



# WHERE TO DISPOSE OF WASTE



IMAGE	ITEM	WHERE	COST	NOTES
	Aerosol Cans (Empty)	Regular Recycling Bin	FREE	* <b>TIP:</b> To check if your aerosol can is empty spray the can against a piece of paper or cardboard until can is empty.
	Aerosol Cans (Not Empty)	El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center West Contra Costa County Household Hazardous Waste Facility	FREE	<b>West Contra Costa County Household Hazardous Waste Facility</b> - Leave labels intact or clearly label all items. - Do not mix materials in the same container. - Tighten lids and place leaking or dirty containers in strong plastic bags. - Pack individual containers in a sturdy box or tub with absorbent material such as newspaper. - Proof of residency required. See location details for hours of operation and more details. <b>El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center</b> - Household Hazardous Waste items are only accepted on Tuesdays. - Proof of residency required. See location details for hours of operation and more details.
	Antifreeze (Empty or Not Empty)	West Contra Costa County Household Hazardous Waste Facility El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center Berkeley Transfer Station	FREE	<b>West Contra Costa County Household Hazardous Waste Facility</b> - Leave labels intact or clearly label all items. - Do not mix materials in the same container. - Tighten lids and place leaking or dirty containers in strong plastic bags. - Pack individual containers in a sturdy box or tub with absorbent material such as newspaper. - Proof of residency required. See location details for hours of operation and more details. <b>El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center</b> - Household Hazardous Waste items are only accepted on Tuesdays. - Proof of residency required. See location details for hours of operation and more details. <b>Berkeley Transfer Station</b> - Bring in 5-gallon or smaller containers. - See location details for more information.
	Appliances (Large)	Urban Ore Berkeley Recycling Center Berkeley Transfer Center On-Call Bulky Item Pick-Up Golden Bear Transfer Station / West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill	<b>Urban Ore</b> - if reusable: FREE - if not reusable: DROP OFF FOR A FEE <b>Berkeley Recycling Center</b> DROP OFF FOR A FEE <b>Berkeley Transfer Center</b> DROP OFF FOR A FEE <b>On-Call Bulky Item Pick-Up</b> FREE <b>Golden Bear Transfer Station / West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill</b> DROP OFF FOR A FEE	<b>Urban Ore</b> - May accept old gas stoves and some small kitchen appliances if they are complete, rust free, and working. - Can also accept metal appliances for dismantling into scrap, but may charge a drop off fee. - Accepts metal wood stoves. If they are not in reusable condition, we recycle them. - Does not accept freezers, refrigerators, or air conditioners (for resale) that use chlorofluorocarbons (freon). - Sometimes accept clean small refrigerators (for resale) that sit on a table or fit under counters (will test to plug it in to make sure it gets cold). - See location details for more information. <b>Berkeley Recycling Center</b> - No refrigerated appliances. - See location details for more information. <b>Berkeley Transfer Center</b> See location details for more information. <b>On-Call Bulky Item Pick-Up</b> See location details for more information. <b>Golden Bear Transfer Station / West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill</b> See location details for more information.
	Appliances (Small)	Goodwill Urban Ore Berkeley Recycling Center Berkeley Transfer Center	<b>Goodwill</b> FREE <b>Urban Ore</b> - if reusable: FREE - if not reusable: DROP OFF FOR A FEE <b>Berkeley Recycling Center</b> FREE <b>Berkeley Transfer Center</b> FREE	<b>Urban Ore</b> - May some small kitchen appliances if they are complete, rust free, and working. - Can also accept metal appliances for dismantling into scrap, but may charge a drop off fee. <b>Berkeley Recycling Center</b> - Small metal appliances include toasters, toaster ovens, blenders, fans, etc. accepted free of charge. - See location details for more information. <b>Berkeley Transfer Center</b> See location details for more information.

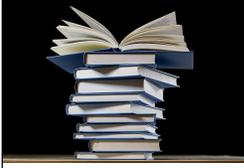
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	<b>Asphalt</b>	Dutra Materials Bee Green Recycling & Supply Berkeley Transfer Station Golden Bear Transfer Station / West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill	DROP OFF FOR A FEE	<b>Berkeley Transfer Station</b> See location details for more information.  <b>Golden Bear Transfer Station/West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill</b> Asphalt Grindings: - Maximum 2 cubic yard limit per load. - Only loads generated by customers of Richmond Sanitary, its affiliates, and within their service areas will be accepted. Proof of service is required. Asphalt chunks: - Size restrictions. Acceptance determined by site personnel. - Clean, no trash. - Small pieces only. (must be weighed & deposit required) - See location details for more information.
	<b>Baby Bottles</b> (Plastic)	Regular Recycling Bin	FREE	
	<b>Batteries</b>	Richmond City Hall West County Resource Recovery Whale Point Marine & Hardware Co Staples West Contra Costa County Household Hazardous Waste Facility	FREE	<b>West Contra Costa Household Hazardous Waste Facility</b> - Do not mix materials in the same container. - Proof of residency required. See location details for hours of operation and more details.
	<b>Bedding</b>	Goodwill USAgain Drop-Off Bins Recycle Change Regular Trash Bin	FREE	<b>Goodwill</b> Items must be clean.  <b>USAgain Dropp-Off Bins</b> Items must be clean.
	<b>Bicycles / Bicycle Parts</b>	Urban Ore El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center On-Call Bulky Item Pick-Up Golden Bear Transfer Station / West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill	<b>Urban Ore</b> FREE  <b>El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center</b> FREE  <b>On-Call Bulky Item Pick-Up</b> FREE  <b>Golden Bear Transfer Station / West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill</b> DROP OFF FOR A FEE	<b>Urban Ore</b> See location details for more information.  <b>On-Call Bulky Item Pick-Up</b> See location details for more information.  <b>El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center</b> - Place in bin for donations / exchange (Customers are allowed to take items from this bin for reuse.) - Proof of residency required. See location details for hours of operation and more details.
	<b>Books</b>	Goodwill Urban Ore El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center Berkeley Recycling Center	<b>Goodwill:</b> FREE  <b>Urban Ore:</b> FREE  <b>El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center</b> - small quantities: FREE - large quantities (more than 1 cy): DROP OFF FOR A FEE	<b>El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center</b> - Place in blue Discover Books containers or in the Exchange Zone. - See location details for more information.
	<b>Bottlecaps</b> (Metal)	Regular Recycling Bin	FREE	
	<b>Bottlecaps</b> Plastic)	Regular Garbage Bin	FREE	

