



Summer 2026

YUCAIPA NEWS

WASTE AND RECYCLING NEWSLETTER

Sponsored by Yucaipa Disposal, Inc. for the City of Yucaipa Residents

Contact Information

Yucaipa Disposal

5455 Industrial Parkway
San Bernardino, CA 92407

Automated Payment Service

(888) 298-5161

Customer Service

(909) 797-9125

Hours of Operation

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

Website

Burrtec.com

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YUCAIPA SHRED EVENT

Where: Yucaipa Community Center West parking lot (34900 Oak Glen Rd.)

Date: Saturday, October 10, 2026 **Time:** 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

**Shred event ends at 12:00 p.m. or when truck is full.*

Shred Event Details:

Please bring proof of residency such as driver's license or identification.

**Yucaipa residents ONLY*

What to bring:

- Residents may bring up to 4 boxes (banker box size, 12" x 10" x 16") or 4 bags no larger than 15-gallons per person.
- Please only bring paper documents that require shredding (most junk mail does not need to be shredded). Magazines, phone books, catalogs, etc. will not be accepted.
- Walk ups are not allowed. For your safety and convenience, please remain in your vehicle and proceed through the drive through line. Staff will unload your materials and transport them to the onsite shredder for disposal.
- There is no cost to residents for this service.

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) 797-9125 for
more information.***

Do You Have.....The Right Stuff?!

Residents who recycle correctly help keep rates lower for everyone and lower the amount of trash going to the landfill! You can help by taking the Recycling Challenge!!!

Win \$100 if you recycle the right stuff!

Yucaipa Disposal will award two participating residents with a \$100 prize (or account credit) if they are selected and keep their recycling, organics and trash in the right barrel.

How To Participate:

- Fill out entry form and send it to Yucaipa Disposal.
- Keep trash out of your recycling and organics barrels.
- Keep recyclables and organics out of your trash barrel(s).
- Entries will be selected at random - one per month (September and October 2026).

**Please send your completed form to Yucaipa Disposal
using one of the options below:**

Mail: 5455 Industrial Parkway, San Bernardino, CA 92407

Email: InlandEmpireCS@burrtec.com

*Winners may be recognized at a City council meeting. Photograph(s) and/or digital image(s)
may be used in news releases and/or educational materials.*

Yucaipa Recycle Right Contest

(September and October 2026) Entry Form (Please print)

Print Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

CITY OF **Yucaipa** **BURRTEC**
"We'll Take Care Of It"

Free COMPOST & MULCH

**WHERE: 13273 CALIFORNIA STREET
VACANT LOT ACROSS FROM THE EQUESTRIAN CENTER**

**MATERIALS ARE REPLENISHED THE 3RD SATURDAY OF EVERY MONTH
AND ARE AVAILABLE ON A FIRST COME FIRST SERVE BASIS**

GIVEAWAY DETAILS

This is a self serve event. Please bring your own sturdy bags, pails, containers, gloves, trucks and/or trailers to load the compost/mulch. First come, first serve. While supplies last.

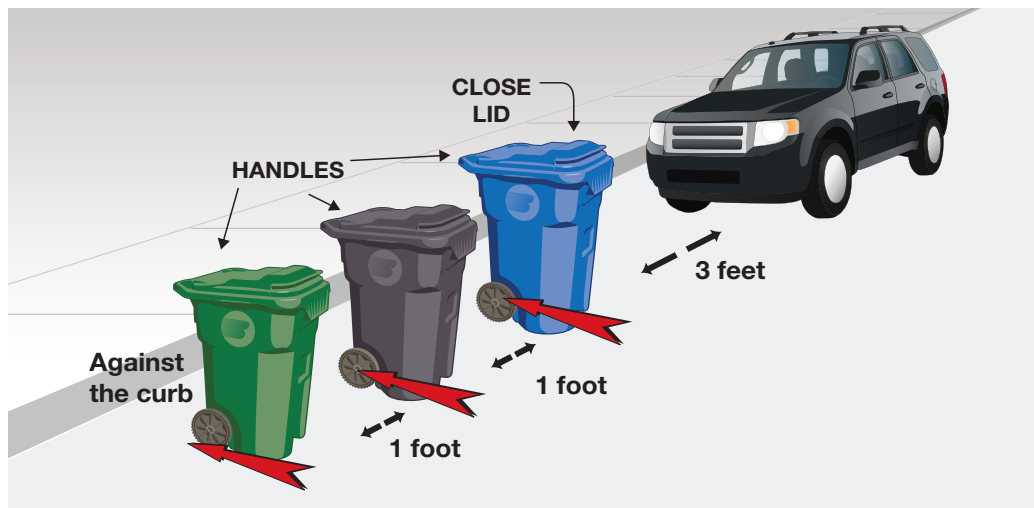
No proof of residency required.



