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# IT'S THE LAW! BUSINESS RECYCLING

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

### PAPER

- Magazines
- Phone Books
- Newspaper
- Junk Mail
- Cardboard [Flattened]
- Milk or Juice Cartons

### METAL

- Aluminum Cans
- Tin Cans

### GLASS

- Bottles and Jars

### PLASTICS

- Drink Bottles
- Detergent Containers
- Plastic Toys
- Milk Containers

### NO

- Styrofoam
- Organics (Food or Green Waste)
- Hazardous Waste
- Batteries or Electronics
- Liquids



## 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 - BATTERY DISPOSAL

Hazardous wastes are products that are flammable, corrosive, reactive, or toxic. This includes batteries of all types, as they are considered hazardous waste in California when they are discarded. Therefore, it is illegal to dispose of them in regular trash or recycling; so don't place them in CR&R containers. This includes batteries of all types and sizes Alkaline (AAA, AA, C, D, 9 Volt), Lithium (button cell, power tool batteries, camera batteries, other electronics), Ni Cad (power tools), and other battery types both rechargeable and single use. Batteries must be taken to one of the following:

- recycling center, or
- household hazardous waste disposal facility, or
- universal waste handler, or
- local retailer (Home Depot, Lowes, Best Buy, Staples, Ikea, etc.)

Why is this important? When lithium batteries are improperly disposed of they can cause fires in recycling centers, landfills, and garbage and recycling trucks.

For additional information visit <https://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/reducewaste/batteries> or [rcwaste.org](http://rcwaste.org).

### TEMPORARY COLLECTIONS

Larger waste collection containers (from 3 cubic yards to 40 cubic yards) are available for clean-up projects and other disposal needs.



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 Perris, CA 92572

Lower your carbon footprint everyday by recycling.



**CUSTOMER SERVICE 800.755.8112**

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

[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 good for your bottom line too! CR&R provides recycling bins at a reduced charge. By exchanging a trash bin with a recycle bin, 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 bin.

**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 can assist in the training of your employees. One of the keys to a successful program is education; from your executive management to your 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.

**COLLECTION CONTAINERS**



\*Container and container sizes may vary depending on your area.

**CALIFORNIA RECYCLING LEGISLATION**

**Assembly Bill 939** [AB 939] required jurisdictions to meet a diversion mandate of 25% by 1995 and 50% by the year 2000.

**Assembly Bill 341** [AB 341] requires all jurisdictions to meet the diversion goal of 75% by 2020 resulting in businesses that 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 CalRecycle at <https://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 2 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 CalRecycle at <https://calrecycle.ca.gov/recycle/commercial/organics>.

**Senate Bill 1383** [SB 1383] In September 2016, Governor Brown signed SB 1383 establishing methane emissions reduction targets in a statewide effort to improve air quality. In accordance with this law, all local jurisdictions must provide organic waste collection services to all residential and commercial generators by January 1, 2022, in order to divert this material from local landfills. Organic waste includes food scraps and green waste such as landscape and pruning waste.

**Assembly Bill 827** [AB 827] requires businesses to provide customers with public-facing recycling and organics recycling collection bins to collect recycling material generated from products purchased on the premises. The bins or containers must be visible, easily accessible, and clearly marked with signage indicating appropriate recyclable material. Information about AB 827 is available at <https://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/recycle/commercial/organics/faq>.

**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.



**FOOD SCRAP RECYCLING**

Returning organic materials to the soil drastically reduces the environmental impacts of landfills, reduces greenhouse gases, creates jobs, and helps sustain California's agricultural industry.

Due to state regulations, the city requires CR&R to provide Food Scrap Recycling collection service to businesses. Items that can be placed in a Food Scrap container include: Food preparation scraps, table scraps, food soiled paper, plants, flowers, coffee grounds, and much more. To obtain additional information or subscribe to recycling service call CR&R Environmental Services and ask to speak with a Sustainability Specialist for your area.



**Have excess food to donate?**

If you are interested in donating prepared or nonperishable food, contact the Riverside County Department of Environmental Health at <https://www.rivcoeh.org/OurServices/Foods/FoodDonations> or call (888) 722-4234.

**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 and waste streams.