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BURRTEC NEWS

WASTE AND RECYCLING NEWSLETTER

Brought to you by Burrtec Waste Industries for Santa Clarita
Commercial, Industrial and Multifamily Customers

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Make Your Recycling Program a Success!

Ensuring the success of your recycling program depends on a few key elements; most importantly assistance from employees and/or residents.

Here are a few pointers to get you started in the right direction:

 Post signage to remind employees and/or residents to recycle specific items (cardboard, paper, etc.). Communication is essential! Newsletters and flyers also reinforce the message.

 Placement of recycling containers next to trash containers increases the chances of getting more recyclables into the correct container.

 Emptying recycling containers into the proper recycling bin will ensure that your business or multi-family residential dwelling is doing their part to lower costs and reduce landfill waste.

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Edible Food Recovery

Businesses that have excess edible food, must recover and donate that edible food to reduce unnecessary food waste and feed people. Commercial edible food generators are required to:

1. Arrange to recover the maximum amount of excess edible food that would otherwise go to landfills.
2. Establish a written agreement with a food recovery organization or service that will accept edible food from your business.
3. Maintain records of all edible food recovery activities and receipts.
4. Provide copies of written agreement(s) with food recovery organization(s) each year.

CALIFORNIA PRODUCES NEARLY HALF OF THE NATION'S FRUIT AND VEGETABLES, YET 1 IN 8 CALIFORNIANS STRUGGLE WITH FOOD INSECURITY, OR LACK OF ACCESS TO FOOD NEEDED TO LIVE A HEALTHY LIFESTYLE.

Food Rescue Resources

California Association of Food Banks (cafoodbanks.org)

Food Finder (foodfinder.us)

Los Angeles Regional Food Bank (lafoodbank.org)

GreenSantaClarita.com (city.sc/ediblefoodrecovery)

For more information about edible food requirements, please visit CalRecycle.CA.gov

Are you an Edible Food Generator like a restaurant, supermarket, grocery store, hotel or food distributor that needs to comply with edible food recovery for SB 1383? The City of Santa Clarita has produced a training video that you can use to help educate and train your staff. Check it out under resources at GreenSantaClarita.com/FoodRecovery

Tips to Reduce Food Waste

Here are some ways businesses can reduce food waste:

- Plan and track: Plan meals based on demand and track waste to identify areas for improvement.
- Menu design: Create menu specials using ingredients that are close to their expiration date. Remove items that don't sell well.
- Staff training: Train staff to minimize food waste and spoilage by using First-In, First-Out (FIFO) storage and rotation.
- Store food properly: Store food in the refrigerator and use airtight containers for grains.
- Reduce packaging: Use reusable items to reduce packaging.
- Monitor production: Weigh food at each stage of production to identify and correct production loss.
- Compost and recycle: All food scraps, peels and waste should be composted or recycled in the organics container.

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 Sunday.



RiverRally

31st River Rally Cleanup and Environmental Expo



Saturday, September 19, 2026 • 8:00-11:00 a.m.
Newhall Community Center - 22421 Market Street

Help preserve one of the last natural river systems in Southern California! River Rally volunteers will be provided with trash bags, gloves and important information to help safely clean-up the Santa Clara Riverbed. Don't forget to bring a reusable water bottle to reduce waste. Pre-registration is required at [GreenSantaClarita.com](https://www.GreenSantaClarita.com).

Ride your bike to the event and enjoy free bike valet service courtesy of Incycle, or ride the local transit system, Santa Clarita Transit, for free ALL day on September 19. A promotional code for a free transit day pass and instructions will be sent in your confirmation email before the event.

Be sure to visit the Environmental Expo and learn about wildlife conservation, recycling, pollution prevention and more!

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For more information or to register visit [GreenSantaClarita.com](https://www.GreenSantaClarita.com)
 or call (661) 286-4098. #RiverRallySC



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