs - photo paper
- Pizza delivery boxes - clean
- Shoe boxes
- Shredded paper (tie in clear plastic bag)
- Telephone books
- Tissue paper (e.g., gift wrap, dry cleaning)

**PLASTIC** Empty and rinse food and product containers

- Auto parts - plastic (no fluids)
- Baby wipe containers
- Baskets - plastic
- Beverage bottles (e.g., soda, juices, water)
- Bleach and detergent bottles
- Buckets (remove metal handles)
- Coat hangers - plastic
- Coffee-cup lids
- Coolers\*
- Crates - plastic
- Disposable razors
- Flower pots - plastic
- Food containers (e.g., cottage cheese, yogurt)
- Furniture\* - plastic (e.g., chairs, tables)
- Gloves - rubber (not single-use or latex disposable)
- Hoses (e.g., car, garden, appliance)
- Household cleaner bottles (non-toxic)
- Mouthwash
- Pet carriers\*
- Pipe - plastic (non-PVC)
- Plastics (with numbers 1-7)
- Prescription bottles (must be empty)
- Shampoo and conditioner bottles
- Shelving\* - plastic
- Squeezable bottles (e.g., honey, mayo, ketchup)
- Swimming pools\* (e.g., rigid, inflatable)
- Take-out food containers - plastic
- Toys - plastic
- Umbrellas\* - plastic (e.g., patio, beach)

**FILM PLASTICS** Bundle in clear plastic bags and knot the top

- Bread bags
- Bubble wrap
- Cellophane bags (e.g., pasta, salad, cookies)
- Dry cleaning bags
- Frozen food bags or pouches
- Newspaper bags
- Pallet wrap
- Plastic liners (e.g., from food packaging)
- Plastic wraps
- Produce bags
- Shopping bags - plastic
- Shrink wrap

**ELECTRONIC WASTE**

- Appliances - small (e.g., coffee maker, toaster)
- Calculators
- Cameras
- Cell phones
- Computer mice
- Computer tower\* (detach from computer monitor)
- Cords - tied up (e.g., telephone, computer, appliance)
- DVRs, VCRs, DVD players\*
- Fax machines\*
- Inkjet and toner cartridges
- Keyboards
- Microwaves\*
- Pagers
- PDAs
- Printers\*
- Radios
- Scanners\*
- Stereos\*
- Telephones

\*These items are bulky items, call Customer Service at 408.283.4800 to schedule an appointment.

**GARBAGE** Please place all NON-reusable NON-recyclable, NON-compostable and NON-hazardous items in your garbage cart.

All items must fit inside the garbage container with the lid closed. Extra items may be set out in a 32-gallon cart or 32-gallon bag, for a fee.

**GLASS**

- Blue Glass
- Ceramics
- Cookware - glass (e.g., baking pans, Pyrex TM)
- Dishware - ceramic
- Eye glasses
- Glass art
- Incandescent light bulbs
- Mirrors

**PAPER**

- Aseptic containers (e.g., juice, soup)
- Blueprint paper (recycle the cover sheet)
- Carbon paper
- Cardboard - waxed or soiled
- Envelopes (e.g., padded, Tyvek)
- Ice cream cartons
- Newspaper - dirty (paint, pet waste or food/grease)
- Paper cups and plates - coated
- Paper napkins
- Paper towels
- Photographs - Polaroid
- Pizza delivery boxes - soiled (food, grease)
- Take-out food containers (e.g., fast food)
- Thermal fax paper
- Tissues (e.g., Kleenex)
- Waxed paper

**PLASTIC**

- Chip bags
- Credit cards
- Foil wrapped beverage pouches
- Gloves - latex (single-use and disposable)
- Pipe - PVC
- Rubber bands
- Shoes
- Straws
- Take-out food containers - polystyrene foam
- Tarps\*
- Toothpaste and ointment tubes
- Utensils - plastic (e.g., spoons, forks, knives)
- Webbing/mesh (e.g., from lawn furniture)

**POLYSTYRENE/STYROFOAM**

- Cups and plates
- Egg cartons - molded foam
- Foam packing (e.g., from electronics)
- Meat trays - molded foam
- Packing "peanuts"
- Take-out food containers - polystyrene foam

**FABRICS and TEXTILES**

- Boots
- Burlap\*
- Carpet and rugs\*
- Cotton
- Diapers - cloth or disposable
- Clothing accessories (e.g., belts, purses)
- Down - filled items
- Electric blankets
- Fabrics - clean or soiled with chemicals, oil, or paint
- Leather goods
- Linen
- Pillows
- Polyester
- Rayon
- Rubber
- Shoes
- Stuffed animals
- Vinyl
- Wool

**ELECTRONIC WASTE**

- Audio and video tapes
- CDs and DVDs (e.g., computer, music)
- Speakers

**FOOD SCRAPS**

- Bones
- Bread
- Coffee grounds
- Compostable plastic bags
- Compostable plastics
- Corks
- Dairy products (e.g., cheese)
- Dough
- Eggs
- Filters (e.g., coffee, tea)
- Fish
- Fruits
- Grains (e.g., rice)
- Meat
- Pasta
- Poultry (e.g., chicken, turkey)
- Shellfish
- Tea bags
- Vegetables

