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Residential News

Proudly Serving the Alameda Community and Aiming for Zero Waste!

Thank You for Helping us Provide Safe, Clean, and Efficient Service

- Be sure your carts are at the curb and facing the street by 6 am on your collection day. Log into your account or contact us to find out when we service your area.



- Leave the carts at the curb until we've emptied them.
Our trucks may arrive at different times each week.
 - Overflow garbage will only be collected if you have affixed a pre-paid tag to your trash bag. Call ACI to purchase tags or to arrange for additional service.
 - Carts need to be placed with space between them so that the automated truck arm can service them properly.
If possible, try to leave three feet between each cart.
 - Do not place carts close to parked cars, fire hydrants, low-hanging branches, parking meters, utility poles, and other obstacles.
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- Do not overload your carts. The lids should close completely.
 - Do not wedge or compact materials into your carts. Doing so will prevent your cart from being fully emptied when serviced.



Service Provided on Labor Day

There are no changes to the collection schedule during the week of Labor Day.



Reduce Waste by Stopping Unwanted Mail

Junk mail is a huge waste of our natural resources. Do your part and stop it for good:

- remove your address from direct mail registries
www.directmail.com/mail_preference/



- discontinue unwanted catalogs at
www.catalogchoice.org



- prevent automatic phonebook deliveries at
www.yellowpagesoptout.com



For More Reduction Tips

Visit **www.stopwaste.org/at-home/reduce-and-re-use**

Recyclables Contamination Alert!

The following items do not belong in the **recyclables** collection containers, these items belong in the garbage:

- chip & snack packaging
- plastic wrap, bags, & film
- crockery, dishware, & Pyrex®
- CDs & VHS tapes
- plastic plates, cups, & cutlery
- Styrofoam® blocks, cups, & peanuts
- diapers, wet wipes, & personal hygiene items
- gloves, masks, & soiled paper used for cleaning
- pet waste & cat litter

These items belong in the **organics**:

- food scraps & food-soiled paper: plates, cups, towels, & napkins

Proper Sorting Makes a Difference

Items that are not recyclable cause contamination, can damage sorting machinery, injure employees, and make it so recyclables end up in a landfill.

When in doubt contact us or visit our website with any questions. **We thank you for your efforts.**



Hazardous Waste Does Not Belong in Any ACI Carts or Bins

The County Household Hazardous Waste Facility accepts sharps, batteries, medications, CFLs, pesticides, toxic cleaners, and other hazardous waste.

Visit stopwaste.org/hhw or call **800-606-6606** for more information.

Sharps: deliver to an Alameda County Household Hazardous Waste facility.

Household batteries: can either be dropped off during office hours at the ACI office **2307 Blanding Avenue, Suite B, Alameda, CA 94501** or packaged in a sealed, clear plastic bag and placed on top of the recyclable materials cart (no car batteries allowed).

City of Alameda Summer Events Schedule

Please check the Alameda Parks and Recreation Department (APRD) website www.alamedaca.gov/departments/recreation-parks/summer for schedules, information, guidelines, the virtual recreation center, and more. APRD programs follow all Alameda County Health protocols. This includes masks, hand washing, facility cleaning, and small groups.



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reuse, recycle, rot,
& donate**



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