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BURRTEC NEWS

WASTE AND RECYCLING NEWSLETTER

Sponsored by Burrtec Waste Industries
for the City of Grand Terrace Residents

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State Required Contamination Monitoring of Recyclables

California state law SB 1383 requires jurisdictions to monitor trash, recycling, and organics barrels to minimize contamination. 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, contamination tags (as shown to the right) will be affixed to the container lid. After the first notice, customers may be charged a 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? Contact our Burrtec Customer Service at (909) 889-1969 for assistance. As always, thank you for your continued support and cooperation!



Collection Day Reminder

On collection day, please place your containers on the street, at the curb, or near the corner of your driveway. Handles of your containers should be facing your home. Containers should be placed one foot apart from each other and placed at least three feet away from any obstruction such as a fence, mailbox, or vehicle.

Pro Tips:

- Place barrels out by 6:00 am on your scheduled service day
- Ensure barrels are accessible and not blocked
- Avoid overfilling
- Ensure recycling and organic waste barrels are free of contamination





Extra Holiday Waste

Approximately 80% of your holiday trash is recyclable. All gift boxes, wrapping paper, greeting cards, and cardboard packaging are items that may be placed in your recycling barrel. Burrtec will collect your excess holiday trash and recyclables. Beginning the day after Christmas for approximately 1 week, place excess holiday trash/recyclables **in bags beside your containers** on your collection day.

The Holidays Are Soon Approaching!

Burrtec will collect and recycle Christmas trees from single-family residences. Please place your tree at curbside after Christmas on your collection day. Burrtec will provide this service for approximately a 2 week period after Christmas Day. Trees 6 feet and over need to be cut in half. Please take all ornaments, lights, and metal stands off of the tree. Flocked trees will not be recycled, they will be collected as trash. Flocked trees 6 feet and over also need to be cut in half.



Holiday Schedule

Please note that services are interrupted on the following holidays:

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

Bulky Item Program Enhancement!

Residents can request up to two curbside collections of large or bulky items during a 12 month period at no additional charge. Limit of **FIVE** items per collection! This program also includes electronic waste and is designed for your convenience. Please call our Customer Service Department one week prior to your scheduled collection day to arrange pick-up.

Acceptable Items Include:
- ✔ Couches
- ✔ Dressers
- ✔ Refrigerators
- ✔ Washers/Dryers
- ✔ Mattresses

Non-Acceptable Items:
- ✗ Car bodies
- ✗ Construction debris
- ✗ Commercial waste
- ✗ Rock
- ✗ Concrete



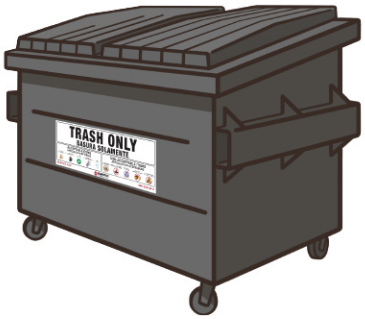
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for free kids activity sheets to download



Temporary Containers for Special Clean-Ups Available

Burrtec offers large and small containers for residential clean-ups and special projects. Containers are available for 7-day rentals and include delivery and removal. All unwanted materials can be placed directly into the container with the exception of hazardous waste, tires or large amounts of dirt, rock, concrete, or asphalt. Please call our Customer Service Department to order one today!



HOLIDAY DISPOSAL QUICK GUIDE





TRASH

Ribbon & Bows



Tape + Dispenser



Glitter/Metallic Wrapping Paper



RECYCLING

Paper Cards



Paper Bags & Gift Tissue



Plain Wrapping Paper & Tubes



ORGANICS

Undecorated Greenery



Food and Candy



HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE



NOT ALLOWED IN ANY BARREL

