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Happy New Year

All of us at Pleasanton Garbage Service wish everyone a happy and healthy New Year. We appreciate your support and look forward to serving you. Please visit our website or call our customer service department if we can be of assistance to you.



Please Help Us Keep Recycling Clean



Lithium batteries cause fires and are very dangerous. Please, never dispose of any electronic device that is "rechargeable." Any battery can leak caustic chemicals, please never put batteries in the trash or recycling carts.



Please never put hazardous waste in any cart. Chemicals, especially if they accidentally combine, cause fires, toxic fumes/gases and poison landfills. See StopWaste.org for disposal options.



For both recycling and greenwaste carts, please don't contaminate your load with plastic bags, wire, string or anything else that can jam up our equipment. It stops our processes and creates additional work for our employees.

Visit StopWaste.org or call 510-891-6550 for information about Household Hazardous Waste drop off locations.

We want our service to be the best, and you can help

Garbage Carts Please place your cart at the curb edge with *at least 3 feet of clearance* from other objects, including other carts, basketball hoops and motor vehicles. Make sure your cart lid is down completely. Thank you for helping us provide you with the best possible service. Together we can keep our neighborhoods safe and clean.

Please — no dirt, rocks, batteries, fluorescent lights, sharps or overloading — lids must be closed to prevent spills.



Recycling Cart Acceptable List Paper, cardboard, aluminum containers and foil, steel or tin cans, glass bottles and jars, plastic bottles and tubs (such as yogurt, margarine and cottage cheese, numbers Athrough (2).

Recycling Cart Non-Acceptable List *No* plastic bags, wrapping film, wire and string, waxed paper containers, foam packaging, paper towels & napkins, food soiled paper & cardboard, aerosol cans and diapers.

Greenwaste Cart Acceptable List Grass and weed clippings, shrubs and tree prunings (less than 4" in diameter), leaves, plants and flowers, food scraps and food soiled paper products.

Greenwaste Cart Non-Acceptable List *No* plastic bags, wrapping film, no household garbage. *No dirt or rocks. No overloading — lid must be closed to prevent spills*.

Cleaning Out Closets During the Pandemic

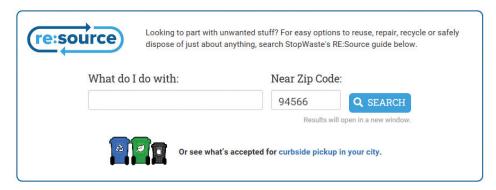
Have you had extra time around the house to start going through the cabinets in the house and garage to get rid of old items

you don't need anymore? Here are some tips to help you find where to safely and effectively dispose of certain items. Clothes, shoes and leather goods can be dropped off in a Clothes Donation box located conveniently all over town and most thrift stores take old clothes and shoes. For your convenience, there is a textile bin for clothes and leather goods at the PGS Transfer station. These programs benefit many people so you can feel good about the extra effort.

The absolute best place to find out where any item you can imagine can be disposed of is StopWaste.org, or if the internet isn't handy you can call them at 510-891-6550. You can find drop off places for electronics, household hazardous waste, fluorescent bulbs and a vast amount of other items. StopWaste has done a terrific job creating a



search engine called "re:source" that you can enter the name of your item and your zip code to find the best alternatives.



Livermore HHW Drop Off Facility is Open

Livermore HHW Facility

COVID-19 Rules for HHW Drop-off

All of the HHW Facilities are open during the Stay Home Order announced Dec 3, 2020. For your safety and the safety of our staff, please observe the following rules while dropping off your household hazardous waste:



Stay in your vehicle.

It is state law and part of our COVID-19 protection plan. Items must be in an unlocked trunk or back cargo space. Staff will not open passenger doors or enter vehicle cabin.



Face masks are mandatory.

The driver and all passengers must wear a mask during HHW drop-off.



Have your driver's license ready.

We will scan your license to verify Alameda County residency.



For Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) like batteries, fluorescent bulbs, old cell phones, paints and thinners, pesticides and basically any container that is labeled with words such as "danger," "warning," "caution," "poisonous" and



"flammable" can mean a product is toxic. These products may not be put into a trash cart, they must be taken to an HHW facility. The Livermore HHW facility is open during the pandemic but an appointment is required. It is very convenient to make an appointment on the StopWaste website, go to https://www.stopwaste.org/at-home/household-hazardous-waste to find maps to the facilities and make appointments. Or you can call 800-606-6606 and staff will assist you.

