

# Spring 2026

## BURRTEC NEWS

### WASTE AND RECYCLING NEWSLETTER

Sponsored by Burrtec Waste Industries for the City of Montclair Residents

## Contact Information

**Burrtec Waste Industries**  
1250 East Holt Avenue  
Pomona, CA 91767

**Customer Service**  
(909) 620-1353

**Hours of Operation**  
Monday-Friday  
8:00 am to 5:00 pm

**Website**  
Burrtec.com



**City of Montclair**  
(909) 625-9472



## Household Hazardous Waste

San Bernardino County collection facilities accept a wide variety of household generated hazardous wastes. These services are FREE for San Bernardino County and City of Montclair **residents only**.

Collection Facilities

**Will Accept** Household Generated:

- Weed Killers, Cleaners, Gasoline, Antifreeze
- Wood Preservatives, Paints & Paint Products, Paint Thinner
- Auto & Furniture Polish, Chemical Drain Cleaners
- Pesticides & Fertilizers, Pool & Hobby Supplies
- Auto & Household Batteries
- Motor Oil, Oil Filters
- Electronic Waste Collection available throughout San Bernardino County. Call 1-800-Oily Cat for nearest location.
- Outdated Medications

Collection Facilities

**Will Not Accept:**

- Business Wastes
- Wastes from Non-Profit Organizations
- Radioactives
- Explosives
- Medical Waste
- Asbestos

Before transporting household generated hazardous waste to a collection facility be sure...

- ✓ The amount of waste transported does not exceed 15 gallons or 125 pounds. Container volume must not exceed 5 gallons.
- ✓ The containers are sound, not leaking and sealed.
- ✓ The waste is in its original container or is properly labeled as to its contents.
- ✓ Waste is placed securely in the vehicle for safe transport.
- ✓ The contents of the container are the same as stated on the label. If not the same, cover up the label and write the name of its contents.
- ✓ To place items in a cardboard box. Wrap glass bottles in cloth or newspaper so they do not break while transported.
- ✓ To place the cardboard box in the trunk of your car or in the bed of your pickup truck. Keep items away from passengers.
- ✓ To follow directions once you reach the collection site.
- ✓ That at the site, staff will unload the chemicals from your vehicle. You will be asked to stay inside your vehicle.

**Collection Facilities - Call 909.382.5401 or 1.800.OILY CAT (645.9228) to verify operating hours prior to visiting a collection center.**

### Ontario

1430 S. Cucamonga Avenue  
(909) 382-5401  
Every Friday and Saturday  
9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

### Upland City Yard

1370 N. Benson Avenue  
(909) 931-4242  
Every Saturday  
9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.



## Holiday Schedule - No service on these 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.

## Did You Know?



**If your barrel is broken, cracked, or damaged, we'll replace it at no additional charge! Contact Burrtec Customer Service at (909) 620-1353 for more information.**

# SENATE BILL 1383

The California Senate passed a bill requiring a **75% reduction in organic waste disposal by 2025**. All residences and commercial businesses are required to **recycle organic waste, including food waste**.



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**Organic waste** decomposes in a landfill releasing a significant amount of **greenhouse gas emissions** that contribute to public health and safety concerns such as **asthma, global climate change, extreme weather, and natural disasters**. By **composting organic waste**, instead of sending it to landfills, we can **close the loop** while creating a **nutrient-rich soil amendment** that's ready for use in farms and gardens.

## TIPS TO PREVENT FOOD WASTE AT HOME

- **Plan ahead:** Before you go to the grocery store or order out, check the fridge and pantry for food items that need to be cooked or that you already have and do not need to purchase.
- **Serve smart:** Aim to cook and serve the right portions for the number of people you are feeding.
- **Store food wisely:** Different foods require different conditions.
- **Check your fridge often:** Keep track of what you have and what needs to be used. Eat or freeze items before you need to throw them away.
- **Use your freezer:** Your freezer can help save food and time.



Your recycling efforts contribute to the reduction of greenhouse gas emissions from landfilled organic waste. This includes methane, a greenhouse gas 80 times more potent than carbon dioxide.

## Bulky Item Pick-Up

Are you replacing an old sofa, water heater or refrigerator and don't know what to do with it? We'll take care of it! Residents on trash barrel service can request up to four (4) curbside collections of large or bulky items during a 12 month period. Limit of five (5) items per collection. This program also includes electronic waste. This program is at no additional charge and designed for your convenience. Please call Burrtec's Customer Service Department to arrange pick-up on your next scheduled collection day. Additional pick-ups are available for a fee.



## Visit our Kids Corner at

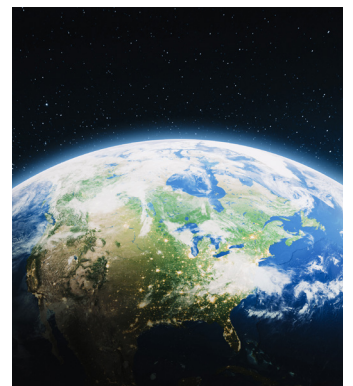
<https://www.burrtec.com/kids-corner> for free kids activity sheets to download



## Earth Day Everyday!

We can celebrate Earth Day everyday through small changes that have a big impact.

- Make sure you are recycling correctly.
- Keep a copy of the container guide on your refrigerator for reference.
- Use reusable bags, instead of single use. Donate used clothes, home goods and small appliances to thrift stores or other charitable organizations that can reuse them.
- Start a backyard composting pile; this is an inexpensive way to make your own soil amendments for gardening and cuts down on the amount of food waste that goes into your organics cart.



## Spring Cleaning Tips

- ✓ Flatten cardboard boxes to create more room in your recycling cart.
- ✓ Do not bag recyclable items.
- ✓ Utilize your bulky item pick-up services for large items that do not fit in your garbage cart.
- ✓ No wipes down the pipes! Do not flush wipes or paper towels, even if advertised as 'flushable'.
- ✓ Donate any unwanted items that are still in good condition. Remember that leaving donations outside of a closed center is illegal, and illegally dumped items could ultimately end up in the garbage.