

Mixed recycling now includes:

PAPER PRODUCTS

- corrugated cardboard & paper boxes
large or multiple pieces should be flattened and/or cut
- shredded paper - *in a paper bag, secured with a staple*
- aseptic boxes - *juice, soup & soy milk*
- hard cover books up to 40 lbs.

GLASS BOTTLES & JARS

ALUMINUM & METAL

- aerosol cans (*empty*)
- scrap pieces up to 40 lbs.

PLASTICS LABELED ♻️♻️♻️

- plastic bags - *Protect the environment by avoiding single-use bags. Reuse them when possible. When recycling multiple bags, stuff one bag full of the others; tie off the full bag before placing in the recycling.*

E-WASTE PERIPHERALS

- computer mice, keyboards & desktop speakers - *Please remove batteries from e-waste and dispose of them through our regular weekly service.*

**NO GARBAGE OR ORGANICS
NO FOOD-SOILED PAPER
OR PIZZA BOXES
NO STYROFOAM**



Donate for a good cause!

During the first week of every quarter (January, April, July, October), gently used clothing will be collected and donated to a local charity. Clothing should be placed in a tightly tied clear bag next to the recycling cart.

What Goes in the Garbage?

NON-RECYCLABLE GLASS

- ceramics
- lightbulbs (*no fluorescent*)
- mirrors, tempered & window glass

NON-RECYCLABLE PAPER

- carbon paper
- laminated items
- metallic wrapping paper
- paper used for cleaning (*soiled*)
- photographs
- vacuum bags

PLASTICS NOT MARKED WITH ♻️♻️♻️

- 6-pack rings (*please cut*)
- plastic film & wrap
- plastic plates & utensils
- plastic drinking straws & stir sticks
- records, tapes & CDs
- shower curtain liners
- tape (*duct, scotch, masking*)

TEXTILES

- cotton balls (*soiled*)
- rugs & mats
- shoes, clothing & stuffed animals (*that cannot be donated*)
- sponges

OTHER

- balloons (*latex & mylar*)
- clothes hangers
- diapers
- feminine products
- foam & styrofoam
- hose (*garden or rubber*)
- pet feces (*bagged*)
- rubber bands
- toothpaste tubes
- toys (*that cannot be donated*)
- wood (*treated*)



**NO ORGANIC OR RECYCLABLE MATERIALS
NO CONSTRUCTION OR DEMOLITION MATERIALS**

REMEMBER,
IT'S ALWAYS BETTER TO REUSE,
RECYCLE, COMPOST OR DONATE
THAN IT IS TO DISPOSE!**

What Goes in the Organics?

FOOD SCRAPS

- fruits & vegetables
- bread & pasta
- egg shells
- dairy products
- coffee grounds
- meat & bones

