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BURRTEC NEWS

WASTE AND RECYCLING NEWSLETTER

Sponsored by Burrtec Waste Industries
for the City of Rancho Cucamonga Residents

Contact Information

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(909) 987-3717

Hours of Operation

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

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Website

Burrtec.com/rancho-cucamonga



Residents can use any of the other participating HHW collection facilities in the county. Visit www.TooToxicToTrash.com for information.

Holiday Closures:

- May 24, 2025
- July 5, 2025
- August 30, 2025

This site does not accept sharps or business waste. Please refer to the Safe Sharps Disposal article on the back of this newsletter for further information.

We accept: cooking oil, motor oil, oil filters, antifreeze, old medications, cleaners, pesticides, pool chemicals, paint, batteries, fluorescent lights, electronics, and other chemicals used around your home.

Please note: Transportation limit of 15 gallons or 125 pounds per trip. No Business Waste accepted. For more information visit www.CityofRC.us or call the Environmental Programs Info Line at (909) 919-2635.

Recycle Tuesdays are Back!

Make a pledge to recycle ten (10) bottles and/or cans with valid CRV to a local recycling center and receive a complimentary Club ticket to the next Healthy RC Recycle Tuesday game, thanks to Healthy RC! (Good for up to four complimentary tickets.) Fill out the form (available on day of the game) to complete your pledge. Ticket redemption is available on the day of the game only.

Please note this offer is valid online only, fees will be applied. Please visit: <https://www.milb.com/rancho-cucamonga/fans/healthycr>

- May 13, 2025
- June 3, 2025
- June 17, 2025
- July 1, 2025
- July 8, 2025
- July 22, 2025
- August 5, 2025
- August 19, 2025
- September 2, 2025



Spring Cleaning Tips

1. Before dropping off donations call to check business hours and ask if they are able to accept all of the items you have. Be sure to drop off items during business hours. It is illegal to leave donations outside of a closed center, and illegally dumped items could ultimately end up in the trash.
2. Flatten cardboard boxes to create more room in your recycling cart.
3. Utilize your bulky item pick-up services with Burrtec for ewaste and large items that do not fit in your trash cart. Please contact Burrtec customer service for more details.
4. Do not bag recyclables that you are placing in your recycling cart.
5. No wipes down the pipes! Do not flush wipes or paper towels.

FREE Used Oil Filter Exchange and Recycling Event

Bring your used oil filters in a reusable bucket for recycling and receive 1 new oil filter valued up to \$15. Proof of Rancho Cucamonga residency is required. Limit of one filter per household. Subject to change or cancel.

AutoZone
Saturday, April 26, 2025
9457 Foothill Blvd.
8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

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CalRecycle



Get exclusive coupons for your next canister refill at

SBCountyStormwater.org/dogcoupons

Senate Bill 1383

The California Senate passed a bill requiring a 75% reduction in organic waste disposal by 2025. All residences will be required to participate in this program to recycle organic waste, including food waste.

Organic Waste that decomposes in a landfill releases 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 on sustainability 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 anything that needs 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 your food and time.
- Please visit for more resources: <https://www.cityofrc.us/sustainability>

Happy Discount Day Seniors

Residents who are 60 years or older and are the head of the household can apply for a discount on their bill. Contact Burrtec Customer Service and forward a copy of your driver's license or California Identification Card to start receiving your well deserved Senior Discount. Call Burrtec Customer Service for application and details.

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

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SAFE SHARPS AND MEDICAL DISPOSAL

Did you know that free mail back options are available to Rancho Cucamonga residents for proper and safe disposal of your sharps and medications?

Visit med-project.org to request a mail back container and view more information.

Tear off here, save and place on your fridge!

REMINDER: RECYCLE RIGHT!

Tear off and keep handy to recycle right!

YOUR BARREL GUIDE - WHAT GOES WHERE?

Black Barrel is for trash



Blue Barrel is for recyclables



Green Barrel is for green waste & food waste



REMINDER!

Bag your food waste and place in your green barrel!

DO NOT ADD HAZARDOUS 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

DO NOT BAG RECYCLABLES

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

BAG FOOD WASTE - DO NOT BAG GREEN WASTE

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