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	Bubble Mailers	Regular Garbage Bin	FREE	
	Bubble Wrap	El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center eWaste Collective Regular Trash Bin	FREE	<b>El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center</b> - Must be inside a clear plastic bag. - See location details for more information. <b>eWaste Collective</b> - Must be unused.
	Cable Boxes	Staples Best Buy El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center West Contra Costa County Household Hazardous Waste Facility	FREE	<b>El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center</b> - Place in the e-waste bin. - Proof of residency required. See location details for hours of operation and more details. <b>Best Buy</b> Accepts up to three items per day from each household. <b>West Contra Costa County Household Hazardous Waste Facility</b> - Do not mix materials in the same container. Household Hazardous Waste items are only accepted on Tuesdays. - Proof of residency required. See location details for hours of operation and more details.
	Calculators Calculadoras	<a href="http://Sellyourcalculators.com">Sellyourcalculators.com</a> Best Buy Staples West Contra Costa County Household Hazardous Waste Facility	FREE	<b>Sellyourcalculators.com</b> Trade in your working calculator for cash <b>Best Buy</b> Accepts up to three items per day from each household. <b>West Contra Costa County Household Hazardous Waste Facility</b> - Do not mix materials in the same container. - Proof of residency required. See location details for hours of operation and more details.
	Camera and Video Equipment	Staples Best Buy eWaste Collective Urban Ore West Contra Costa County Household Hazardous Waste Facility El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center	FREE	<b>Best Buy</b> - Accepts up to three items per day from each household. - Offers trade in program for desired electronics. <b>Urban Ore</b> - Only accepts working electronics. - See location details for more information. <b>West Contra Costa County Household Hazardous Waste Facility</b> Proof of residency required. See location details for hours of operation and more details. <b>El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center</b> - Place in the e-waste bin. Household Hazardous Waste items are only accepted on Tuesdays. - Proof of residency required. See location details for hours of operation and more details.
	Car Motors	Sims Metal Berkeley Recycling Center	<b>Sims Metal</b> DROP OFF FOR A FEE <b>Berkeley Recycling Center</b> FREE	<b>Berkeley Recycling Center</b> All engine parts must be thoroughly drained of motor oil, gear oil, and antifreeze before arrival at the site.
	Cardboard Box with Tape Around it	Regular Recycling Bin (Box) Regular Garbage Bin (Tape)	FREE	<b>*TIP</b> Remove plastic tape and put in garbage. Put cardboard box in recycling.
	Cardboard Boxes	Regular Recycling Bin El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center Berkeley Recycling Center	<b>Regular Recycling Bin</b> FREE <b>El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center</b> - small quantities: FREE - large quantities (more than 1 cy): DROP OFF FOR A FEE	<b>El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center</b> - Boxes must be clean, empty, and flattened. - See location details for more information. <b>Berkeley Recycling Center</b> We do not accept wax coated cardboard.

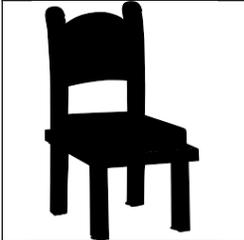
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	Carpet	Berkeley Transfer Station On-Call Bulky Item Pick-Up Golden Bear Transfer Station / West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill	Berkeley Transfer Station DROP OFF FOR A FEE On-Call Bulky Item Pick-Up FREE Golden Bear Transfer Station / West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill DROP OFF FOR A FEE	On-Call Bulky Item Pick-Up See location details for more information. Golden Bear Transfer Station / West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill See location details for more information.
	Cell Phone	Best Buy Staples Apple eWaste Collective El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center West Contra Costa County Household Hazardous Waste Facility	FREE	Best Buy - Offers a trade-in program for more desired electronics. - Accepts up to three items per day from each household. Apple Will give you a credit depending on the condition of your electronics and if the item has monetary value El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center Proof of residency required. See location details for hours of operation and more details. West Contra Costa County Household Hazardous Waste Facility Proof of residency required. See location details for hours of operation and more details.
	Chairs	Urban Ore On-Call Bulky Item Pick Up Golden Bear Transfer Station / West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill	Urban Ore FREE On-Call Bulky Item Pick Up FREE Golden Bear Transfer Station / West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill DROP OFF FOR A FEE	Urban Ore - Furniture must be fully assembled with no missing pieces - Upholstery must be unstained, without tears - Office chairs must be in excellent condition - Particle board furniture must be in near perfect condition On-Call Bulky Item Pick Up See location details for more information. Golden Bear Transfer Station / West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill See location details for more information.
	Christmas Tree (Artificial Tree)	On-Call Bulky Pick Up Golden Bear Transfer Station / West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill Whole Tree Curbside Collection for a Fee	On-Call Bulky Pick Up FREE Golden Bear Transfer Station / West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill DROP OFF FOR A FEE Whole Tree Curbside Collection for a Fee DROP OFF FOR A FEE	On-Call Bulky Pickup See location details for more information. Golden Bear Transfer Station / West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill Residents can drop off non-compostable trees through the first weekend in February. Whole Tree Curbside Collection for a Fee If you are unable to fit your non-compostable tree (artificial, flocked, contaminated with ornaments, stands, plastic, cloth-wrapped) in the brown or black trash cart, call our Customer Service office to arrange "for fee" curbside collection. On-call and "for fee" pickups must be scheduled in advance.
	Christmas Tree (Real Tree)	Compost Bin Donate to Local Organizations Golden Bear Transfer Station/ West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill On-Call Bulky Pick Up Whole Tree Curbside Collection for a Fee	Compost Bin FREE On-Call Bulky Pick Up FREE Golden Bear Transfer Station/West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill FREE (drop off for a fee after first weekend of February) Whole Tree Curbside Collection for a Fee DROP OFF FOR A FEE	On-Call Bulky Item Pick Up -Trees more than 6 feet tall must be cut in half. - See location details for more information. Golden Bear Transfer Station / West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill - Accepts compostable trees through the first weekend in February at no cost. - See location details for more information. Whole Tree Curbside Collection for a Fee If you are unable to cut / trim your compostable tree to fit in your organic waste cart, call our Customer Service office to schedule "for fee" curbside collection. On-call and "for fee" pickups must be scheduled in advance.
	Cigarette Butts	Regular Garbage Bin	FREE	

