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BURRTEC NEWS

WASTE AND RECYCLING NEWSLETTER

Sponsored by Burrtec Waste Industries
for the City of Rancho Cucamonga Residents

Contact Information

Burrtec Waste Industries

9820 Cherry Avenue
Fontana, CA 92335

Automated Payment Service

(866) 306-8122

Customer Service

(909) 987-3717

Hours of Operation

Monday-Friday
8:00 am to 5:00 pm

Website

Burrtec.com/rancho-cucamonga

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Household Hazardous Waste Collection



Visit www.cityofrc.us/hhw for more information on other items accepted.

Holiday Closures:

- May 28, 2022
- July 2, 2022
- September 3, 2022

This site does not accept sharps or business waste. Please refer to the Safe Sharps Disposal article on the back of this newsletter for further information.

We accept: cooking oil, motor oil, oil filters, antifreeze, old medications, cleaners, pesticides, pool chemicals, paint, batteries, fluorescent lights, electronics, and other chemicals used around your home. Please note: Transportation limit of 15 gallons or 125 pounds per trip. No Business Waste accepted. For more information visit www.CityofRC.us or call the Environmental Programs Info Line at (909) 919-2635.

Spring Cleaning Tips

1. Before dropping off donations call to check business hours and ask if they are able to accept all of the items you have. Be sure to drop off items during business hours. It is illegal to leave donations outside of a closed center, and illegally dumped items could ultimately end up in the trash.
2. Flatten cardboard boxes to create more room in your recycling bin.
3. Utilize your bulky item pick-up services with Burrtec for e-waste and large items that do not fit in your trash cart. Please contact Burrtec customer service for more details.
4. Do not bag recyclable items.
5. No wipes down the pipes! Do not flush wipes or paper towels.



Food Waste Collection is Coming!

- ✓ Bread
- ✓ Dairy
- ✓ Fish
- ✓ Food waste and scraps
- ✓ Fruit
- ✓ Meat
- ✓ Moldy or spoiled food
- ✓ Vegetables

Bag food scraps and waste food.



Place bagged food waste inside your green waste barrel.



Stay tuned for more information and program start date.



SCAN TO LEARN MORE

Are You Ready to Recycle Your Food Waste?

California passed a law, Senate Bill 1383, to improve air quality by reducing greenhouse gas emissions from organic waste disposal such as food waste and landscape waste. CalRecycle reports that landfilled organic waste decomposes and generates methane gas which is significant source of greenhouse gas emissions contributing to global climate change. Reducing methane gas through actions like organic waste recycling will reduce emissions and the impacts of climate change. To comply with this mandate, communities will be required to start a Food Waste Recycling Program for residential customers. For more information, please visit: www.calrecycle.ca.gov/climate/slep

Recycle Right!

Place these types of materials in your recycling container.

- ✓ Aerosol cans (completely empty)
- ✓ Aluminum cans
- ✓ Brochures
- ✓ Cardboard
- ✓ Cartons
- ✓ Cereal boxes (no wax paper lining)
- ✓ Coupons
- ✓ Envelopes
- ✓ Glass bottles & jars
- ✓ Junk mail
- ✓ Magazines/catalogs
- ✓ Newspaper
- ✓ Paper
- ✓ Paper tubes
- ✓ Phone books
- ✓ Plastic containers
- ✓ Plastic milk jugs
- ✓ Styrofoam products*
- ✓ Tin cans
- ✓ Wrapping paper



*Please note that not all areas recycle Styrofoam.

Bulky Item Removal

Single-family residential solid waste customers in the City of Rancho Cucamonga are eligible for up to four free bulky item pickups per calendar year. Examples of bulky items include furniture, appliances, and televisions. The service will not pick up vehicle parts, construction materials, or hazardous waste. Bulky item pick-ups must be scheduled at least 24 hours in advance of your regular service day. Do not place items at the curb until morning of your scheduled collection day. For more information or to schedule a pickup, call Burrtec Waste Industries at (909) 987-3717. Apartment, condominium, and mobile home park residents should contact their property management for disposal options.



MAKE YOUR PET'S BUSINESS, YOUR BUSINESS!

STEP 1



Attach canister to leash so you'll have your doggie bags when you need them.

STEP 2



Pick up after your pet. Dog waste is not fertilizer!

STEP 3



Throw it in a trash can. Keep harmful bacteria away from our streets and storm drains.



Every part contributes to a clean, beautiful County. Visit sbcountystormwater.org/pet for more information.

Seasonal Green Waste Pick-Up

Excess seasonal green waste can be bundled and placed beside your green waste container for pick-up up to two times per year. Tie your prunings into bundles no larger than 18 inches in diameter and 4 feet long and they'll be hauled away at no additional cost. Remember your green waste container is for grass clippings, brush, prunings, leaves, twigs, weeds and branches smaller than 6 inches in diameter. Green waste is composted or recycled and is part of reducing the waste stream. If you consistently have more green waste than can be stored in your container, call Burrtec Waste Industries at (909) 987-3717.



BROUGHT TO YOU BY



FREE COMMUNITY SHREDDING EVENT

Looking for a safe way to get rid of your personal documents?



May 7, 2022
9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.



LOANMART FIELD - QUAKES STADIUM

8408 Rochester Ave., Rancho Cucamonga, CA 91730
Enter through Jack Benny Drive

- Proof of Rancho Cucamonga residency is required.
- Limit of three file size boxes (15x12x10) per household/vehicle.
- Please do not place documents in plastic bags.
- Boxes must be placed in the trunk of the car.
- Drive-thru event - Participants must remain in vehicle at all times.

FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CONTACT ENVIRONMENTAL PROGRAMS 1-909-919-2635.

Safe Sharps Disposal

The City of Rancho Cucamonga and the Rancho Cucamonga Fire Protection District have partnered to provide a safe method to dispose of home-generated sharps from Rancho Cucamonga residents. To participate:

1. Go to any Rancho Cucamonga fire station Monday through Friday, 8:00 am to 5:00 pm, to pick up a free sharps approved container.
2. Fill your container to the marked fill limit line, lock the lid to seal.
3. Exchange your container of used sharps for an empty one by returning it to any fire station, Monday through Friday, 8:00 am to 5:00 pm. Never leave sharps or full collection containers unattended if the crew is out of the station. Sharps disposal program is for Rancho Cucamonga residents only.

Stations do not accept medications or hazardous waste.