

Proud to Serve the Livermore Community

Prevent Food Waste

Californians throw away nearly 6 million tons of food waste each year.

FIND FOOD WASTE PREVENTION TIPS AT: www.StopFoodWaste.org www.SavetheFood.com



- Use perishable produce quickly.
- Track inventory to prevent over-ordering and spoilage.
- Store all food properly. (Typically below 40 degrees Fahrenheit for refrigerators and 0 degrees Fahrenheit for freezers, consult your local health code requirements.)
- Keep your storage equipment in good working order.
- Prepare for power loss by having a back up power plan.

GIVE EDIBLE LEFTOVERS TO EMPLOYEES OR DONATE EDIBLE FOOD TO A CHARITY OR FOOD BANK.

- Tri-Valley Haven Food Bank trivalleyhaven.org • (925)449-1664
- Alameda County Community Food Bank accfb.org • (510)775-2527
- www.calrecycle.ca.gov/Organics/Food/Donation/

Did You Know?

You won't be sued for donating leftover food. The Bill Emerson Good Samaritan Food Donation Act protects from civil and criminal liability should a recipient get ill or hurt as a result



of consumed donated food. Donors are only culpable in cases of gross negligence or intentional misconduct.

SOURCE: www.EPA.gov

SENATE BILL 1383 EFFECTIVE JANUARY 2022

What Does This New Law Mean for My Business?

- All sites must have compost and recycling collection service. Contact LSI at 925-583-3517 to start or improve your recycling and composting!
- Compost and recycling bins must be placed next to all garbage bins, including indoors, except in restrooms. Items must also be properly sorted into the bins.
- Free help and indoor compost bins are available.
- For more information or to request free help, visit: www.StopWaste. org/Rules.



Español, 中文, 한국인, & Tiếng Việt www.StopWaste.org/ruleslanguages



Make the Most of Your Recycling Program

AVOID CONTAMINATION!

Styrofoam[®], plastic film/wrap, and plastic packaging belongs in your **Garbage** container.

PLEASE NOTE: Only plastic bottles, jars, and tubs labeled 1-7 go into the blue Recyclables cart.

KEEP IT CLEAN! Empty and rinse or wipe recyclable containers.

MAKE THE MOST OF YOUR

SPACE! Flatten boxes before placing in the Recyclables cart or bin.

PROVIDE THE TOOLS FOR

SUCCESS! Educate employees on proper sorting and provide the right containers. Call Livermore Sanitation at **925-583-3517** for assistance.

Holiday Service Schedule



There will **NO CHANGES** to the service schedule during the week of Memorial Day.

Proper Sorting Makes a Difference!

USE YOUR CONTAINERS TO SORT YOUR WASTE FOR:

• Compliance with California regulations: AB341, AB1826, and SB1383. Visit www.stopwaste.org/rules for more info.

• A reduction in disposal. Of the 39 million tons of waste disposed of in California landfills in 2018, one third was compostable organic materials.



• A reduction in greenhouse gas emissions. Organic materials in landfills produce methane, a greenhouse gas that contributes to pollution and global warming. Composting sequesters carbon and reduces greenhouse gas emissions.

SOURCE: www.calrecycle.ca.gov/climate/organics

DISPOSE OF HAZARDOUS WASTE RESPONSIBLY Hazardous Waste Drop-in Program for Businesses

Hazardous waste does NOT belong in your **Recyclables**, **Organics**, or **Garbage** containers. Alameda County operates a Hazardous Waste Business Drop-in Program. Accepted materials include: latex paint, aerosol cans, fluorescent lamps, and batteries. A form is



required and charges apply. Detailed program information and appointments can be found at: **StopWaste.Org/hhw**.

Contact us:

Livermore Sanitation's location: 7000 National Drive Livermore, CA 94550

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

You can reach us by phone: 925-449-7300

Contact us via our website: www.LivermoreSanitation.com



¿Preguntas? ¡Se habla español!

Printed on recycled paper. Please recycle again!