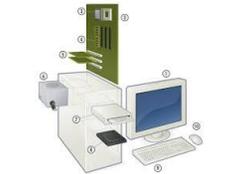
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	<b>Cinder Block (CMU)</b>	Berkeley Transfer Station On Call Bulky Item Pick Up Golden Bear Transfer Station / West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill	<b>Berkeley Transfer Station</b> DROP OFF FOR A FEE <b>On-Call Bulky Item Pick Up</b> FREE <b>Golden Bear Transfer Station / West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill</b> DROP OFF FOR A FEE	<b>Berkeley Transfer Station</b> See location details for more information. <b>On-Call Bulky Pickup</b> See location details for more information. <b>Golden Bear Transfer Station / West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill</b> - Size restrictions. Acceptance determined by site personnel. - Clean, no trash. - Small pieces only (must be weighed & deposit required). - See location details for more information.
	<b>Clothing</b>	Goodwill USAgain Drop-Off Bins Recycle For Change Regular Trash Bin	FREE	<b>Goodwill</b> Items must be clean. <b>USAgain Dropp-Off Bins</b> Items must be clean.
	<b>Coffee Brewers</b>	Staples	FREE	<b>Staples</b> Coffee brewers must weigh less than 40 lbs.
	<b>Coffee Cup Sleeves (Clean)</b>	Regular Recycling Bin	FREE	
	<b>Coffee Cup Sleeves (Dirty)</b>	Compost	FREE	
	<b>Computer Components (Broken)</b>	Best Buy Staples eWaste Collective El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center West Contra Costa County Household Hazardous Waste Facility	FREE	<b>Best Buy</b> Accepts up to three items per day from each household. <b>El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center</b> Proof of residency required. See location details for hours of operation and more details. <b>West Contra Costa County Household Hazardous Waste Facility</b> Proof of residency required. See location details for hours of operation and more details.
	<b>Computer Components (Working)</b>	Best Buy Staples Urban Ore Goodwill eWaste Collective	FREE	<b>Best Buy</b> - Offers a trade-in program for more desired electronics. - Accepts up to three items per day from each household. <b>Urban Ore</b> See location details for more information.
	<b>Computer (Broken)</b>	Best Buy Staples eWaste Collective El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center West Contra Costa County Household Hazardous Waste Facility	FREE	<b>Best Buy</b> Accepts up to three items per day from each household. <b>El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center</b> Proof of residency required. See location details for hours of operation and more details. <b>West Contra Costa County Household Hazardous Waste Facility</b> Proof of residency required. See location details for hours of operation and more details.
	<b>Computer (Working)</b>	Best Buy Staples Apple Urban Ore Goodwill	FREE	<b>*TIP</b> Before recycling your computer or tablet, make sure you remove all sensitive and personal information from it first. Deleting files won't do the trick; you'll need to completely wipe your hard drive. <b>Best Buy</b> - Offers a trade-in program for more desired electronics. - Accepts up to three items per day from each household. <b>Apple</b> Will give you a credit depending on the condition of your electronics and if the item has monetary value <b>Urban Ore</b> See location details for more information.

