



Fall 2024



# BURRTEC NEWS

## WASTE AND RECYCLING NEWSLETTER

Sponsored by Burrtec Waste Industries for City of Rialto Residents

### Community Clean-Up Day Activities

Rialto Residents Only (Proof of Residency Required)

October 26, 2024 • 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

**Document Shredding (150 S. Palm Ave)** – Protect your identity. Shred your personal documents for free. The shredding truck will be on site from **8 a.m. to 2 p.m.** or until the truck is full.

**Electronic Waste (150 S. Palm Ave)** – Bring your televisions, microwaves, computers, monitors and other electronics.

**Usable Items (150 S. Palm Ave)** – The Salvation Army will be accepting usable household items such as clean clothing, shoes, furniture, sports equipment, etc.

**Free Trash Disposal (150 S. Palm Ave)** – Rialto residents can now dispose of trash, bulky items, and green waste for free. Bring furniture, mattresses, scrap metal, toilets, wood/branches, yard trimmings etc.

**Used Tires (335 W. Rialto Ave)** – Rialto residents can bring up to 9 used tires for free disposal. We will not accept tires from businesses, including semi-trucks.

**Household Hazardous Waste (246 S. Willow)** – Rialto's Household Hazardous Waste Site will accept your used motor oil and filters, paint, household cleaners, pesticides, weed killers, batteries, syringes, fluorescent bulbs, medications and other household chemicals. **We cannot accept explosives, medical waste, abandoned waste, or business waste.** *This site is free to all residents of San Bernardino County.*

Questions? Call (909) 820-2602.

### Windy Day Advisory

Weather conditions cause problems with the collection of trash and recyclables. Containers frequently tip over, causing spillage and materials to get strewn throughout streets and neighborhoods. In an effort to assist in the prevention of these situations, the following are suggestions:

- Bag and tie trash and/or recyclables before placing in barrels – This will make clean-up efforts easier should the barrels blow over.
- Avoid placing trash and/or recycling out on windy days – If possible, do not set your trash or recyclables out for collection on windy days. Bag any excessive trash and recyclables that will not fit in your barrel and Burrtec will collect all accumulated bags along with your containers on your next scheduled collection day.

Thank you for your assistance in keeping your neighborhoods clean.

## WHAT GOES WHERE?

**Black Barrel** is for trash



**Blue Barrel** is for recyclables



**Green Barrel** is for green waste & bagged food waste



**Reminder! Place your bagged food waste in your green barrel!**

**BAG TRASH - DO NOT ADD HAZARDOUS WASTE**

#### BLACK BARREL GUIDE

##### YES

- ✓ Clothing
- ✓ Diapers
- ✓ Dishware
- ✓ Hangers
- ✓ Hoses
- ✓ Flower pots
- ✓ Paper towels
- ✓ Pet waste
- ✓ Pizza boxes
- ✓ Plastic bags
- ✓ Plastic toys
- ✓ Plastic utensils
- ✓ Shrink wrap
- ✓ Soiled paper
- ✓ Straws
- ✓ Wipes

##### NO

- ✗ Batteries
- ✗ Electronic waste
- ✗ Hazardous waste
- ✗ Hot ashes
- ✗ Infectious waste
- ✗ Flammables
- ✗ Fluorescent bulbs
- ✗ Machinery
- ✗ Paint
- ✗ Pesticides
- ✗ Oil
- ✗ Sharps
- ✗ Tires

**DO NOT BAG RECYCLABLES**

#### BLUE BARREL GUIDE

##### YES

- ✓ Aerosol cans
- ✓ Aluminum cans
- ✓ Cardboard
- ✓ Cartons
- ✓ Computer paper
- ✓ Envelopes
- ✓ Glass bottles & jars
- ✓ Junk mail
- ✓ Magazines
- ✓ Newspaper
- ✓ Paper
- ✓ #1 - #7 Plastics
- ✓ Tin cans
- ✓ Tissue boxes
- ✓ Wrapping paper

