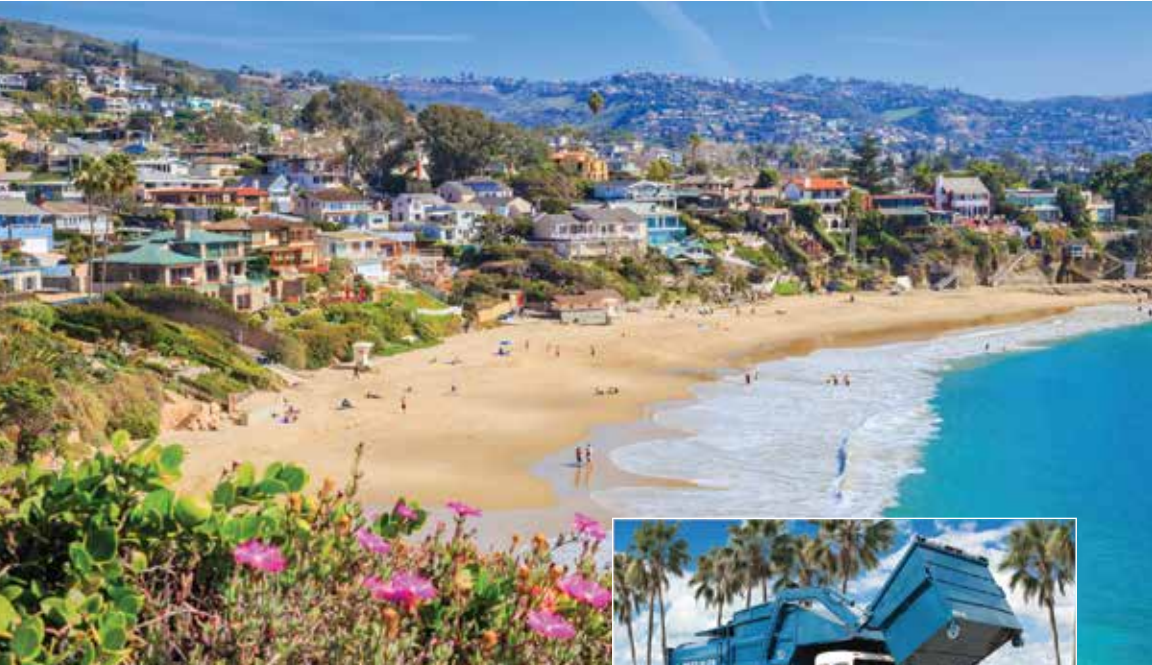




City of Laguna Beach

Multi-Family Recycling Guide



Please keep this guide
as a reference for

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California Waste and Recycling Laws

SB 1383 requires all multi-family properties to reduce their organic waste disposed in landfills. SB 1383 promotes organic recycling, and lowering contamination levels in all waste streams. Organic waste, such as food scraps and yard trimmings, contribute to greenhouse gas emissions when anaerobically decomposed in landfills.



CR&R will collect your organic waste and transport it to one of its composting facilities. At this facility, the organic material is converted into compost.

Multi-Family Cart and Bin Service Options

Multi-Family properties in Laguna Beach may elect to a customized waste and recycling program utilizing carts or bins that best suit their properties needs. Visit www.lagunabeachcity.net/recycling to view the services and associated rates available for multi-family properties.

Kitchen Food Scrap Pail

Place food scraps, such as leftovers and stale or spoiled food, into your pail. Line your pail with a BPI-certified compostable bag to help keep it clean and odorless. When the kitchen food scrap pail is full, empty the materials into your organics container for your weekly collection.



To watch a short video on how to recycle your food scraps, please scan the QR code.

For additional information about Senate Bill 1383, service options, or to request a kitchen food scrap pail, please call CR&R's dedicated Laguna Beach Customer Service at **949.662.3819**.



What Goes Where

It is important to properly separate your landfill, recycling, and organic materials. Placing items in the incorrect container results in less material being diverted from our landfills.

Use these guidelines below when sorting your waste and recycling materials:

LANDFILL	RECYCLABLES	ORGANICS
• Bones • Broken Glass • Candy Wrappers • Ceramics • Chip Bags • Clothing • Coffee Pods/K Cups • Hangers • Mirrors • Mixed Products (i.e. Plastic/Metal Combination) • Non-Numbered Plastics • Palm Fronds • Pet Waste/Litter • Plastic Film • Plates, Cups, Towels, and Napkins • Polystyrene 	• Aluminum Foil • Aluminum & Tin Cans • Cardboard (flattened) • Detergent Containers • Empty Aerosol Cans • Glass • Magazines & Junk Mail • Metal • Milk Containers • Paper (Computer, White, Colored, Shredded, Newspaper) • Plastics (Numbers 1 through 7) <i>Plastic bags and baggies are not recyclable. These items should be placed in the landfill cart.</i> 	From The Kitchen • Bread/Grains/Pasta • Coffee Grounds • Dairy/Eggshells • Fats, Oils and Grease • Food Scraps/Leftovers • Food-Soiled Paper/Plates and Cups • Fruits • Meat/Poultry • Seafood/Shellfish • Vegetables From The Yard • Flowers • Grass • Leaves • Prunings • Weeds 

Palm fronds are not allowed in the organics container due to their coarse and wiry material. Hazardous waste is NOT to be disposed of in any CR&R container.

