

Spring 2024

BURRTEC NEWS

WASTE AND RECYCLING NEWSLETTER

Sponsored by Burrtec Waste Industries for the City of Upland Residents

City of Upland

Household Hazardous Waste

(909) 291-2967

Water Waste Hotline

(909) 291-2999

Website

Uplandca.gov

Burrtec Waste Industries

Hours of Operation

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

Customer Service

(909) 949-0500

Follow us on



Website

Burrtec.com/city/service-location/upland

Earth Day Celebration

Saturday, April 20, 2024

9:00 am – 12:00 pm

Greenbelt Park
15th Street & Benson Ave
Upland, CA 91786

Event will include:

Games
Crafts
Educational Booths
Tree Planting
Bulky Item Disposal
Document Shredding
Free Compost & Mulch

For more information on events,
please visit,
www.uplandca.gov/spring-festivities



How to Collect Food Waste at Home

- Collect-** Begin collecting food waste separate from your other trash and recycling. This includes: fruits, vegetables, meats, seafood, bread, dairy, eggshells, coffee, plate scrapings, peels, rinds, food soiled paper, and expired food.
- Add & Secure-** Add food waste to its own separate plastic-lined container. Store it in a convenient place, such as on your countertop, in your refrigerator or under your sink. Secure your 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 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.



Reminder! New Customer Number



Please remember to reference your **NEW** Customer Number on your future payments. Your New Customer Number can be found at the top right corner of your invoice. Please see the image below.

Customer Number	XXXXXXXXXX
Invoice Number	XXXXXXX
Statement Date	07/01/23
Service Period	July - Aug 2023



New Customer Number



**Quick reference
account and billing
information.**

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.

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) 291-2967 for more information.



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 office to order one today!



Scraps to Snacks: TAKE HOME YOUR OWN MINI GARDEN

Rethink your veggie scraps. This workshop will teach you how to plant and save certain produce scraps, seeds, and more!

Saturday, March 9th, 9:00 am-11:00 am

Carnegie Library Building 123 D. St., Upland, CA 91786

RSVP is Required: Please contact (909) 291-2967 to RSVP or for more information

Bulky Item Pick-Up

Do you have an old sofa, water heater, or refrigerator and don't know what to do with it? Schedule a bulky item pick-up and, we'll take care of it! This program is offered at no additional cost and designed for your convenience.

- Request up to four (4) curbside collections of large or bulky items during a rolling calendar year.
- Limit of five (5) items per collection.
- Electronic waste is allowed.

Please call Burrtec Customer Service at (909) 949-0500 one week prior to your scheduled collection day to arrange pick-up.

LEARN WATER-SAVING TIPS DURING FIX A LEAK WEEK, MARCH 18-24, 2024

Did you know that household leaks can waste nearly one trillion gallons of water annually nationwide? The average household leak can account for over 11,000 gallons of water wasted ever year. That's more than enough water to fill a backyard swimming pool! The City of Upland has partnered with the Environmental Protection Agency and other water purveyors to promote water conservation through leak detection and repair. As part of national Fix a Leak Week, Upland will help educate residents about water-saving device rebates and programs, and share tips to help save water around your home. Tune in for tips and tricks on Upland's City social media platforms during Fix a Leak Week. Common types of leaks found at home include worn toilet flappers, dripping faucets, and leaking showerheads. All are easily correctable! Learn how to find and fix leaks at www.epa.gov/watersense/fix-leak-week.

To help you find and correct some common household leaks, pick up a free Fix-A-Leak Kit at the Upland Public Works Department, 1370 N. Benson Ave., Upland during office hours, Monday-Thursday, 8:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m., while supplies last. Recipients must show proof of being an Upland water customer.

