

City of San Leandro

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Alameda County Industries

We are proud to be your service provider for **Recyclables Organics & Garbage**.

Help Us Provide Safe, Clean & Efficient Service

Follow these tips:

Cardboard Boxes: Put small boxes directly into your blue **Recyclables** cart. Large or multiple pieces must be flattened, bundled with twine, and set next to your blue cart.

Extra Garbage & Recyclables: Do not overload your carts. Lids must fully close. Contain overflow recyclables in paper bags next to your blue cart. Overflow garbage will only be collected when a prepaid tag is affixed to the additional bag(s). Contact ACI for extra garbage tags.

Food Waste: Place food scraps, food-soiled paper and waxed paper in the green **Organics** cart.

Shredded Paper: Contain in a paper bag or box and secure with a staple or tape. Place in your blue **Recyclables** cart.

Packaging Peanuts: Contain peanuts in a sealed bag or box. Place in your gray Garbage cart or donate to a mailing store. **Do not** place in the blue **Recyclables** cart.

Plastic Bags: Put bags in your gray **Garbage** cart. Avoid single-use disposable bags whenever possible. Invest in reusable bags.

Household Batteries: Put alkaline and lithium batteries in a clear, zipper-lock style bag on top of (not inside) your blue **Recyclables** cart. Please tape positive terminals.

E-Waste & Water-Based Paint: Arrange to have these items collected through ACI's On Call Clean Up Program. Call **510-357-7282** or visit **AlamedaCountyIndustries.com** for details. You may take also e-waste to an Alameda County Household Hazardous Waste Facility for drop-off. Call **800-606-6606** or visit **www.Stopwaste.org/hhw** for more information.

Medicines & Sharps: should never be put in the garbage or flushed down the drain.

- Needles & Other Sharps Package in FDA approved sharps containers made with puncture and leak-resistant plastic.
- **Pills** Pour into zipper-lock style bags (it protects your privacy and lowers disposal costs). It's ok to mix all your pills in one bag.
- Liquids & Creams Leave in their original container & secure caps/lids, black out any personal identifying information and place in a zipper-lock style bag.
- Controlled Substances Include: narcotic pain medications, sleeping pills, ADD/ADHD drugs, antidepressants and cough syrups with Codeine. HHW facilities and many other drop off locations CANNOT ACCEPT CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES. These items can be taken to the self-service drop box in lobby at: Alameda County Sheriff's Eden Township Substation, 15001 Foothill Blvd., San Leandro

PLEASE NOTE: Prescription medication is no longer accepted at the Oakland, Livermore, and Hayward HHW drop-off facilities. Prescription medication is accepted at the Fremont HHW drop-off facility and at over 70 drug stores, hospitals, and law enforcement sites throughout the County. For more information and a list of drop-off locations, visit: www.stopwaste.org/recycling/residents/household-hazardous-waste/medicine.