Collection Day Reminder

On collection day, please place your containers in the street, at the curb, or near the corner of your driveway. The containers handles should be facing your home. Barrels should be placed 1 foot apart from each other. The containers need to be placed at least 3 feet away from any obstruction such as a fence, mailbox, or vehicle.

All barrels must be curbside by 6:00 a.m. on your service day.



City of Yucaipa Street Sweeping Program

Yucaipa Disposal provides street sweeping services through CMAX in order to assist the City of Yucaipa in maintaining clean streets and improving the environment. Residential streets are swept once per month. A copy of the street sweeping schedule map is available on the City of Yucaipa website: yucaipa.org/street-sweeping/

On street sweeping day, please remember to move all vehicles parked on the street to allow the sweeper access to the curb and gutters. Please ensure the street is clear of obstructions, such as basketball hoops, vehicles, and low hanging tree branches. It is also important to inform any service providers at your home or business (such as gardeners or pool cleaners) about the street sweeping schedule and remind them not to park on the street. Street sweeping services are provided at no additional charge.

Please call Yucaipa Disposal at (909) 797-9125 with any street sweeping questions.

Rates for 2026/2027

Great news! The rates shown below will see no increase. Please contact Yucaipa Disposal at (909) 797-9125 for any questions.

Rates are as follows:

15-gallon	\$25.74
30-gallon	\$32.56
60-gallon	\$43.03

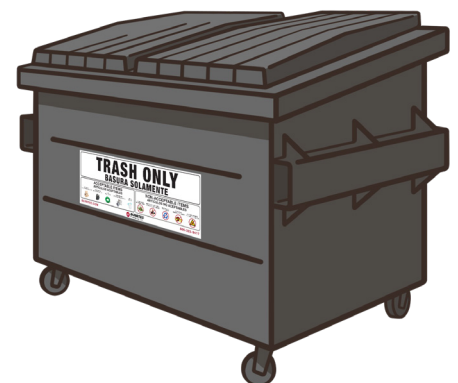
Bulky Item Pick-Up

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 can request up to four curbside collections of large or bulky items during a 12 month period (pick-up second week of Feb/May/Aug/Nov). Limit of five items per collection. This program also includes electronic waste. This program is at no additional cost and designed for your convenience. Please call our Customer Service Department one week prior to your scheduled collection day to arrange pick-up.



Temporary Containers For Special Clean-Ups

Yucaipa Disposal offers large and small containers for residential clean-ups and special projects. Containers are available for 21-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 Department to order one today!



SHARPS Collection Program

Yucaipa Residents Only

What are home-generated SHARPS?

"Home-generated SHARPS waste" means hypodermic needles, intravenous needles, lancets, and other devices that are used to penetrate the skin for the delivery of medications derived from a household.

State law prohibits residents from disposing of home-generated SHARPS waste in the trash. Sanitation workers or anyone who handles trash can be injured from needles or devices that penetrate the skin.

How is a SHARPS container obtained?

Residents can pick up a free SHARPS container at Yucaipa City Hall while supplies last or residents can safely dispose of their used SHARPS in a plastic container up to 1 gallon in size.

Container Use

1. Deposit syringes, needles and lancets into SHARPS container with the sharp end first.
2. After container is full, snap the cap firmly to close and seal securely.
3. Do not fill the container to the top.

Proper Disposal of Container

Dispose of SHARPS containers into the SHARPS Drop-Off box located at Yucaipa Police Department at 34144 Yucaipa Blvd., Yucaipa CA.



Sharps Drop-Off Box

HOW TO CREATE YOUR OWN SHARPS CONTAINER:

- Place sharps into a rigid plastic container up to 1 gallon in size
- Do not use food product containers
- Must have a screw-top and a puncture resistant lid
- Made of thick plastic
- Leak-resistant
- Remain upright when standing
- Write "Bio-Hazard SHARPS" on both sides of the container using a permanent marker
- When filled, secure the lid and tape the container closed
- Do not throw SHARPS containers in any of the barrels. Please drop them off at the SHARPS Drop-Off box located at the Yucaipa Police Department (34144 Yucaipa Blvd., Yucaipa, CA).

