Mission Trail Waste Systems Los Altos Quarterly **Commercial Newsletter**

Proud to Serve the Los Altos Community

DISPOSAL PRACTICES Stop & Think

What goes where? Sorting properly is critical to keeping recyclable and compostable material out of the landfill. Organic materials, including food scraps, yard trimmings, and soiled paper, should go in your complimentary green compost bin, while clean, dry, unbagged cardboard, paper, glass, metal, and plastics should go in the blue recycling bin. For more information regarding material sorting, please visit https://missiontrail.com/wp-content/ uploads/2021/07/Newsletter-commercial-guide.pdf.

Break it Down

Optimize space in your blue bin and keep recyclables clean and dry. Break down all cardboard boxes and do what you can to save space in your blue bin to ensure it's not overflowing.

Keep Lids Closed

Do your part to keep drivers safe and eliminate litter. Discarded material should be secured in clear bags to prevent materials from blowing onto the street. Make sure all discarded materials fit inside your bin with the lid tightly closed.



UPCOMING EVENTS

MISSION TRAIL



Los Altos Arts & Wine **Festival**

July 13 - July 14 **Downtown Los Altos Main and State Streets**



Home & Vehicle Electrification

Saturday, March 23rd, 1-4pm Los Altos Community Center Parking Lot

Household Hazardous Waste Disposal Event

Sponsored by Santa Clara County & City of Los Altos

Santa Clara County's Household Hazardous Waste Program will host a Recycling and Disposal Event in Los Altos on:



Saturday, April 13, 2024

Waste drop-off by appointment only. Call today! (408) 299-7300. Or schedule online at www.hhw.org.

Recycling items accepted include (but are not limited to):

- Latex/Oil-based Paint Motor Oil/Auto Fluids Garden & Pool Chemicals



- Flammable Fluids
- Fluorescents

REMINDERS

Please keep all commercial trash and recycling enclosures clean

All too often, trash and recycling enclosures are found with large amounts of debris on the ground which creates an unsafe and difficult service situation for our valued drivers. Our trash and recycling bins can weigh up to 700 lbs, and with added ground debris can be slick and tough to move. Debris found on the floor can get stuck in the wheels of the bins or create such a slippery surface our drivers cannot get enough leverage to move the bins. Please make sure the enclosure area is kept clean and free of ground debris so our drivers can safely service all the Los Altos commercial businesses.





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HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

There will be NO CHANGES to your pick up schedule for Memorial Day, May 27, 2024.

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