

# SAN CLEMENTE

ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES GUIDE



## IT'S THE LAW! BUSINESS RECYCLING

THESE ITEMS ARE RECYCLABLE AND SHOULD BE PLACED IN YOUR WHITE RECYCLING BIN OR RECYCLE CART.

### PAPER

- Shredded-color-white [Glossy Ok]
- Magazines
- Phone Books
- Soft Bound Books
- Hard Bound Books [No Cover]
- Junk Mail
- Newspaper
- Envelopes [Windows Ok]
- File Folders [No Metal]
- Cardboard [Flattened]
- Paper Food Boxes [Cereal, Soda, Cracker, Pizza Boxes]
- Milk or Juice Cartons



### METAL

- Aluminum Cans & Foil
- Tin Food Cans
- Empty Paint Cans
- Empty Aerosol Cans



### GLASS

- Bottles and Jars



### PLASTICS

- Most Plastics Labeled



[no styrofoam]



## other services

### BULKY ITEMS, ELECTRONIC WASTE, & WHITE GOODS

Items that cannot properly fit in your container, such as a chair or desk, are considered bulky items and require a special pick up. Electronic waste [e-Waste] is anything with a circuit board or battery, such as computers, telephones and small printers. White goods [e.g. refrigerators, freezers] and electronic waste cannot be disposed of in your container. CR&R will collect and properly recycle these items. For pricing, please call customer service.

### HAZARDOUS WASTE

Hazardous Wastes are products that are flammable, corrosive, reactive or toxic. They are dangerous to the public and the environment. It is illegal to dispose of hazardous wastes in your CR&R containers. Hazardous wastes must be disposed of properly. For further information about the disposal of hazardous waste, please visit [oclandfills.com](http://oclandfills.com).

### CONTAINER SIZES

CART SIZES	WASTE CART	RECYCLE CART
64 GALLON		
96 GALLON		OR 

BIN SIZES	RECYCLE BIN	WASTE BIN
3 YARD		
4 YARD		
2 YARD		



Lower your carbon footprint everyday by recycling.

 **CUSTOMER SERVICE** 877.728.0446

Monday - Friday 8:00 am to 5:00 pm  
Saturday 8:00 am to 12:00 noon

[crrwasteservices.com](http://crrwasteservices.com)

### HOLIDAY SCHEDULE OF NON-COLLECTION DAYS

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

If the Holiday falls during the week, collection services for the remainder of that week may be postponed by one day.



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### SAVINGS

Recycling is not only good for the environment, it can be great for your bottom line too! By exchanging a trash container with a recycle container, your monthly bill may be significantly reduced. Let us show you how to better manage your waste stream and put money back in your business and not in your trash container.

### GETTING STARTED

CR&R will work with your business to determine the types of materials you generate and structure a program using the space you have available in and around your office for collection.

### TRAINING / ASSISTANCE

Once your business decides to implement a program, CR&R's Sustainability Specialist will assist in the training of your employees. We'll provide educational materials explaining the program in depth. One of the keys to a successful program is education, from the executive management to the janitorial staff.

### CUSTOMIZED PROGRAMS

CR&R offers waste audits for businesses seeking to improve their current recycling and waste programs. A CR&R Sustainability Specialist will evaluate your waste stream from the inside out to achieve the most successful recycling program possible. For additional information, please call customer service.



## RECYCLING LEGISLATION

**Assembly Bill 939** [AB 939] required jurisdictions to meet diversion goals of 25% by 1995 and 50% by the year 2000 resulting in the implementation of:

- Drop-off recycling programs
- Curbside recycling
- Commercial recycling
- Construction and demolition recycling

**Assembly Bill 341** [AB 341] requires all jurisdictions to meet the diversion goal of 75% by 2020 resulting in businesses who generate 4 or more cubic yards of waste to either:

- Participate in a recycling program with their local waste hauler.
- Donate, sell and/or self-haul materials to a recycling facility.

Information about California's business recycling requirements is available from the California Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery [CalRecycle] at <http://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/recycle/commercial/>.

**Assembly Bill 1826** [AB 1826] requires businesses to separate their food scraps and green waste for recycling. AB 1826 builds on the success of the mandatory commercial recycling program established by AB 341. All businesses with 4 or more yards of solid waste per week must either:

- Participate in a recycling program with their local waste hauler
- Donate, sell and/or self haul materials to an organic recycling facility
- Compost organic materials

Information about organic waste recycling requirements is available from the California Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery [CalRecycle] at <http://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/recycle/commercial/organics/>.

## FOOD SCRAP RECYCLING

Recycling your organics gives you the opportunity to comply with state law, reduce environmental impacts of landfills, reduce greenhouse gases, create jobs, and help sustain California's agriculture industry. CR&R is transporting your organic material to its facility in Perris, CA where the material is converted into fertilizer and renewable natural gas to fuel its collection fleet.

CR&R's Food Scrap Recycling collection service allows the following items to be placed in the food scrap cart: Fruit, meat, dairy, and compostable bags.



### Have excess food to donate?

If you are interested in donating prepared or nonperishable food, contact CR&R's Food Rescue Partner: Waste Not OC Coalition at [www.wastenotoc.org](http://www.wastenotoc.org).



## RECYCLE PROGRAMS

**1 MIXED RECYCLING**  
This program recycles materials such as: cardboard, mixed paper, plastic, aluminum and glass bottles. They may be mixed together and placed in a recycling bin.

**2 SOURCE SEPARATED RECYCLING**  
Your business may generate a large amount of one type of recyclable material, such as cardboard. CR&R can help you determine the best container for your needs based on the quantity and type of material.

**3 CONSTRUCTION AND DEMOLITION**  
With construction and demolition [C&D] debris making up a large percentage of all material entering California landfills, CR&R can help you to divert as much as possible through a combination of source separation and mixed processing. Prior to starting your project, contact CR&R to find out what options will work best for your site. Planning ahead will assist you in diverting as much material as possible, as cost effectively as possible.

**4 LEED PROGRAM**  
LEED, or Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design, is an internationally recognized green building certification system. CR&R is prepared to help you meet your construction based LEED goals. We are flexible enough to work with you on all building types—commercial as well as residential.

### Did you know...

California produces nearly half of the nation's fruits and vegetables, yet **1 in 7 Californians currently struggle with food insecurity?** "Food Insecurity" is the occasional or constant lack of access to the food one needs for a healthy, active life. CR&R is supporting efforts to keep edible food out of the recycle stream.