



RE-PETE NEWS

WASTE AND RECYCLING NEWSLETTER

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Sponsored by Burrtec Waste Industries, Inc.
for City of Highland Residents

Contact Information

Burrtec Waste Industries

5455 Industrial Parkway
San Bernardino, CA 92407

Customer Service

(909) 889-1969

Hours of Operation

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

Website

Burrtec.com

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City of Highland

27215 Base Line
Highland, CA 92346

Public Service Division

(909) 864-8732 Ext. 271



For a copy of this information in Spanish, please contact City Hall at (909) 864-6861 Ext. 271.
Para obtener una copia de esta información en español, por favor comuníquese con el Ayuntamiento al (909) 864-6861 Ext. 271.

How to Collect Food Waste at Home

- Collect-** Begin collecting food waste separate from your trash and recycling. This includes: fruits, vegetables, meats, seafood, bread, dairy, eggshells, coffee, plate scrapings, peels, rinds, and food soiled paper such as napkins and coffee filters.
- Add & Secure-** Collect food waste & food soiled paper in its own separate plastic lined container. Store it in a convenient place, such as on your counter top, in your refrigerator or under your sink. Secure plastic bag by tying it off. Remember bags do not have to be compostable or biodegradable. They can be any color. We encourage you to re-use bags you may already have such as bread bags and produce bags.
- Discard-** Place your bagged food waste & food soiled paper into your green barrel, along with your green waste. Continue using your green waste barrel as usual. Remember, food waste no longer belongs in your trash barrel.



YOUR BARREL GUIDE - WHAT GOES WHERE?

Black Barrel is for trash



DO NOT ADD HAZARDOUS WASTE

Blue Barrel is for recyclables



DO NOT BAG RECYCLABLES

Green Barrel is for green waste & food waste



BAG FOOD WASTE - DO NOT BAG GREEN WASTE

BLACK BARREL GUIDE

YES

- ✓ Clothing
- ✓ Diapers
- ✓ Dishware
- ✓ Flower pots
- ✓ Hoses
- ✓ Plastic bags
- ✓ Pet waste
- ✓ Plastic toys
- ✓ Plastic utensils
- ✓ Shrink wrap
- ✓ Straws
- ✓ Window glass
- ✓ Wipes

NO

- ✗ Batteries
- ✗ Electronic waste
- ✗ Hazardous waste
- ✗ Hot ashes
- ✗ Flammables
- ✗ Fluorescent bulbs
- ✗ Machinery
- ✗ Paint
- ✗ Pesticides
- ✗ Oil
- ✗ Recyclables
- ✗ Sharps
- ✗ Tires

BLUE BARREL GUIDE

YES

- ✓ Aerosol cans
- ✓ Aluminum cans
- ✓ Brochures
- ✓ Cardboard
- ✓ Cartons
- ✓ Catalogs
- ✓ Computer paper
- ✓ Envelopes
- ✓ Glass bottles & jars
- ✓ Junk mail
- ✓ Newspaper
- ✓ Paper products
- ✓ #1 - #7 Plastics
- ✓ Tin cans
- ✓ Tissue boxes
- ✓ Wrapping paper

NO

- ✗ Bubble wrap
- ✗ Carpet
- ✗ Ceramic dishes
- ✗ Clothing
- ✗ Diapers
- ✗ Electronic waste
- ✗ Furniture
- ✗ Hoses
- ✗ Mirrors
- ✗ Pet food bags
- ✗ Pizza boxes, soiled
- ✗ Plastic toys
- ✗ Stuffed animals
- ✗ Wax paper
- ✗ Window glass

GREEN BARREL GUIDE

YES

- ✓ Bagged food waste
- ✓ Birds of Paradise
- ✓ Dead plants
- ✓ Flowers
- ✓ Food soiled paper
- ✓ Grass clippings
- ✓ Leaves
- ✓ Livestock manure
- ✓ Palm Fronds
- ✓ Prunings & Twigs
- ✓ Shrub trimmings
- ✓ Small branches
- ✓ Untreated wood
- ✓ Weeds

NO

- ✗ Batteries
- ✗ Cactus
- ✗ Concrete
- ✗ Dirt
- ✗ Electronic waste
- ✗ Flammables
- ✗ Glass
- ✗ Hazardous waste
- ✗ Liquids
- ✗ Metal
- ✗ Pet waste
- ✗ Plastic
- ✗ Rocks

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.



BRING US YOUR TOXIC WASTE

PROTECT YOUR FAMILY BY GETTING RID OF YOUR TOXIC
HOUSEHOLD PRODUCTS AT YOUR CLOSEST
HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE COLLECTION CENTER

WE ACCEPT

AUTOMOTIVE FLUIDS
(antifreeze, motor oil)



FUELS



BATTERIES
(home & car)



**HOUSEHOLD
CLEANERS**



COOKING OIL



**PAINT
PRODUCTS**



E-WASTE
(tv's, printers, etc.)



**POOL AND SPA
CHEMICALS**



**FERTILIZERS
& PESTICIDES**



**POLISHES
AND WAXES**



You can bring 15 gallons or 125 pounds in containers
no larger than 5 gallons per visit.

IT'S AS EASY AS 1-2-3!

- 1. Keep** products in original containers or properly labeled with a sealed lid.
- 2. Secure** products so they won't spill or leak during transport.
- 3. Take** them to your nearest collection center at:

San Bernardino - S.B. International Airport

2824 East "W" Street • Bldg. 302 • San Bernardino, CA 92408

Hours: Monday - Friday, 9am to 2pm

Redlands - Redlands City Yard

500 Kansas St. at Park Ave. • Redlands, CA 92374

Hours: Saturday, 9:30am to 12:30pm

Visit tootoxictotrash.com for more information, schedule changes and holiday hours. Residential waste only.

**Must be a San Bernardino County resident.*

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!



Senior Discounts

If you are 60 years old or older, you might qualify for a discount on your trash bill. Seniors who meet the following requirements should apply:

1. 60 years or older
2. Head of household
3. Must reside at the residence
4. The account must be in their name



If you meet these requirements contact the City of Highland Customer Service Department at (909) 889-1969.

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 alongside your containers on your collection day.



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.