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	<b>Concrete</b>	Dutra Materials Berkeley Transfer Station On-Call Bulky Item Pickup Golden Bear Transfer Station / West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill	<b>Dutra Materials</b> DROP OFF FOR A FEE <b>Berkeley Transfer Station</b> DROP OFF FOR A FEE <b>On-Call Bulky Item Pickup</b> FREE <b>Golden Bear Transfer Station / West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill</b> DROP OFF FOR A FEE	<b>Berkeley Transfer Station</b> See location details for more information. <b>On-Call Bulky Pickup</b> See location details for more information. <b>Golden Bear Transfer Station/West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill</b> - Size restrictions. Acceptance determined by site personnel. - Clean, no trash. - Small pieces only. (must be weighed & deposit required) - See location details for more information.
	<b>Controlled Substances</b>	Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) Central Pharmacy 2300 Macdonald Ave Richmond CA 94804 Kaiser Pharmacy #123 901 Nevin Ave Richmond CA 94801 Longs Drug Store 2151 Meeker Ave Richmond, CA 94804	FREE	It is illegal to drop off prescription medications known as "controlled substances" like narcotics or tranquilizers at recycling centers.  Common examples: - Codeine - Phenobarbital - Anabolic Steroids
	<b>Covid Rapid Tests</b>	Regular Recycling Bin  Regular Trash Bin	FREE	<b>Regular Recycling Bin</b> The outer cardboard box and paper instructions go in the recycling bin.  <b>Regular Trash Bin</b> The nasal collection swab, test card, liquid dropper and plastic packaging go in the garbage.
	<b>Dead Animals</b>	Regular Garbage Bin  Contra Costa Animal Services  Caltrans  Wildlife Animal Control: Fish and Wildlife Bay Delta Region  Restful Pets	<b>Contra Costa Animal Services</b> CALL FOR PRICING  <b>Caltrans</b> FREE  <b>Wildlife Animal Control: Fish and Wildlife Bay Delta Region</b> CALL FOR PRICING  <b>Restful Pets</b> CALL FOR PRICING	<b>Regular Garbage Bin</b> - Animal should be 15 pounds or less. - Avoid direct contact. Use leather, rubber, or latex gloves when handling. - Place in a sealed heavy-duty plastic bag as soon as possible.  <b>Contra Costa Animal Services</b> - Property owners may bury a dead pet or wild animal that weighs over 15 pounds on their land. - Bury it at least four feet deep and cover with lime juice to discourage scavengers. - You can also pay to have pets cremated.  <b>Caltrans</b> Report to Caltrans if you see a dead or dying animal on the highway, or if you hit an animal on the highway.  <b>Wildlife Animal Control: Fish and Wildlife Bay Delta Region</b> See location details for more information.  <b>Restful Pets</b> Offers animal funeral services, including pet cremation.
	<b>Desks</b>	Urban Ore  On-Call Bulky Item Pickup  Golden Bear Transfer Station / West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill	<b>Urban Ore</b> FREE <b>On-Call Bulky Item Pick Up</b> FREE <b>Golden Bear Transfer Station / West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill</b> DROP OFF FOR A FEE	<b>Urban Ore</b> - Furniture must be fully assembled with no missing pieces. - Drawers must be empty. - Particle board furniture must be in near perfect condition. - See location details for more information.  <b>On-Call Bulky Item Pick Up</b> See location details for more information.  <b>Golden Bear Transfer Station / West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill</b> See location details for more information.
	<b>Dishes (Broken)</b>	Regular Garbage Bin	FREE	
	<b>Dishes (Not Broken)</b>	Goodwill  Urban Ore	FREE	<b>Urban Ore</b> See location details for more information.

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	<b>Dishwasher</b>	Urban Ore On-Call Bulky Item Pickup Golden Bear Transfer Station/ West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill	<b>Urban Ore</b> - if not reusable: DROP OFF FOR A FEE - reusable: FREE <b>On-Call Bulky Item Pickup</b> FREE <b>Golden Bear Transfer Station/ West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill</b> DROP OFF FOR A FEE	<b>Urban Ore</b> - Must be clean and reusable. - See location details for more information. <b>On-Call Bulky Pickup</b> See location details for more information. <b>Golden Bear Transfer Station / West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill</b> See location details for more information.
	<b>Dolls</b>	Goodwill Recycle For Change Regular Trash Bin	FREE	
	<b>Dresser</b>	Urban Ore On-Call Bulky Item Pickup	FREE	<b>Urban Ore</b> - Must be fully assembled with no missing pieces. - Drawers must be empty. - Particle board furniture must be in near perfect condition. - See location details for more information. <b>On-Call Bulky Item Pickup</b> See location details for more information.
	<b>Dry Wall</b>	Berkeley Transfer Station Golden Bear Transfer Station/West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill	DROP OFF FOR A FEE	<b>Berkeley Transfer Station</b> See location details for more information. <b>Golden Bear Transfer Station / West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill</b> See location details for more information.
	<b>Metal Exercise Equipment</b>	Urban Ore Action Metal Recycling Sims Metal	<b>URBAN ORE</b> FREE <b>Action Metal Recycling</b> DROP OFF FOR A FEE <b>Sims Metal</b> DROP OFF FOR A FEE	Exercise equipment is considered scrap metal.
	<b>Eyeglasses</b>	El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center Regular Garbage Bin	FREE	<b>El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center</b> - Bring eyeglasses into the Recycling Center office for Lions Club Donation. - See location details for more information.
	<b>Fertilizer</b>	El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center West County Household Hazardous Waste Collection Facility	FREE	<b>El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center</b> - Household Hazardous Waste items are only accepted on Tuesdays. - Proof of residency required. See location details for hours of operation and more details. <b>West County Household Hazardous Waste Collection Facility</b> - Leave labels intact or clearly label all items. - Do not mix materials in the same container. - Tighten lids and place leaking or dirty containers in strong plastic bags. - Pack individual containers in a sturdy box or tub with absorbent material such as newspaper. - Proof of residency required. See location details for hours of operation and more details.
	<b>Filing Cabinets (Working)</b>	Urban Ore On-Call Bulky Item Pickup	FREE	<b>Urban Ore</b> - Drawers must be empty. - will not accept filing cabinets with concrete weights in the back - See location details for more information. <b>On-Call Bulky Item Pickup</b> See location details for more information.