**YARD WASTE**

- Ashes (hot ashes prohibited)
- Bamboo
- Construction lumber\*\* (painted, treated)
- Crates - wood\*\*
- Dirt\*\*
- Food scraps
- Lumber\*\* (painted, treated)
- Manure
- Pampas grass
- Pet waste
- Poison oak
- Rocks\*\*
- Soil\*\*
- Tan bark\*\*
- Wood chips\*\*
- Wood waste\*\*

**YARD WASTE** Please place all yard waste together in your green yard waste container. Items may not exceed 3 feet in length or 6 inches in diameter and must fit inside with the lid closed.

- Branches - cut to fit loosely in container
- Cactus
- Christmas trees (stand/decorations removed)
- Flax
- Flowers
- Grass clippings
- Hay
- Ivy
- Ice plant
- Landscape vegetation
- Leaves
- Plant trimmings
- Sawdust
- Shrubs
- Small prunings
- Sod (remove as much soil as possible)
- Stumps - see size limitations above
- Succulents
- Tree trimmings - see size limitations above
- Yucca

**HAZARDOUS WASTE** These items **cannot** go into the garbage, recycling or yard waste cart for collection.

- Auto and brake fluids
- Car batteries
- Cleaning fluids
- Computers\*
- Electronic waste\*\* (except as listed in recyclables)
- Fire extinguishers
- Fluorescent light bulbs (e.g., CFLs, tubes)
- Fuel tanks - with valve on (e.g., helium, propane, gas tanks)
- Grease and cooking oil
- Household Batteries\*\* (e.g., AA, AAA, D, nickel cadmium, lithium)
- Medicines (unused, expired)
- Mercury thermometers and thermostats
- Monitors\*
- Motor oil\*\*
- Oil filters\*\*
- Paints and stains (e.g., oil based and latex)
- Pesticides and fertilizers
- Pool and spa chemicals
- Solvents
- Syringes and sharps
- Televisions\*
- Transmission fluid

For more information, please call the Santa Clara County Household Hazardous Waste Program at **408.299.7300** or visit **www.hhw.org**.

\*These items can be collected curbside as bulky items, please call Customer Service at 408.283.4800 to schedule a pick-up appointment.

\*\*See information in Extra Services for disposal options through GreenWaste.

## IMPORTANT CONTACT INFO

GreenWaste Recovery Customer Care	408.283.4800
County Household Hazardous Waste Program	408.299.7300
County Integrated Waste Management Division	408.282.3180
Home Composting Education Program	408.918.4640
Santa Clara County Communications	408.299.2507

## EXTRA SERVICES

**Bulky Item Collection** Furniture, refrigerators or other large items may be picked up at your curb for a small fee per item. To schedule a pick-up appointment, call Customer Service.

**Christmas Tree Pick-up** GreenWaste will pick up your undecorated Christmas tree on your collection day from December 26 through January 31. Remove the stand, cut the tree to 4-foot lengths and place the sections next to your yard waste cart by 6:00 am on your service day.

**Debris Boxes** Debris box services are offered for property cleanups, remodeling, yard and garage cleanups, removal of appliances and furniture and construction and demolition debris. Call the Debris Box Department at 408.283.4819 to schedule a delivery of a debris box that will meet your needs for capacity, type and material and collection frequency.

**E-Waste** GreenWaste accepts TV's, computers and computer monitors as Bulky Items. To schedule a pick-up appointment, call Customer Service.

**Extra Garbage** Call Customer Service to arrange for pick up of extra garbage. Extra garbage must be placed in a 32-gallon can or 32-gallon bag. Please call Customer Service prior to your collection day to schedule an extra garbage collection.

**Holiday Schedule** GreenWaste is closed and not operating on Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day and New Year's Day. If your regular collection day falls on or after one of these holidays, your collection of Garbage, Recyclables and Yard Waste will be delayed by one day. All other holidays have no service delays.

**Household Batteries** To recycle small batteries, simply seal the batteries in a clear Ziploc bag and place the items on top (not inside) of your recycling cart.

**Used Motor Oil and Motor Oil Filters** To recycle used motor oil and filters at curbside, you must use a FREE GreenWaste issued oil jug because it is designed to prevent leaks. Seal drained oil filters in a sturdy clear plastic bag. Please place filled oil jugs and filter bags on the curb near your containers for collection. Oil mixed with other automotive fluid will not be collected. To order a FREE oil jug, call Customer Service.

## CART SET-OUT

### Cart Set-Out and Weight Restrictions

Set carts out by 7am on your service day. Carts cannot exceed the weight limit listed below.

#### GreenWaste Container

- 95-gallon, max. capacity 332.5 lbs.
- 65-gallon, max. capacity 227.5 lbs.
- 35-gallon, max. capacity 122 lbs.
- 20-gallon, max. capacity 75 lbs.

