What Goes Where?

Black barrel is for Trash



Your **BLACK** barrel is for trash. If your barrel is damaged it will be repaired or replaced. Residents are responsible for those barrels damaged due to customer negligence or abuse.

DO NOT Place the following materials in your barrels…

- Hazardous Waste (products labeled toxic, poison, corrosive, flammable, or irritant)
- Fluorescent bulbs
- Machinery
- Paint
- Hot ashes
- Pesticides
- Horse manure
- Oil
- Electronic Waste (electronic equipment such as computers, TV's, cell phones, microwave ovens, etc)
- Automotive batteries
- Tires
- Infectious waste (including used needles)

Green barrel is for Green Waste



Your **GREEN** barrel is for green waste collection. Extra green waste barrels are available upon request. If your barrel is damaged it will be repaired or replaced. Residents are responsible for those barrels damaged due to customer negligence or abuse.

Acceptable green waste items include:

- birds of paradise
- brush
- grass clippings
- leaves
- palm fronds
- prunings
- shrub trimmings
- small branches
- tree trimmings
- twigs
- weeds

Non-acceptable materials (place in your black trash barrel) include:

- animal waste
- cactus
- food waste

PLEASE do not put trash into the Green barrel.

Blue barrel is for Recyclables



Your **BLUE** barrel is for recyclable materials (please see the list below of accepted items). Extra recycling barrels are available upon request.

Recyclable items include…

- Aluminum cans
- Aluminum foil
- Brochures
- Catalogs
- Cardboard
- Computer paper
- Glass bottles & jars
- Junk mail
- Magazines
- Mixed paper
- Newspaper
- Paper tubes
- Phone books
- #1 – #7 Plastic containers
- Plastic soda or water bottles
- Styrofoam
- Tissue boxes
- Used envelopes

PLEASE do not put trash into the Blue barrel.

Contamination Notice to Residents

Dear Customer,

Burrtec is working in partnership with your community to raise awareness of the importance of recycling, increase recycling participation and eliminate contamination from recycling and green waste containers. This initiative is pertinent to the joint efforts of your community and Burrtec's continued recycling success as the state of California mandates become more critical.

The recycling container is for plastic containers, cardboard products, paper products, metal products and recyclable glass products only.

The green waste container is for brush, grass clippings, leaves, palm fronds, shrub trimmings, small branches, tree trimmings and weeds only.

Items other than the above mentioned materials must not be placed in the recycling or green waste barrel(s), as it significantly impacts the recycling process and must be removed at a considerable cost. Recycling loads containing unacceptable items may be rejected for processing and sent to the landfill, which eliminates the benefits that are produced from the recycling program. High contamination of your recyclables within your community could result in increased processing costs which may impact your trash and recyclables collection fees.

Everyone has a role to play to ensure we keep unacceptable materials out of the recycling or green waste container(s). Please note that your community is actively monitoring this issue and contaminated recycling or green waste container(s) will cause them to not be collected.

Not sure about what goes in each container? See the reverse side of this notice or for more information contact our Customer Service team for assistance at (XXX) XXX-XXXX.

As always, thank you for your continued support and cooperation!