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	<b>Fire Extinguishers</b>	West Contra Costa County Household Hazardous Waste Facility	FREE	<p><b>*TIP</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Check your fire extinguisher every month to make sure that it is safe to use.</li> <li>- The needle should point to the green area of the pressure gauge. If the needle points to the red area, you must replace your extinguisher or have it refilled.</li> <li>- Most fire extinguishers only last 5 to 10 years, even if they have never been used.</li> </ul> <p><b>West County Household Hazardous Waste Collection Facility</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Tighten lids and place leaking or dirty containers in strong plastic bags.</li> <li>- Pack individual containers in a sturdy box or tub with absorbent material such as newspaper.</li> <li>- Proof of residency required. See location details for hours of operation and more details.</li> </ul>
	<b>Flea Products (Empty)</b>	Regular Recycling Bin	FREE	
	<b>Flea Products (Not Empty)</b>	West Contra Costa County Household Hazardous Waste Facility	FREE	<p><b>El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Household Hazardous Waste items are only accepted on Tuesdays.</li> <li>- Proof of residency required. See location details for hours of operation and more details.</li> </ul> <p><b>West County Household Hazardous Waste Collection Facility</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Leave labels intact or clearly label all items.</li> <li>- Do not mix materials in the same container.</li> <li>- Tighten lids and place leaking or dirty containers in strong plastic bags.</li> <li>- Pack individual containers in a sturdy box or tub with absorbent material such as newspaper.</li> <li>- Proof of residency required. See location details for hours of operation and more details.</li> </ul>
	<b>Framed Prints</b>	Urban Ore Goodwill	FREE	
	<b>Frozen Food Trays</b>	Regular Recycling Bin	FREE	<p>Remove the plastic film from the tray before recycling.</p> <p>Must be clean.</p>
	<b>Garden Hose</b>	Regular Garbage Bin	FREE	<p><b>*TIP</b></p> <p>You can also:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Reuse as protectors for electric cords</li> <li>- Use as sheaths for sharp tools</li> <li>- Make covers for chains on swings</li> </ul>
	<b>Glass Containers (Food and Beverage)</b>	Recycling Bins	FREE	Bottles and jars must be rinsed and clean.
	<b>Green Waste</b>	Compost Bin Golden Bear Transfer Station / West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill	<b>Compost Bin</b> FREE <b>Golden Bear Transfer Station/West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill</b> DROP OFF FOR A FEE	<p><b>Golden Bear Transfer Station/West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill</b></p> <p>The following items are NOT ACCEPTED in the green waste area and charged as trash:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- palm</li> <li>- bamboo</li> <li>- yucca</li> <li>- cactus</li> <li>- sod</li> </ul> <p>See location details for more information.</p>
	<b>Gum</b>	Regular Garbage Bin	FREE	

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	<b>Helium Tanks</b>	<p>El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center</p> <p>Berkeley Recycling Center</p> <p>West Contra Costa Household Hazardous Waste Facility</p>	FREE	<p><b>El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center</b> - Household Hazardous Waste items are only accepted on Tuesdays. - Proof of residency required. See location details for hours of operation and more details.</p> <p><b>Berkeley Recycling Center</b> - Must be empty. - Should have visible 4" hole.</p> <p><b>West County Household Hazardous Waste Collection Facility</b> - Leave labels intact or clearly label all items. - Tighten lids and place leaking or dirty containers in strong plastic bags. - Pack individual containers in a sturdy box or tub with absorbent material such as newspaper. - Proof of residency required. See location details for hours of operation and more details.</p>
	<b>Household Cleaners &amp; Landscape Chemicals (Empty)</b>	Regular Recycling Bin	FREE	<b>*TIP</b> To check if the bottle is empty spray against a piece of paper or cardboard until nothing comes out.
	<b>Household Cleaners &amp; Landscape Chemicals (Not Empty)</b>	<p>El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center</p> <p>West Contra Costa Household Hazardous Waste Facility</p>	FREE	<p>Common examples of household cleaners and landscape chemicals: - Bleach - Pesticides - Ammonia - Lamp Oil - Oven Cleaner - Lighter Fluid - Nail Polish Remover - Rat or Insect Poison - Drain Cleaner / Opener</p> <p><b>El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center</b> - Household Hazardous Waste items are only accepted on Tuesdays. - Proof of residency required. See location details for hours of operation and more details.</p> <p><b>West Contra Costa Household Hazardous Waste Facility</b> - Leave labels intact or clearly label all items. - Do not mix materials in the same container. - Tighten lids and place leaking or dirty containers in strong plastic bags. - Pack individual containers in a sturdy box or tub with absorbent material such as newspaper. - Proof of residency required. See location details for hours of operation and more details.</p>
	<b>Inhalers (Empty)</b>	Regular Garbage Bin	FREE	<b>*TIP</b> It is always recommended to label the inhaler and all empty containers as "empty".
	<b>Inhalers (Not Empty)</b>	If the inhaler still has contents, it is eligible for the Pharmaceutical Stewardship program and can be either dropped off at the SB 212 Kiosks or a mail-back envelope can be requested from the Pharmaceutical Stewardship Program	FREE	
	<b>Keys</b>	Regular Recycling Bin	FREE	
	<b>License Plates</b>	Regular Recycling Bin	FREE	Remove all mounting hardware (bolts, washers, mounting brackets) before recycling license plates. If mounting hardware is in usable condition it can be reused to mount new license plates on the vehicle
	<b>Light Bulbs (Broken)</b>	<p>Regular Garbage Bin</p> <p>West Contra Costa County Household Hazardous Waste Facility</p>	FREE	<p>Depending on the type lightbulb, broken lightbulbs can go in the trash OR be considered Household Hazardous Waste (HHW).</p> <p><b>West Contra Costa County Household Hazardous Waste Facility</b> Proof of residency required. See location details for hours of operation and more details.</p>

