



# Summer 2024

## BURRTEC NEWS

### WASTE AND RECYCLING NEWSLETTER

Sponsored by Burrtec Waste Industries for the City of Upland Residents

#### City of Upland

##### Household Hazardous Waste

(909) 291-2967

##### Water Waste Hotline

(909) 291-2999

##### Website

Uplandca.gov

#### Burrtec Waste Industries

##### Hours of Operation

Monday-Friday  
8:00 am to 5:00 pm

##### Follow us on



##### Customer Service

(909) 949-0500

##### Automated Payment Service

(888) 298-5161

##### Website

Burrtec.com/city/service-location/upland

### How to Collect Food Waste at Home

- Collect-** Begin collecting food waste separate from your other trash and recycling. This includes: fruits, vegetables, meats, seafood, bread, dairy, eggshells, coffee, plate scrapings, peels, rinds, food soiled paper, and expired food.
- Add & Secure-** Add food waste to its own separate plastic-lined container. Store it in a convenient place, such as on your countertop, in your refrigerator or under your sink. Secure your plastic bag by tying it off. Remember, bags do not have to be compostable or biodegradable. They can be any color. We encourage you to re-use bags you may already have such as bread bags and produce bags.
- Discard-** Place your bagged food waste into your green barrel, along with your green waste. Continue using your green waste barrel as usual. Remember, food waste no longer belongs in your trash barrel.



### Reminder:

### Food Waste Collection

Bag food scraps and waste food.



Place bagged food waste inside your green waste barrel.



- ✓ Bread
- ✓ Dairy
- ✓ Fish
- ✓ Food soiled paper
- ✓ Food waste and scraps
- ✓ Fruit
- ✓ Meat
- ✓ Moldy or spoiled food
- ✓ Vegetables

### Upland Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) Facility

Public Works, 1370 N. Benson Ave. Upland, CA 91786

Open every Saturday from 7:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. (except holidays & during inclement weather)

Accepted items: auto and household batteries, antifreeze, used motor oil, oil filters, cooking oil, electronic waste, fire extinguishers, fluorescent tubes, gasoline, household cleaners, mercury thermostats, needles/sharps in approved container, outdated medications, paints, paint products, and pool chemicals.

Transportation limit of 15 gallons or 125 lbs. per trip. Business waste is not accepted.

Free sharps containers and used oil containers are available for pick up when the HHW facility is open and at Public Works, 1370 N. Benson Ave., Monday-Thursday from 8:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Visit [www.Uplandca.gov](http://www.Uplandca.gov) or call (909) 291-2967 for more information.



### 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.

## 📢 **Reminder! New Customer Number** 📢

Please remember to reference your **NEW** Customer Number on your future payments. Your New Customer Number can be found at the top right corner of your invoice. Please see the image below.

Customer Number	XXXXXXXXXX
Invoice Number	XXXXXXX
Statement Date	07/01/23
Service Period	July - Aug 2023

**New Customer Number**

**Quick reference  
account and billing  
information.**

### Can't Stand the Smell?

Below are some tips to help you reduce barrel odors:

- Place your green barrels on your lawn and rinse with soap and water to prevent any foods from sticking to the inside.
- Place food waste in a plastic bag before disposing in green organics barrel.
- Place your trash in a plastic garbage bag and make sure that it's securely tied before placing into barrels.

**Good barrel hygiene is the secret to maintaining an odor-free barrel and an easy way to keep away unwanted insects.**



### Food Waste Collection Pails Available

**FREE optional food waste collection pails are now available for pick-up!**

The City of Upland and Burrtec Waste Industries are offering FREE optional food waste pails to help you collect and recycle your food waste. You can pick up a pail during regular business hours from the following location (Upland residents only, one per household):

**Upland City Yard**  
**1370 N Benson Ave.**  
**Monday - Thursday: 8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.**

### TURN YOUR SPOILS INTO SOIL

*Free Composting Workshop for Upland Residents*  
**Learn how to create your own compost at home!**

**Saturday, August 10th**  
**9:00 am – 11:00 am**  
**Carnegie Library**  
**123 D. St., Upland, CA 91786**

RSVP is Required:

Please contact (909) 291-2967 to RSVP or more information

\*Free 95 Gallon Compost Bin Limited to First 40 Registered Attendees. One Compost Bin per Household.



### Community Bulky Item Disposal & Shred Event

**Bring your bulky items for free disposal and paper  
for shredding. Upland residents only.**

**Saturday, July 13th**  
**9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.**  
**Memorial Park**

#### ✓ **Accepted items:**

Appliances, large toys, metal, bulky items (sofas, mattresses, furniture, etc.), paper, up to 4 tires per household.

#### ✗ **Not accepted:**

Tires, loose or hard-to-handle material, hazardous waste material, dirt, rock, concrete, or construction waste, binders, x-rays.