CR&R proudly supports the City of Laguna Beach with their ordinances to ban items that negatively impact the City’s coast and surrounding areas. The following items should always be placed in the black lid landfill cart for proper disposal:

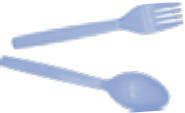
Balloons



Single Use Plastic Bags



Plastic Cutlery



Polystyrene



If you have any questions regarding the ban of items above, please visit www.lagunabeachcity.net/recycling

Multi-Family Special Services

Included in your Service Package

Bulky Item Collection

Items that cannot properly fit in your containers, such as a chair or desk, are considered bulky items and require a special pickup. Multi-family properties are entitled to four (4) bulky item pickups per year. Bulky item pickups may contain a maximum of ten (10) items per collection. Additional pickups can be requested for a fee. To arrange a collection of bulky items, please use our Online Scheduling Service at **www.crrinc.com**, or call CR&R's dedicated Laguna Beach Customer Service at **949.662.3819**.



Acceptable Items Include:

- Sofa beds, couches, tables, chairs, mattresses, box springs, patio furniture, washing machines, dryers, refrigerators, stoves, dishwashers, water heaters, etc.

Non-Acceptable Items Include:

- Construction and demolition material such as wood, asphalt, concrete, automotive parts, batteries, hazardous waste, or liquids are not permitted.

Household Hazardous Waste Collection

Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) is any type of product that requires special handling under environmental law and prohibits disposal in regular waste. If HHW is disposed of in regular waste collection containers, the hazardous waste may ignite a spark, leading to a fire.



Refer to the City's website at **www.lagunabeachcity.net/recycling** for Battery and Compact Fluorescent Lamp (CFL) recycling locations and other ways to safely dispose of HHW.

Textile Recycling Program

CR&R offers convenient textile recycling collection for Laguna Beach residents. In partnership with Goodwill, property owners or property managers may schedule up to two (2) collections per year for their tenants to place out unwanted textiles for pickup.



For additional information, or to schedule special services, please call CR&R's dedicated Laguna Beach Customer Service at 949.662.3819.

Public Education, Outreach, and Training

CR&R offers Laguna Beach property owners, property managers, and tenants an extensive library of educational material to ensure every customer is informed about the industries best recycling practices. Scan the QR code to view CR&R’s educational material and signage. Additionally, CR&R’s dedicated Laguna Beach Sustainability Team is available to conduct on-site training for tenants. For questions regarding available educational materials, or to schedule a complementary waste assessment or training, email CR&R’s dedicated Laguna Beach Sustainability Team at **LagunaBeach-Recycles@crrmail.com**



Additional Cost Services

Multi-Family Wheel Out Services

CR&R staff will collect your containers from your enclosure within a distance of 25’ and put them back after service for no charge. If the containers are further than 25’ away from the collection vehicle, an additional charge may apply.

Multi-Family Scout Services

If your carts or bins are further than 75’ from the collection vehicle, CR&R will collect your containers using a specialized truck. The containers will be serviced and put back in their enclosure for an additional monthly charge.



Temporary Services

CR&R provides temporary services for all clean-up and construction projects, with containers varying in size from 3-yards to 40-yards. In addition, CR&R offers competitive price advantages for customers that choose to separate their construction and demolition debris into different containers. Source separated loads contain one material type throughout the entire load, such as cardboard, metals, paper, or yard waste. All bin and rolloff orders are subject to an assessment for safety and availability.



Non-Containerization

Non-containerization occurs when landfill, recyclable, or organic materials are not placed in a CR&R provided container with the lid fully closed. Non-containerization is prohibited in the City of Laguna Beach. If non-containerization occurs, CR&R will provide two (2) written notices at no charge. Additional notices provided will include a fee per each instance.



For questions regarding container sizing and non-containerization, please contact our dedicated Laguna Beach Sustainability Team at LagunaBeach-Recycles@crrmail.com

Upcoming Events

CR&R is committed to being a part of the Laguna Beach community. CR&R will host the following events for Laguna Beach residents at no additional cost:

Semi-Annual Shred Events

- Residents of Laguna Beach may bring a maximum of ten (10) banker boxes of paper to shred events.



Annual Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) Drop Off Event

- Residents will be able to dispose of HHW at a specified drop off facility once a year.



Semi-Annual Compost Giveaway Events

- CR&R will provide two (2) compost giveaway events per year. Residents are entitled to five (5) bags of complimentary compost per event.



Quarterly Compost Workshops

- CR&R will host quarterly compost workshops where residents have the opportunity to learn the benefits of composting and how to do it at their homes.



For more information on upcoming events, scan the QR code, or visit the City's website.



Where Do Your Materials Go After Collection?

Landfill Material

The waste from your black lid landfill container consists of materials that cannot be recycled or repurposed into something new, so it is taken to one of the landfills in Orange County.



Recyclables

The recyclables from your blue lid recycling cart are processed at CR&R’s Material Recovery Facility (MRF). The recyclables are separated utilizing a process of manual and mechanical sorting.



Organics

The food scraps and yard waste from your green lid organics cart are taken to one of CR&R’s approved compost facilities. At this facility, the materials undergo decomposition, ultimately being transformed into nutrient rich compost.



Holiday Collection Schedule

CR&R observes the following holidays throughout the year:

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| • New Years Day | • Memorial Day | • Independence Day |
| • Labor Day | • Thanksgiving Day | • Christmas Day |



Para ver la Guia de Reciclaje Multifamiliar en español, visite www.lagunabeachcity.net/recycling



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