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	<b>Light Bulbs</b> (Incandescent, Halogen)	Regular Garbage Bin	FREE	Broken halogen bulbs can release mercury vapor. If one breaks, clear people and pets out of the room, and then air it out for five to ten minutes. To stop the vapor from spreading, also shut off the heat, ventilation and air-conditioning.  - Don't mix with glass recyclables. - These types of light bulbs are fragile and can break in the trash — try wrapping them in newspaper and taping everything in place before disposing of the bulb. Broken glass can injure sanitation workers.
	<b>Light Bulbs</b> (LED, Fluorescent)	West Contra Costa County Household Hazardous Waste Facility  El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center	FREE	Never throw fluorescent bulbs in the trash because they contain mercury. Before cleaning up this type of broken bulb, air out the room for 15 minutes. Next, scoop pieces into a container and store it outside until you can dispose of it as Household Hazardous Waste.  <b>West Contra Costa County Household Hazardous Waste Facility</b> Proof of residency required. See location details for hours of operation and more details.  <b>El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center</b> - Household Hazardous Waste items are only accepted on Tuesdays. - Proof of residency required. See location details for hours of operation and more details.
	<b>Magazines</b>	El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center  Regular Recycle Bin	FREE	<b>El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center</b> - If in reusable condition, place in bin in Exchange Zone. - If tattered, place magazines in Mixed Paper bin.  <b>Recycle Bin</b> - You do not need to remove staples before recycling magazines or catalogues. - Remove perfume sample inserts and place in regular garbage bin
	<b>Mattresses and Box Springs</b>	West Contra Costa County Household Hazardous Waste Facility  On-Call Bulky Item Pick-Up  Golden Bear Transfer Station/ West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill	<b>West Contra Costa County Household Hazardous Waste Facility</b> FREE  <b>On-Call Bulky Item Pick-Up</b> FREE  <b>Golden Bear Transfer Station/ West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill</b> DROP OFF FOR A FEE	<b>West Contra Costa County Household Hazardous Waste Facility</b> Residents can bring up to 3 mattresses per month NOT accepted - Cut mattresses or box springs - Excessively wet, damaged, partial or soiled mattresses or mattresses with bed bugs - Car beds or water beds - Fold out sofa beds and futons - Air mattresses, sleeping bags, pillows, mattress toppers or other furniture Proof of residency required. See location details for hours of operation and more details.  <b>On-Call Bulky Item Pick-Up</b> See location details for more information.  <b>Golden Bear Transfer Station/ West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill</b> See location details for more information.
	<b>Medical Needles, Syringes, and Lancets</b>	Senior Center  Annex Senior Center  Richmond Police Station  West County Wastewater District Office  West Contra Costa County Household Hazardous Waste Facility	FREE	- California's Medical Waste Management Act requires that used needles and other sharps be placed in FDA-approved sharps disposal containers. Go to FDA.gov and enter 'sharps disposal containers' in the search box. FDA-cleared sharps disposal containers are generally available through pharmacies, medical supply companies, health care providers, and on-line. - Do not attempt to remove, bend, break or recap the needle. - Keep all sharps and disposal containers out of reach of children. - Don't throw used needles, syringes or lancets in the garbage, recycling or green-waste containers. It's against the law! - Don't flush needles down the toilet. - Approved sharps containers should ¾ filled  <b>Annex Senior Center</b> 24 hour drop-off bin located outside of main entrance.  <b>West Contra Costa County Household Hazardous Waste Facility</b> See location details for more information.
	<b>Medicine and Prescription Drugs</b> (Not Controlled Substances)	Richmond Police Station  CVS  Kaiser  West County Wastewater District Office  West Contra Costa County Household Hazardous Waste Facility	FREE	- Pour pills into a sealable plastic bag. - Liquids should be left in their bottles and placed into sealed plastic bag to prevent leakage.  <b>West Contra Costa County Household Hazardous Waste Facility</b> See location details for more information.

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	<b>Mercury-Containing Items</b>	West Contra Costa County Household Hazardous Waste Facility El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center	FREE	<b>West Contra Costa Household Hazardous Waste Facility</b> - Leave labels intact or clearly label all items. - Do not mix materials in the same container. - Tighten lids and place leaking or dirty containers in strong plastic bags. - Pack individual containers in a sturdy box or tub with absorbent material such as newspaper. - See location details for more information.  <b>El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center</b> - Household Hazardous Waste items are only accepted on Tuesdays. - See location details for more information.
	<b>Microwaves</b>	West Contra Costa County Household Hazardous Waste Facility  eWaste Collective  Urban Ore	<b>eWaste Collective:</b> FREE  <b>Urban Ore:</b> \$10 Fee  <b>West Contra Costa County Household Hazardous Waste Facility:</b> FREE	<b>Urban Ore</b> See location details for more information.  <b>West Contra Costa Household Hazardous Waste Facility</b> See location details for more information.
	<b>Milk carton</b>	Regular Garbage Bin	FREE	
	<b>Milk Jug</b>	Regular Recycling Bin	FREE	Must be clean and empty.
	<b>Mixed Paper</b>	Regular Recycling Bin  El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center	FREE	<b>El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center</b> Accepted paper for recycling: - Colored paper - Cereal boxes - Shredded colored paper - File folders - Junk mail - Envelopes - Photographs (small quantities) - See location details for more information
	<b>Motor Oil Bottles (Empty)</b>	Regular Recycling Bin	FREE	If drip dried, you may place your empty motor oil containers in your recycling bin.
	<b>Motor Oil Bottles (Not Empty)</b>	O'Reilly Auto Parts Autozone West Contra Costa County Household Hazardous Waste Facility	FREE	<b>O'Reilly Auto Parts</b> The maximum capacity for recycling oil is 5 gallons a day per household  <b>West Contra Costa County Household Hazardous Waste Facility</b> - Leave labels intact or clearly label all items. - Do not mix materials in the same container. - Tighten lids and place leaking or dirty containers in strong plastic bags. - Pack individual containers in a sturdy box or tub with absorbent material such as newspaper. - Proof of residency required. See location details for hours of operation and more details.

