

# November 2024

## BURRTEC NEWS

### WASTE AND RECYCLING NEWSLETTER

#### 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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#### Holiday Schedule - No service on these holidays

Christmas Day  
Independence Day  
Labor Day  
Memorial Day  
New Year's Day  
Thanksgiving Day

*When the holiday falls on a weekday, collections for the remainder of the week will be delayed by one day. There is no service interruption or delay when the holiday falls on a Saturday or Sunday.*

#### Construction and Demolition Hauling Requirements

The City has an exclusive franchise waste hauler, Burrtec Waste Industries, for construction and demolition waste. No third-party bins or haulers are allowed to operate within the City. A contractor that intends to self-haul C&D waste must meet specific criteria outlined in Rancho Cucamonga's Municipal Code Chapter 8.19, and must apply for a C&D self-haul permit and pay the applicable C&D selfhaul permit fee prior to starting the project.

For more information, contact the City's Environmental Programs Info Line at (909) 919-2635.

Sponsored by Burrtec Waste Industries for Rancho Cucamonga  
Commercial, Roll Off and Multifamily Customers

#### Senate Bill 1383 and your Business

California passed a law, Senate Bill 1383, with a goal to improve air quality by reducing negative emissions from food waste and landscape waste being delivered to landfills. This law requires businesses and multifamily complexes. These requirements went into effect January 1, 2022. For more information, please visit: [https:// www.calrecycle.ca.gov/climate/slcp](https://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/climate/slcp)



#### HOW ARE BUSINESSES AFFECTED?

Under SB 1383, businesses are required to:

- Subscribe to organic waste collection service provided by Burrtec.
- Ensure employees, contractors, tenants, and customers have access to an adequate number, size and location of containers with appropriate labels and container color.
- Provide containers for the collection of all waste streams including trash, food waste and recyclables in all areas where disposal containers are provided for customers, except for restrooms.
- Provide information to new tenants before or within 14 days of occupation of the premises.
- Prohibit employees from placing organic waste in a container not designated to receive organic waste.

#### Bulky Item Pickup

Burrtec has implemented a Bulky Item Collection Program for all businesses. Items include illegal dumping or those items too big to fit in your bin or bin enclosure. Please contact our Customer Service Department at (909) 987-3717 to schedule a pickup.

##### ACCEPTABLE ITEMS

- ✓ Desk
- ✓ Chairs
- ✓ File cabinets
- ✓ Electronic waste
- ✓ Illegally dumped items
- ✓ Other misc. bulky items

##### NON-ACCEPTABLE ITEMS

- ✗ General Trash
- ✗ Dirt
- ✗ Concrete
- ✗ Rocks
- ✗ Treated Wood



✗ Hazardous Waste

Visit <https://sbcfire.org/smallbusinesshazardouswaste/> for proper disposal.



#### Mandatory Commercial Recycling - Is Your Business in Compliance?



Effective January 1, 2022, Senate Bill 1383 mandates all businesses and multi-family residential dwellings to establish and maintain recycling service.

Recycling not only conserves our natural resources, but can save money by reducing waste disposal costs. Burrtec recycling coordinators can assist in selecting the appropriate recycling service level, along with the necessary education and outreach to residents and managerial staff. Please contact Customer Service for more information at (909) 987-3717.

## 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)
- ✓ Computer paper
- ✓ Coupons
- ✓ Envelopes
- ✓ Glass bottles & jars
- ✓ Glass cosmetic bottles
- ✓ Junk mail
- ✓ Laundry bottles
- ✓ Magazines/catalogs
- ✓ Newspaper
- ✓ Paper
- ✓ Paper tubes
- ✓ Phone books
- ✓ Plastic containers
- ✓ Plastic milk jugs
- ✓ Styrofoam products
- ✓ Tin cans
- ✓ Tissue boxes
- ✓ Wrapping paper



## Food Waste Acceptable Items

- ✓ Bones
- ✓ Bread & grains
- ✓ Coffee grounds
- ✓ Cooked meat & poultry
- ✓ Cooked seafood
- ✓ Dairy products
- ✓ Eggshells
- ✓ Food soiled paper
- ✓ Fruits
- ✓ Plate scrapings
- ✓ Tea bags
- ✓ Vegetables



## Edible Food Donation Requirements

To comply with SB 1383, commercial edible food generators are required to 1) divert organics from the landfill and 2) recover the maximum amount of their edible food that would otherwise go to landfills. See reverse side of this document for information about landfill diversion. To reduce food waste and address food insecurity, businesses are now required to arrange via contract to donate edible food to food banks, soup kitchens, and other food recovery organizations and services to help feed Californians in need. Recovery of edible food applies only to commercial food waste generators listed below. Inspections have begun and will occur annually.

### How does my location become compliant?

#### Step 1:



Secure written agreements or contacts with food recovery organizations that receive your donation.

#### Step 2:



Begin donating excess edible food.

#### Step 3:



Maintain donation records at business location to be submitted to your city.

### Are you a Tier 1 or Tier 2 generator?

Tier 1	Tier 2
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Supermarkets</li> <li>• Grocery Stores: total facility size equal to or greater than 10,000 sq. ft.</li> <li>• Food Service Providers</li> <li>• Food Distributors</li> <li>• Wholesale Food Vendors</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Restaurants 250+ seats, or a total facility size equal to or greater than 5,000 sq. ft.</li> <li>• Hotels with on-site food facility and 200+ rooms</li> <li>• Health facility with an on-site food facility and 100+ beds</li> <li>• Large venue</li> <li>• Large event</li> <li>• State agency with cafeteria with 250+ seats or total facility size equal to or greater than 5,000 sq. ft.</li> <li>• Local education agency with on-site food facility</li> </ul>
<p>Deadline to fulfill SB 1383 requirements: <b>January 1, 2022</b></p>	<p>Deadline to fulfill SB 1383 requirements: <b>January 1, 2024</b></p>

## Contamination of Recyclables Could Result in a Penalty Fee

Trash and other contaminants in the recycling or organics collection container(s) could result in a fee and non-collection due to contamination. If contamination is found, a contamination tag (as shown) will be taped on the container lid. After the first warning, customers will be charged a \$54.22 contamination fee and the container will not be serviced as recyclable; it will be subsequently serviced as trash. Please note: the contamination fee will be automatically assessed if hazardous or bio-hazardous materials are placed in any collection container. Not sure about what goes in each container? Information is on the Burrtec website <https://www.burrtec.com/city/service-location/rancho-cucamonga/> or call Burrtec Customer Service at (909) 987-3717 for assistance. As always, thank you for your continued support and cooperation!

**BURRTEC**  
"We'll Take Care Of It"

IMPORTANT!

We recently observed contamination in your container checked below:

We found the following contamination:

1. **Trash**  
Such as animal waste, plastic bags, wrappers, diapers → **GRAY/BLACK CONTAINER ONLY**
2. **Recyclables**  
Rigid plastic, glass, metal, paper and cardboard → **BLUE CONTAINER ONLY**
3. **Food Waste**  
Includes food soiled paper → **BROWN CONTAINER ONLY**
4. **Green Waste**  
Must be unbagged → **GREEN CONTAINER ONLY**
5. **Electronics or Hazardous Waste**  
Batteries, paint, electronics are not allowed in any container → **NOT ALLOWED IN ANY CONTAINER**

Future contamination may lead to the container not being serviced and/or extra fees on your account! Please call our office if you have any questions. Thank you!

1 2 3 4 5 DATE \_\_\_\_\_

□ GRAY/BLACK □ BLUE □ GREEN □ BROWN

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_