

WASTELINE

A Publication for GreenWaste Recovery Customers in the City of Capitola

Spring 2022

Residential Organics Recycling is HERE!



Need a food scrap pail for your kitchen?
Contact GreenWaste Recovery Customer Service to request one at **831.768.9505**.

Food and yard waste in landfills emit 20% of the state's methane, a climate super pollutant 84 times more potent than carbon dioxide. In compliance with new statewide regulation (SB1383), the City of Capitola is now required to include food scraps to current yard waste collection services. All food scraps and yard waste need to be placed in your green organics container.



What goes in the GREEN bin?

Leaves, meat bones, food scraps, eggshells, wood lumber, yard clippings, coffee grounds and paper filters.

No Metal

No Glass

No Plastic

No Hazardous Waste



Recycle Right!

Scraped and Dry

GreenWaste needs your help keeping the recycling clean. Avoid contaminating the items in your recycling container to ensure they will be successfully recycled, not landfilled. Empty and scrape contents, and allow to dry before placing items into the recycling container.



Capitola Citywide Garage Sale

SATURDAY, APRIL 23rd

Celebrate Earth Day by giving unwanted items a renewed purpose! Mark your calendars for the Capitola Citywide Garage Sale on April 23rd.

The City of Capitola is sponsoring the Garage Sale and will do all the advertising. All you need to do register online at www.cityofcapitola.org until April 21st.

The Friday before the Garage Sale, a map will be available to the public at City Hall (420 Capitola Ave.) and on the web www.cityofcapitola.org listing all the addresses of the garage sale participants. Get your map and go find that one-of-a-kind treasure.

After the Garage Sale, package up your unsold items to be picked up the week of April 25th on your regular garbage day by GreenWaste Recovery, or even better, donate the items to a charitable cause of your choice. This is a terrific opportunity to clean out your garage, and help to divert refuse from our landfills by reusing and recycling!



Capitola Spring Cleanup Week

APRIL 25th-29th

Take advantage of this curbside service provided by GreenWaste Recovery to help you with your Spring Cleaning!

Dispose of one bulky item (like furniture, appliances, etc.) and up to seven bags or cans of garbage, not to exceed 50 lbs. each. All items must be curbside by 6:00 a.m. on your regular day of service. Household hazardous waste will not be accepted. For bulky items, please call GreenWaste Recovery to schedule a pick up at **831.768.9505**.

Report Illegal Dumping

Illegal dumping affects our quality of life. Besides being unsightly, dumping also negatively impacts our natural environment and property values. Illegal dumpsites attract vermin/vectors, kill vegetation and habitat, and contribute to water pollution, flooding, erosion, and even fires.

Everyone in the City pays for the cost of cleanups. If a dumpsite is not cleaned up immediately, more people will contribute their garbage to the pile. If you see illegal dumping, please notify the City Public Works Department at 831.475.7300 or submit the information online at

www.cityofcapitola.org/cityadministration/webform/submit-service-request-city-capitola.

