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January - March 2016

Happy New Year!

As a reminder, we will gladly collect and recycle natural Christmas trees. Simply remove decorations and stands, cut trees into 4-foot sections and place at the curb on your regular collection day.

Gate Locks

<u>Walk-In & Estate service customers please note:</u> If you subscribe to either our Walk-In or Estate service and our crews must open a lockbox or combination lock to access your waste storage area, please inspect the lock or arrange to have it inspected by your property manager to ensure that it is functioning properly. Our collectors have been encountering rusted and broken locks that prevent them from entering properties to perform service.

Do I need to Call?



Probably not. Walk-In and Estate service customers do not need to call to remind us to return carts to their proper storage location.

To maintain collection vehicle efficiency, we use a "Scout" to precede the truck and bring carts to the curb. After both carts are emptied our Scout will retrace the route and return carts to their proper storage location. There is no need to call for the cart return service.

Of course, if there is something that we can do to improve our service, please do give us a call and share your thoughts. You can also email us at info@palmspringsdisposal.com.

2016 Holidays

We will observe the following five holidays in 2016: New Years Day (Friday, January 1st), Memorial Day (Monday, May 30th), Independence Day (Monday, July 4th), Labor Day (Monday, September 5th), and Thanksgiving Day (Thursday, November 24th).

Collections scheduled for a holiday and the remaining days of that week will occur one day late.

The County Household Hazardous Waste Facility at 1100 Vella Road in Palm Springs (immediately south of the Palm Springs Animal Shelter) will be closed January 2nd and February 13th. Normal hours for the HHW Facility are 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM on all non-holiday Saturdays.

Upcoming Events



February 27, 8:00 A.M., FREE shredding & E-waste event, City Hall, 3200 East Tahquitz Canyon Way; April 16, 8:00 A.M., FREE shredding & E-waste event, City Hall, 3200 East Tahquitz Canyon Way; April 18-22, FREE curbside collection of bulky waste, excess trash and yard waste; April 23, 8:00 A.M., FREE bulky waste drop-off event, City Hall, 3200 East Tahquitz Canyon Way; September, change fees are waived for service changes made during the month of September.

Recyclable Materials

These materials can be placed in your **BLUE CART** to be recycled:

aluminum cans, antifreeze bottles, food jars & bottles, assorted plastics, baby food jars, beer bottles, brochures, cardboard, catalogues, cereal boxes, computer paper, condiment jars, crayon drawings, egg cartons, envelopes, food boxes, fruit & vegetable cans, jam & jelly jars, juice boxes, juice cans, junk mail, metal coat hangers, magazines, mixed paper, milk cartons, newspapers, pet food cans, plastic grocery bags, plastic laundry jugs, plastic soda bottles, shampoo/lotion bottles, soda & beer cartons, soda cans, styrofoam, telephone books, tissue boxes, toilet paper & paper towel tubes, wine & liquor bottles, wrapping paper. the list keeps growing.

Community Clean-Up Event

The next curbside collection event will start Monday, April 18th, followed by a Drop-Off event at City Hall on April 23rd. If these events are not convenient, we rent bins for small projects and debris boxes for large projects.

Selling Your Home?

If you are selling your home, please remember to cancel your auto pay arrangement online or by calling our office.