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	Musical Greeting Cards	West Contra Costa County Household Hazardous Waste Facility El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center	FREE	- Remove the musical device in order to recycle the card. - These cards contain mercury and are illegal to throw away if you do not remove the musical device inside the card - Recycle the electronic musical device as e-waste. - Recycle the paper portion of the card with your other paper products, as long as any non-paper elements (like glitter) have been removed. <b>West Contra Costa County Household Hazardous Waste Facility</b> Proof of residency required. See location details for hours of operation and more details. <b>El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center</b> - Household Hazardous Waste items are only accepted on Tuesdays. - Proof of residency required. See location details for hours of operation and more details.
	Musical Instruments	Urban Ore Berkeley Recycling Center Sims Metal Call for pricing Action Metal Recycling Call for pricing	<b>Urban Ore</b> FREE <b>Berkeley Recycling Center</b> FREE <b>Sims Metal</b> DROP OFF FOR A FEE <b>Action Metal Recycling</b> DROP OFF FOR A FEE	Metal instruments recycled as scrap metal. <b>Urban Ore</b> See location details for more information.
	Nail Polish	El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center West Contra Costa County Household Hazardous Waste Facility	FREE	<b>El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center</b> - Household Hazardous Waste items are only accepted on Tuesdays. - Proof of residency required. See location details for hours of operation and more details. <b>West Contra Costa County Household Hazardous Waste Facility</b> - Leave labels intact or clearly label all items. - Do not mix materials in the same container. - Tighten lids and place leaking or dirty containers in strong plastic bags. - Pack individual containers in a sturdy box or tub with absorbent material such as newspaper. - Proof of residency required. See location details for hours of operation and more details.
	Nail Polish Remover	El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center West Contra Costa County Household Hazardous Waste Facility	FREE	<b>*TIP</b> Keep away from heat — Most nail polish removers contain acetone, which is highly flammable at room temperature, even when it evaporates into the air. Keep acetone away from heat, open flame and anything that may cause a static or electric spark. <b>El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center</b> - Household Hazardous Waste items are only accepted on Tuesdays. - Proof of residency required. See location details for hours of operation and more details. <b>West Contra Costa County Household Hazardous Waste Facility</b> - Leave labels intact or clearly label all items. - Do not mix materials in the same container. - Tighten lids and place leaking or dirty containers in strong plastic bags. - Pack individual containers in a sturdy box or tub with absorbent material such as newspaper. - Proof of residency required. See location details for hours of operation and more details.
	Napkins / Paper Towels (Soiled with food)	Compost Bin	FREE	Do not recycle soiled napkins or paper towels. Choose unbleached products.
	Nebulizer	Return the item to the medical facility they received it from Other donation locations	FREE	<b>Breathe Hope</b> The Breathe Hope Program by Global Links recovers gently-used nebulizer breathing machines and shares them with their partners in communities with need in the U.S. and abroad. <b>Little Wins, AFCA, MedShare, Med-Eq</b> will accept used, working nebulizers and give them to someone in need.
	Newspaper	Regular Recycling Bin	FREE	

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	Office Paper	Regular Recycling Bin El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center	FREE	<b>Regular Recycling Bin</b> - Staples, labels, and stickers on the paper is okay to recycle. - Remove glitter, glue, or paint from paper. - Small bits of paper cannot be recycled. Try to recycle everything receipt size or larger.  <b>El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center</b> - All white (bond) paper is collected separately in the container marked "Office Paper" to preserve highest value. - See location details for more information.
	Oyster Shells	Compost Bin	FREE	Shells can be used as compost, soil additive or mulch.  Empty oyster shells can be used to restore oyster reefs and support threatened oyster populations. Contact oyster reef restoration organizations.
	Paint Cans (Empty)	Regular Garbage Bin	FREE	- Make sure paint cans are completely empty and dry. - Dispose with the lid off because this shows that the can is completely dry.
	Paint Cans (Not Empty)	West Contra Costa County Household Hazardous Waste Facility El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center	FREE	<b>West Contra Costa County Household Hazardous Waste Facility</b> - Leave labels intact or clearly label all items. - Do not mix materials in the same container. - Tighten lids and place leaking or dirty containers in strong plastic bags. - Pack individual containers in a sturdy box or tub with absorbent material such as newspaper. - Proof of residency required. See location details for hours of operation and more details.  <b>El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center</b> - Household Hazardous Waste items are only accepted on Tuesdays. - Proof of residency required. See location details for hours of operation and more details.
	Paint Thinner	West Contra Costa County Household Hazardous Waste Facility El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center	FREE	<b>West Contra Costa County Household Hazardous Waste Facility</b> - Leave labels intact or clearly label all items. - Do not mix materials in the same container. - Tighten lids and place leaking or dirty containers in strong plastic bags. - Pack individual containers in a sturdy box or tub with absorbent material such as newspaper. - Proof of residency required. See location details for hours of operation and more details.  <b>El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center</b> - Household Hazardous Waste items are only accepted on Tuesdays. - Proof of residency required. See location details for hours of operation and more details.
	Paintings	Goodwill Urban Ore	FREE	
	Paper Bags	Compost Bin Regular Recycling Bin	FREE	<b>Compost Bin</b> Paper bags soiled with food go in the compost bin.  <b>Regular Recycling Bin</b> Clean paper bags go in the recycling bin.
	Paper Cups (Soiled)	Compost Bin	FREE	Paper hot & cold cups are allowed in your organics cart, if you discard of the lid in the trash.  <b>*TIP</b> Choose to refuse the lid when possible.
	Paper Plates (Soiled)	Compost Bin	FREE	Paper plates with any food or greasy residue cannot be recycled.  <b>*TIP</b> Choose unbleached paper products for proper disposal.
	Paper Towel and Toilet Paper Rolls	Regular Recycling Bin	FREE	