##### NO

- ✗ Bubble wrap
- ✗ Carpet
- ✗ Clothing
- ✗ Dishware
- ✗ Electronic waste
- ✗ Furniture
- ✗ Fluorescent bulbs
- ✗ Hoses
- ✗ Mirrors
- ✗ Pet food bags
- ✗ Pizza boxes
- ✗ Plastic play pools
- ✗ Plastic toys
- ✗ Stuffed animals

**BAG FOOD WASTE - DO NOT BAG GREEN WASTE**

#### GREEN BARREL GUIDE

##### YES

- ✓ Bagged food waste including food soiled paper
- ✓ Birds of Paradise
- ✓ Brush
- ✓ Dead plants
- ✓ Flowers
- ✓ Grass clippings
- ✓ Leaves
- ✓ Prunings
- ✓ Shrub trimmings
- ✓ Small branches
- ✓ Twigs
- ✓ Untreated wood
- ✓ Weeds

##### NO

- ✗ Animal waste
- ✗ Batteries
- ✗ Cactus
- ✗ Concrete
- ✗ Dirt
- ✗ Electronic waste
- ✗ Flammables
- ✗ Glass
- ✗ Hazardous waste
- ✗ Liquids
- ✗ Metal
- ✗ Plastic
- ✗ Rocks

## Contact Information

**Burrtec Waste Industries**  
1850 Agua Mansa Road  
Jurupa Valley, CA 92509

**Automated Payment Service**  
(888) 298-5161

**Customer Service**  
(909) 877-1596

**Hours of Operation**  
Monday-Friday  
8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

**Website**  
Burrtec.com

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## Holiday Schedule

Please note that services are interrupted on the following holidays:

- Memorial Day
- Independence Day
- Labor Day
- Thanksgiving Day
- Christmas Day
- New Year's Day

*When the holiday falls on a weekday, collections for the remainder of the week will be delayed by one day. There is no service interruption or delay when the holiday falls on a Saturday or Sunday.*

## Appliance Bulky Item Pick Up IMPORTANT INFORMATION

The proper way to dispose of refrigerators and certain appliances involves either taping the door shut or completely removing the door or the latching mechanism before placing the bulky item out for pick up.

**Before disposing of large appliances, tape doors or remove doors and/or hinges on all large appliances to prevent entrance and entrapment by small children.**



## Temporary Containers for Special Clean-Ups Available



Burrtec offers large and small containers for residential clean-ups and special projects. Containers are available for seven-day rentals and include delivery and removal. All unwanted materials can be placed directly into the container with the exception of hazardous waste, tires or large amounts of dirt, rock, concrete or asphalt. Please call our Customer Service Department to order one today!

## Rialto Household Hazardous Waste Site

246 S. Willow Ave., Rialto (Behind the City's Maintenance Office)

The HHW collection site will be open from 8 a.m. to 12 noon on the following dates:

- **October 11, 12, 25, 26**
- **November 8, 9, 22, 23**
- **December 6, 7, 20, 21**

The site accepts paint, pool chemicals, used motor oil and filters, household cleaners, fertilizers, old medications, pesticides, fluorescent lights, syringes, and batteries. The site cannot accept business waste, explosives, or medical waste.

The site provides **free containers** for used oil, and drained, used oil filters. Just ask the site staff.

**If you have questions on this program, call (909) 820-2602.**  
<https://www.yourrialto.com/336/Solid-Waste-Management>

## Important Phone Numbers

Burrtec Waste .....	(909) 877-1596
Recycling/Trash Service Info	
Rialto Waste Management .....	(909) 820-2602
Household Hazardous Waste Hours	
Community Clean-Up Day Information	
Composting	
Sharps Disposal	
Rialto Code Enforcement .....	(909) 820-2636
Rialto Fire.....	(909) 820-2501
Weed Abatement	
Mid-Valley Landfill Info.....	(909) 386-8701
CA Recycling Info .....	1-800-CLEAN-UP
CA Redemption Center Info .....	1-800-732-9253
Co. Household Haz. Waste .....	1-800-645-9228
Commercial Hazardous Waste	
Waste Exchange Program	
SB Co. Environmental Health .....	(909) 884-4056
Pest Control	

**Did You Know?**



**There have been 9.7 million mattresses collected for recycling!**

Source: [CalRecycle.ca.gov](http://CalRecycle.ca.gov)