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BURRTEC NEWS WASTE AND RECYCLING NEWSLETTER

Sponsored by Burrtec Waste Industries for the City of Santa Clarita Residents

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Automated Payment Service (888) 298-5161

Customer Service (661) 222-2249

Hours of Operation

Monday-Friday 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Saturday 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. (on holiday weekends)

Website

Burrtec.com/SCV

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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.





Holiday Schedule

Please note that services are interrupted on the following holidays:

Memorial Day Thanksgiving Day Independence Day Christmas Day

Labor 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.



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Food Waste Collection



GREEN WASTE SHOULD NOT BE BAGGED.

Collection Day Reminder

On collection day, please place your garbage, organics and recycling carts in the street, at the curb, or near the corner of your driveway. **DO NOT place carts on the curb or sidewalk.** Carts should have the handles facing towards your home and placed 1 foot apart from each other. Carts need to be placed at least 3 feet away from any obstruction such as a fence, mailbox, or vehicle. **To ensure your service is not missed, all carts must be curbside by 6:00 a.m. on your service day.**

State Required Contamination Monitoring of Recyclables

California state law SB 1383 requires jurisdictions to monitor garbage, recycling and organics containers to minimize contamination. Garbage and other contaminants in the recycling or organics collection container(s) could result in a fine and non-collection due to contamination. Burrtec staff or a hired contractor will be conducting waste assessments throughout Santa Clarita beginning in Spring 2024, to assess proper usage of containers. If contamination is found, contamination tags (as shown to the right) will be affixed to the container lid. After the third notice, customers may be charged a contamination fine and the container will not be serviced as recyclable; it will be subsequently serviced as garbage. Please note: the contamination fine will be automatically assessed if hazardous or bio-hazardous materials are placed in any collection container. Not sure about what goes in each container? Visit Burrtec.com/ SCV for a container guide or contact Burrtec Customer Service at (661) 222-2249 for assistance.



Did You Know?

Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) includes items like paint, pesticides and electronic waste. There are many other household items that may seem non-toxic but are very harmful to the environment if not disposed of properly. Items like pool chemicals, household cleaners, automotive fluids, medication and needles, beauty products, batteries and compact fluorescent light bulbs are all considered HHW items.

For FREE and convenient disposal of these items, the City of Santa Clarita has partnered with the Los Angeles County Department of Public Works and the Sanitation Districts of Los Angeles County to offer residents an **HHW Collection event on Saturday, April 20, 2024 from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. at College of the Canyons (26455 Rockwell Canyon Rd)**. These events, hosted throughout the year, are a great opportunity to drop-off HHW and E-waste for free and safe disposal.

