

# WASTELINE

A Publication for GreenWaste Recovery Multi-family Customers

Spring 2023

## Do You Know the Three Rs?

**Reduce, Reuse, and Recycle.** Keep these three in mind next time you are buying or disposing of things and make a positive impact on our waste stream and therefore, the environment.



### REDUCE:

Avoid buying single-use products, especially those made of problematic materials like plastic. Buying less also signal to producers to make less—stopping waste before it happens.



### REUSE:

Mending or repairing your clothes and repurposing empty glass containers are easy ways you can give things new life.



### RECYCLE:

When you put your empty, clean and dry recyclables into your blue bin, these items are sorted and marketed to be turned into new products.



Recycling organic materials (yard trimmings and food scraps) significantly reduces greenhouse emissions. When organics are added to the landfill, they release methane, a super-pollutant. By separating out your organic material, you are reducing greenhouse gas emissions and replenishing California's soils by creating compost.

## Regular Collection Services on Memorial Day

GreenWaste will provide regular collection service on Memorial Day, Monday, May 29, 2023.

Please remember to set out your containers on your regular collection day by 6 AM.



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### PAY ONLINE

To access our online payment portal you can go to:  
[www.greenwaste.com](http://www.greenwaste.com) or  
<https://portal.greenwaste.com>  
to enter the site directly.



### MAIL IT

Remit your payment to  
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PO Box 11089  
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Please include your payment stub and make sure to write your Customer ID on the check to ensure expedited processing.



### CALL US

Payments can be made over the phone  
Monday through Friday  
8AM-5PM.  
831.920.6707 | phone  
877.203.8970 | toll free



### DELIVER IT

Due to COVID-19 safety protocols, payment drop off at our office is temporarily unavailable.

# Zero Waste Tips



Carry your own bottle and cup



Bring your own bags



Reuse glass jars



Use reusable straws and utensils



Use a bamboo toothbrush



Use stainless steel razors



Plan meals to use up ingredients



Freeze it



Store and eat your leftovers



Grow your own food



Opt for natural cleaning (baking soda, lemon, vinegar)



Start composting



## Donation and Extra Services

Starting your spring cleaning? Consider donating items in good condition to local thrift shops. Many of these thrift locations help people get into transitional housing and need essential items such as clothing, blankets, shoes, furniture, and appliances.

- **St Vincent de Paul** 1269 Fremont Blvd, Seaside. Tuesday-Saturday 11AM - 4PM
- **Last Chance Mercantile** 14201 Del Monte Blvd, Salinas. Tuesday-Saturday 9AM-4PM
- **MPVS Thrift Shop** 665 Broadway Ave, Seaside. Monday-Saturday 9AM - 3PM
- **Goodwill** 266 Reservation Rd, Marina. Monday-Sunday 9AM - 7PM
- **Second Chance Thrift Store** 105 Central Ave, Pacific Grove. Monday-Saturday; call for hours 831-717-4479

**GreenWaste** also provides bulky item curbside collection events. Call **831-920-6707** to set up. We take used textiles, furniture, appliances and more.

**We want to hear from you!**

*Take our survey:*

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## Green Kids

HELP THE ECO-KID FIND THE RIGHT PLACES FOR FOOD SCRAPS!

COLOR THE RECYCLE CART BLUE, THE ORGANIC CART GREEN, THE LANDFILL CART GRAY, AND THE COMPOST BIN BROWN.

