

4690 East Mesquite Avenue P.O. Box 2711 Palm Springs, CA 92263

October - December 2016

Busy Calendar

Be sure to check out the event calendar on the reverse side. There is a lot happening.

Recycling Highlights

Subscribers to **Walk-In and Estate** services are reminded that if you utilize a lock box or combination lock to inspect gate locks to make sure that they are working properly. Broken or inoperable locks prevent our collectors from gaining entry to perform collection services.

Document Shredding & E-Waste Event

A free document shredding and E-Waste recycling event begins at **8 A.M. on October 15th** in the City Hall parking lot, 3200 E. Tahquitz Canyon Way.

Documents are limited to 3 containers per vehicle, per day (container size: 9" x 13" x 17").

Electronic equipment (computers, monitors, microwaves, keyboards, printers, cell phones, fax machines and batteries AAA, AA, C, D, button, 9-volt & rechargeables) will be collected and dismantled & recycled.

Tires, household hazardous waste, appliances, trash, car batteries and air conditioning or heating units WILL NOT be accepted.

Selling Your Home?

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

Auto-Pay

Online registration and online bill pay are available 24/7.

If you are selling your home, please remember to cancel your auto-pay arrangement online at www.palmspringsdisposal.com.

Upcoming Events

- ~October is Climate Action Month
- ~October 1, Palm Springs Household Hazardous Waste Facility hours, 9 A.M. 2 P.M.
- ~October 15, 8 A.M., FREE shredding & E-waste event, City Hall parking lot
- ~October 17-22, FREE City-wide curbside clean-up event, City Hall
- ~October 18, Sustainability Commission meeting, 5 P.M., City Hall Large Conf. Room
- ~November is Recycling Month
- ~November 11, 3:30 P.M., Palm Springs Veteran's Day Parade, Downtown
- ~November 15, Sustainability Commission meeting, 5 PM, City Hall Large Conf. Room



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

<u>Curbside</u>. The Fall, 2016 curbside collection event will start Monday, October 17th (for single-family residents ONLY). You do not need to contact us to arrange a collection. Place up to two bulky items OR four containers of excess trash OR two bundles of yard waste at the curb <u>by 6:00 A.M., Monday, October 17th</u>. Our crews will make one pass through the City during the week collecting these items. This is a FREE event.

Drop Off. If you prefer to drop off bulky items or trash, you may drop off waste at the Palm Springs City Hall parking lot, 3200 E. Tahquitz Canyon Way. Drop-offs will be accepted on Saturday, October 22nd ONLY, 8 A.M. to 2 P.M. Waste from commercial landscapers and contractors is not accepted. This is a FREE event for P.S. residents.

Rental. If these events are not convenient, we rent bins for small projects and debris boxes for large projects.

In Her Own Words

Gabby is our Operator & Customer Service Representative and has been a reliable member of our team for over eleven years.

"I enjoy working at PSDS because of the family atmosphere."

"At the end of the day, I feel a sense of accomplishment when all calls are returned in time."

"To me, excellent customer service means having a positive attitude with everyone."