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BURRTEC NEWS WASTE AND RECYCLING NEWSLETTER

Sponsored by Burrtec Waste Industries for the City of Upland Residents

City of Upland Street Sweeping Program

Burrtec provides street sweeping services through CMAX Sanitary Services in order to assist the City of Upland in maintaining clean streets and improving the environment. Residential streets are swept twice per month. Please see the current street sweeping schedule map to identify the street sweeping day in your neighborhood. A copy of the street sweeping schedule map is also available on the City of Upland's website: https://www.uplandca.gov/street-sweeping

Remember to move vehicles parked on the street on your sweeping day so that a thorough cleaning can be achieved. It is also important to remind any service providers at your home or business (gardener, pool cleaner, etc.) of the street sweeping schedule and that their vehicle should not be parked on the street in order to allow access to curb and gutter.



Please call Burrtec at (909) 949-0500 with any street sweeping questions.

Burrtec Waste Industries

Hours of Operation

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

Customer Service

(909) 949-0500

Website

Burrtec.com

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City of Upland

Upland Public Works

(909) 291-2930

Website

Uplandca.gov

Residential Organic Waste Collection

Burrtec is no longer collecting green waste/organics placed in customerowned containers. Residents may request up to two additional green waste/organics containers at no additional cost. Fees will apply for extra containers. Please contact our Customer Service Department to order additional containers or if you have any questions.



Upland Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) Facility

Public Works, 1370 N. Benson Ave. Upland, CA 91786 Open every Saturday from 7:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. (except holidays & during inclement weather)

Accepted items: auto and household batteries, antifreeze, used motor oil, oil filters, cooking oil, electronic waste, fire extinguishers, fluorescent tubes, gasoline, household cleaners, mercury thermostats, needles/sharps in approved container, outdated medications, paints, paint products, and pool chemicals.

Transportation limit of 15 gallons or 125 lbs. per trip. Business waste is not accepted.

Free sharps containers and used oil containers are available for pick up when the HHW facility is open and at Public Works, 1370 N. Benson Ave., Monday-Thursday from 8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Visit www.Uplandca.gov or call (909) 291-2930 for more information.



Holiday Schedule

Please note that services are interrupted on the following holidays:

Independence Day Memorial 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.

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.

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.

REMINDER: RECYCLE RIGHT!

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



REMINDER!

Bag your food waste and place in your green barrel!

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BLACK BARREL GUIDE		
YES	NO	
✓ Cactus	× Batteries	
✓ Clothing	× Electronic waste	
✓ Diapers	× Hazardous waste	
✓ Dishware	× Hot ashes	
✓ Flower pots	× Flammables	
√ Hoses	× Food waste	
✓ Plastic bags or wrap	× Fluorescent bulbs	
✓ Pet food bags	× Landscape waste	
✓ Pet waste	× Machinery	
✓ Plastic toys	× Paint	
✓ Plastic utensils	× Pesticides	
✓ Shrink wrap	× Oil	
✓ Soiled paper products	× Recyclables	

× Sharps

× Tires

✓ Straws

Wipes

BLUE BARREL GUIDE

YES	NO
✓ Aerosol cans (empty)	× Batteries
✓ Aluminum cans	× Bubble wrap
✓ Brochures	× Carpet
✓ Cardboard	× Clothing
✓ Cartons	× Diapers
✓ Catalogs	× Dishware
✓ Computer paper	× Electronic waste
✓ Envelopes	× Furniture
✓ Glass bottles & jars	× Hoses
✓ Junk mail	× Mirrors
✓ Newspaper	^ IVIIITOIS
✓ Paper products	× Pet food bags
✓ #1 - #7 Plastics	× Plastic bags or wrap
✓ Styrofoam	× Plastic toys
✓ Tin cans	× Soiled paper products

✓ Tissue boxes

Wrapping paper

× Stuffed animals

× Wax paper

BAG FOOD WASTE - DO NOT BAG GREEN WASTE

GREEN BARREL GUIDE

GREEN BARREL GUIDE		
YES	NO	
✓ Bagged food soiled	× Batteries	
paper*	× Cactus	
✓ Bagged food waste	× Concrete	
✓ Birds of Paradise	× Dirt	
✓ Dead plants	× Electronic waste	
√ Flowers	× Flammables	
✓ Grass clippings	× Glass	
✓ Leaves		
✓ Palm fronds	× Hazardous waste	
✓ Prunings & twigs	× Liquids	
✓ Shrub trimmings	× Metal	
✓ Small branches	× Pet waste	
✓ Untreated wood	× Plastic	
✓ Weeds	× Rocks	