Containers for SHARPS



Household Hazardous Waste

Many households generate hazardous waste that is dangerous or illegal to dispose of in the trash and can also be harmful to the environment. Here is a list of the following items that are considered hazardous waste and should be disposed at a HHW location. These services are FREE for San Bernardino County **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



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

**Redlands City Yard
HHW Collection Center
500 Kansas Street
Redlands, CA 92373
Phone: (800) 645-9228**

Days/Hours: Saturday 9am to 2pm

**San Bernardino International Airport
HHW Collection Center
2824 "W" Street, Building 302
San Bernardino, CA 92408
Phone: (800) 645-9228**

Days/Hours: Monday to Friday 9am to 4pm



Help Prevent Fires in Trucks and Recycling Facilities!

Please remember that items such as batteries, oil, chemicals and propane tanks require special handling and should never be placed in your trash, recycling or organics containers. All of these items can create sparks, which can ignite full blown fires within seconds. You can safely dispose of these items at a HHW Collection Center located at either the Redlands City Yard or the San Bernardino International Airport.



SENATE BILL 1383

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



SCAN TO LEARN MORE

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

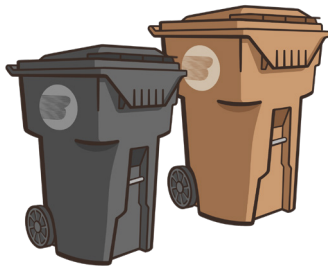
- **Plan ahead:** Before you go to the grocery store or order out, check the fridge and pantry for food items that need to be cooked or that you already have and do not need to purchase.
- **Serve smart:** Aim to cook and serve the right portions for the number of people you are feeding.
- **Store food 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.

YOUR BARREL GUIDE - WHAT GOES WHERE?

Black & Tan Barrel is for trash



DO NOT ADD HAZARDOUS WASTE

Blue Barrel is for recyclables



DO NOT BAG RECYCLABLES

Green Barrel is for green waste & bagged food waste



REMINDER!

Bag your food waste and place in your green barrel!

BAG FOOD WASTE - DO NOT BAG GREEN WASTE

BLACK BARREL GUIDE

YES

- ✓ Cactus
- ✓ Clothing
- ✓ Diapers
- ✓ Dishware
- ✓ Flower pots
- ✓ Hoses
- ✓ Plastic bags or wrap
- ✓ Pet food bags
- ✓ Pet waste
- ✓ Plastic toys
- ✓ Plastic utensils
- ✓ Shrink wrap
- ✓ Soiled paper products
- ✓ Straws
- ✓ Wipes

NO

- ✗ Batteries
- ✗ Electronic waste
- ✗ Hazardous waste
- ✗ Hot ashes
- ✗ Flammables
- ✗ Food waste
- ✗ Fluorescent bulbs
- ✗ Landscape waste
- ✗ Machinery
- ✗ Paint
- ✗ Pesticides
- ✗ Oil
- ✗ Recyclables
- ✗ Sharps
- ✗ Tires

BLUE BARREL GUIDE

YES

- ✓ Aerosol cans (empty)
- ✓ Aluminum cans
- ✓ Brochures
- ✓ Cardboard
- ✓ Cartons
- ✓ Catalogs
- ✓ Computer paper
- ✓ Envelopes
- ✓ Glass bottles & jars
- ✓ Junk mail
- ✓ Newspaper
- ✓ Paper products
- ✓ #1 - #7 Plastics
- ✓ Styrofoam
- ✓ Tin cans
- ✓ Tissue boxes
- ✓ Wrapping paper

NO

- ✗ Batteries
- ✗ Bubble wrap
- ✗ Carpet
- ✗ Clothing
- ✗ Diapers
- ✗ Dishware
- ✗ Electronic waste
- ✗ Furniture
- ✗ Hoses
- ✗ Mirrors
- ✗ Pet food bags
- ✗ Plastic bags or wrap
- ✗ Plastic toys
- ✗ Soiled paper products
- ✗ Stuffed animals
- ✗ Wax paper

GREEN BARREL GUIDE

YES

- ✓ Bagged food soiled paper & cardboard*
- ✓ Bagged food waste
- ✓ Birds of Paradise
- ✓ Dead plants
- ✓ Flowers
- ✓ Grass clippings
- ✓ Leaves
- ✓ Palm fronds
- ✓ Prunings & twigs
- ✓ Shrub trimmings
- ✓ Small branches
- ✓ Untreated wood
- ✓ Weeds

NO

- ✗ Batteries
- ✗ Cactus
- ✗ Concrete
- ✗ Dirt
- ✗ Electronic waste
- ✗ Flammables
- ✗ Glass
- ✗ Hazardous waste
- ✗ Liquids
- ✗ Metal
- ✗ Pet waste
- ✗ Plastic
- ✗ Rocks

*Such as paper towels and napkins