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Pleasanton Garbage Service Inc.

Residential News

Proper Cart Spacing

Please leave at least 3 feet between each cart and between other objects so that PGS automated trucks can properly service your carts. Carts should be facing the street and out at the curb by 6 a.m. on your service day. Remember to pull your carts back in within 24 hours.



Word Search: What goes into your recycling bin?

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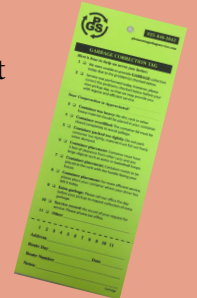
- newspaper
- cardboard
- junk mail
- magazines
- egg cartons
- plastic bottles
- aluminum
- tin cans
- aerosol cans
- pie tins
- beverage glass
- paper bags
- egg cartons

Annual Route Reviews

Notice someone in a neon safety vest rummaging through your waste bins? It could be PGS staff conducting a required annual inspection of trash, recycling, and food/green waste.



SB 1383 requires that we periodically inspect customer carts and bins. During our inspections we will evaluate containers for misplaced items and leave a "Service" tag with information about what went wrong and needs corrective action.



An annual random selection of 2% of Pleasanton carts and bins will be subjected to inspection. The goal is to track how well the city is keeping unnecessary items out of the landfill and contaminates out of the recycling and food/green waste carts, as well as providing education to residents on how to improve their disposal.

For more information please contact PGS at 925-846-2042 or info@pleasantongarbage.com.

Pleasanton's Reuse Trailer

Do you have furniture or other items that are in good condition that you would like to donate rather than throw away?

Visit the Reuse Trailer at the Pleasanton Transfer Station. See the gate attendant and let them know that you have reusable item(s) and they will direct you. Items in the Reuse Trailer are looking for a new home so if you see something you like feel free to take it at no charge.

Items okay to donate:

- Bikes
- Bed Frames
- Working Small Appliances
- Sporting Goods
- Art
- Furniture

Please NO:

- Clothes
- Bedding
- Pillows
- Tires
- Liquids of any kind

Household Hazardous

Waste Disposal

Alameda County offers many hazardous and/or universal waste drop off options. For information about local disposal options visit StopWaste.org/at-home/household-hazardous-waste or call 800-606-6606.

Three Free Services

PGS offers the following free services for single-family residents. Used oil, battery, and cell phone collection is available each week and bulky item(s) pickup can be scheduled up to 3 times per year.

Used Motor Oil and Oil Filter Recycling

Residents may now recycle their used motor oil and filters.

PGS will provide a special heavy duty oil jug and filter bag. **Only PGS provided jugs and bags will be collected.**



Call PGS at 925-846-2042 to request your free Used Oil Recovery Kit.

Place your used motor oil jug and filter bag at the curb next to your cart on your collection day. Make sure the jug and bag are properly sealed and clearly visible from the street. PGS will collect and leave you a replacement kit.

Single Family Household Batteries & Cell Phones Collection

Single Family Residential customers may recycle their household batteries and cell phones by placing them in a sealed heavy duty zip type plastic bag. **Place the sealed plastic bag ON TOP of your recycling cart on your regular collection day.**



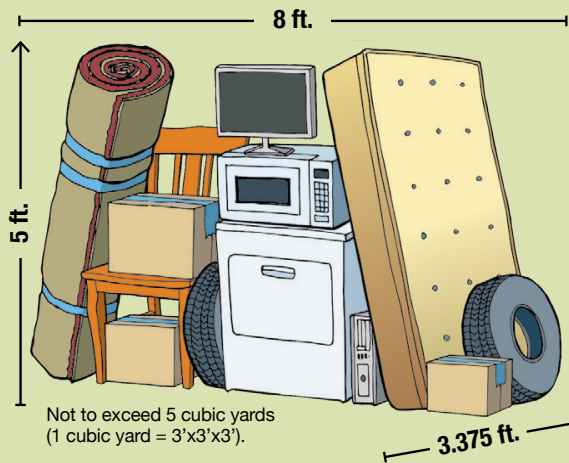
Only household batteries are acceptable. If unacceptable batteries are placed in the battery collection bag the entire contents of bag will be left behind. **No Lithium-Ion batteries** which are typically found in home electronics such as laptops and tablets are accepted.

Bulky Items Clean Up

Pleasanton Garbage Service offers bulky items clean up to single-family residential customers up to 3 times a year. Contact us for information regarding bulky items clean up in your service area at info@pleasantongarbage.com or 925-846-2042, Monday-Friday. On-call collection service will be provided within seven business days of request, unless otherwise requested by the customer. **Accepted Materials** Furniture, Carpets, Mattresses, Tires, White Goods, Brown Goods, E-Waste

PREPARING YOUR PICKUP

Place bulky items at the curb – Do not block sidewalk or impede traffic.



Material must be at curb by 6 a.m., do not set materials out more than 24 hours in advance. Small items must be bagged, boxed or bundled in disposable containers. Yard clippings must be bundled and tied, boxed or bagged.

Items Not Accepted

- Do NOT use garbage, recycling or organic carts
- No dirt, rock, concrete or hazardous materials
- No paint or liquids
- No items over 75 pounds except furniture and appliances
- No plate glass
- Set-Outs exceeding 5 cubic yards (an additional fee may apply)



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