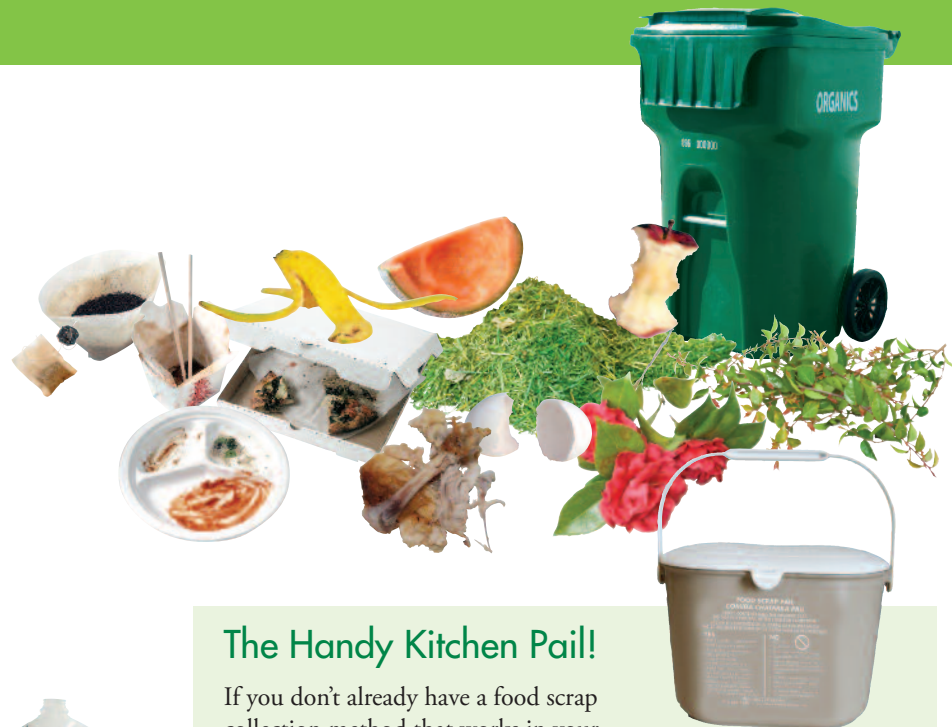
YARD TRIMMINGS

- flowers
- leaves
- grass clippings
- small branches less than 6" in diameter

FOOD-SOILED PAPER

- napkins
- coffee filters
- tea bags
- paper towels
- pizza boxes
- newspaper
- paper bags
- paper take out boxes
- wooden chopsticks
- waxed paper boxes

**NO GLASS, METAL,
STYROFOAM OR PLASTIC
NO JUICE, SOUP OR MILK BOXES
NO DIRT, ROCK, CONCRETE
OR BRICK
NO LIQUID FAT, OIL OR GREASE**



The Handy Kitchen Pail!

If you don't already have a food scrap collection method that works in your kitchen, you'll want to give your new pail a try. It can easily be stored under the sink or on your counter and it's big enough to hold all the food scraps generated by an average family in one day. Using the pail is not mandatory. If it doesn't work in your kitchen, consider using it for another purpose or dropping it off at our office.

More to Offer: Curbside collection of motor oil/filters, household batteries and cell phones!



Motor oil should be contained in one-gallon jugs that are clearly marked and tightly sealed. Filters should be placed inside a clear zipper-lock bag. Contact us to arrange for free delivery of oil jugs & filter bags. We will collect 1-gallon of oil and one filter per household each week and will leave a replacement jug and filter bag behind.



Household batteries (for example A, AA, AAA, C, D, 9-volt, rechargeable, camera, watch, hearing aid & clock batteries) should be placed inside a clear zipper-lock bag and placed on top of your blue cart on collection day.

Cell phones should be placed inside a clear zipper-lock bag (separate from batteries) and placed on top of your blue cart on collection day.



HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE HAS ITS PLACE. Hazardous items like pesticides, fertilizers, pool & photo chemicals, paint/varnish, toxic cleaning products, mercury-containing items (thermometers & fluorescent lamps for example), unwanted medications, and sharps (needles, lancets) need to be taken to a hazardous waste collection facility. For information about Alameda County's free drop-off facility located right here in Livermore, go to www.household-hazwaste.org or call 1-800-606-6606.



READY...

Remember to place carts out with wheels against the curb prior to 6am on your service day.

SET...

If possible, leave 3 feet of space between carts—this will allow the automated truck arm room to operate.

GO!

Take care not to place carts too close to obstacles such as parked cars, fire hydrants, and low-hanging tree branches.

Also, don't forget...

- Do not overload your carts—make sure the lids fully close.
- Avoid tightly wedging or compacting materials inside your carts. This will help ensure that all materials are emptied from your cart and that your cart is not damaged during service.
- The small kitchen pail is for use inside your home and will not be serviced curbside. Simply dump its contents into your **organics** cart for collection.



Got extra?

Arrange for an Additional Pickup

Request a second dump of one or more of your carts (excluding 20-gallon garbage carts) or arrange to use a kraft bag for additional yard trimmings. You can also schedule a bulky item collection for unwanted furniture, unmounted car tires, and more. Charges apply.

Schedule an On-Call Cleanup

Three times every 12 months, at no charge, residents of single-family homes and multiplex buildings (4-units or less) have the opportunity to schedule pick up of one appliance (stove, refrigerator, etc.) or e-waste item (computer monitor, fax machine, etc.) and up to 3-cubic yards of garbage.

Order Additional Service

Bins of various sizes are available for construction/demolition, landscaping, and other projects. Bulky items (sofas, mattresses, etc.) and appliances/e-waste items not collected through the On-Call Cleanup program can also be collected.

STRIVE FOR 75

The Livermore City Council set a goal to reduce the amount of garbage we send to the landfill by 75%. You can help by making the most of our convenient recycling and organics programs.

Contact us for more information.

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Livermore Sanitation's location: 7000 National Drive, Livermore

Our office hours: 7am - 5pm, Monday - Friday

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