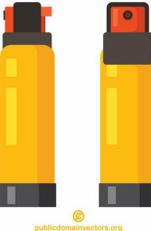
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	<b>Pens, Markers, Mechanical Pencils</b>	Regular Garbage Bin Staples	FREE	<b>*TIP</b> Choose refillable pens.
	<b>Pepper Spray (Empty)</b>	Regular Garbage Bin	FREE	If you have COMPLETELY, (not even a drop left!), emptied the pepper spray container, you can place it in the garbage.  If pepper spray gets on your clothing, remove it while avoiding touching your face, cutting off your shirt if necessary. Then wash your hands and any other affected areas with soap and cool water.
	<b>Pepper Spray (Not Empty)</b>	West Contra Costa County Household Hazardous Waste Facility	FREE	If your pepper spray is leaking, put it in a plastic container with a tight, secure lid, then dispose it as hazardous waste. While transporting, keep the pepper spray in a well-ventilated area.  If pepper spray gets on your clothing, remove it while avoiding touching your face, cutting off your shirt if necessary. Then wash your hands and any other affected areas with soap and cool water.  <b>West Contra Costa County Household Hazardous Waste Facility</b> - Leave labels intact or clearly label all items. - Do not mix materials in the same container. - Tighten lids and place leaking or dirty containers in strong plastic bags. - Pack individual containers in a sturdy box or tub with absorbent material such as newspaper. - Proof of residency required. See location details for hours of operation and more details.
	<b>Pizza Box</b>	Compost Bin	FREE	Pizza boxes tend to be food soiled, so they cannot be recycled. Please remove any plastic items and place in your organics cart.
	<b>Plant Debris</b>	Compost Bin	FREE	Flower trimmings, tree trimmings, leaves, grass, brush, weeds.  Untreated and unpainted wood can also go in the compost bin.
	<b>Plastic Bags and Plastic Film</b>	Regular Garbage Bin Almost Any Major Grocery Store	FREE	Stores that recycle bags: - Alberstons - Food 4 Less - Foods Co. - Kohl's - Ralph's - Safeway - Savemart - Sprouts
	<b>Plastic Cups</b>	Regular Recycling Bin	FREE	Must be clean and dry.
	<b>Plastic Egg Carton</b>	Regular Recycling Bin	FREE	
	<b>Plastic Plates</b>	Regular Garbage Bin	FREE	Plastic plates are made from low-grade plastic that can't be recycled, even if brand new. Plastic plates go in the garbage.  Don't wash and reuse disposable plastic plates. Since the plastic degrades, it becomes unsafe to eat from them.
	<b>Plastic Utensils</b>	Regular Garbage Bin	FREE	Plastic utensils are too small to recycle.

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	<b>Plastic Water and Soda Bottles</b>	Regular Recycling Bin	FREE	Empty and rinse out plastic bottles before recycling.
	<b>Portable Pools</b>	On-Call Bulky Item Pick Up Golden Bear Transfer Station / West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill	<b>On-Call Bulky Item Pick Up</b> FREE <b>West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill</b> DROP OFF FOR A FEE	Kiddie pools are made of materials such as PVC plastic (#3), which cannot be recycled. <b>On-Call Bulky Pickup</b> See location details for more information. <b>Golden Bear Transfer Station / West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill</b> See location details for more information.
	<b>Pots and Pans</b>	Urban Ore Goodwill Sims Metal Regular Recycle Bin Action Metal Recycling	<b>Urban Ore</b> FREE <b>Goodwill</b> FREE <b>Regular Recycle Bin</b> FREE <b>Sims Metal</b> DROP OFF FOR A FEE <b>Action Metal Recycling</b> DROP OFF FOR A FEE	<b>Regular Recycle Bin</b> Cookware made of ALL metal goes in the recycling cart. Metal pots and pans are scrap metal, even if coated with teflon.
	<b>Printers and Scanners</b>	Urban Ore Best Buy Staples eWaste Collective El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center West Contra Costa County Household Waste Facility	FREE	<b>Urban Ore</b> Printers and scanners must be reusable. <b>Best Buy</b> Accepts up to three items per day from each household. <b>El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center</b> - Place in the recycling e-waste bin. - Only residential printers and scanners are accepted. - Proof of residency required. See location details for hours of operation and more details. <b>West Contra Costa County Household Facility</b> Proof of residency required. See location details for hours of operation and more details.
	<b>Produce Bags (Plastic)</b>	Regular Garbage Bin	FREE	
	<b>Propane Tanks (5 Gallons or Less)</b>	West Contra Costa County Household Hazardous Waste Facility	FREE	- Leave labels intact or clearly label all items. - Do not mix materials in the same container. - Tighten lids and place leaking or dirty containers in strong plastic bags. - Pack individual containers in a sturdy box or tub with absorbent material such as newspaper. - Proof of residency required. See location details for hours of operation and more details.
	<b>Pumpkins</b>	Compost Bin	FREE	
	<b>Refrigerators</b>	Urban Ore Berkeley Transfer Center On-Call Bulky Item Pick Up Golden Bear Transfer Station/West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill	<b>Urban Ore</b> - working small refrigerators: FREE - broken or containing chlorofluorocarbons: DROP OFF FOR A FEE <b>Berkeley Transfer Center</b> DROP OFF FOR A FEE <b>On-Call Bulky Item Pick-Up</b> FREE <b>Golden Bear Transfer Station/West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill</b> DROP OFF FOR A FEE	<b>Urban Ore</b> - Does not accept freezers, refrigerators, or air conditioners (for resale) that use chlorofluorocarbons (freon). - Sometimes accept clean small refrigerators (for resale) that sit on a table or fit under counters (will test to plug it in to make sure it gets cold). <b>Berkeley Transfer Center</b> See location details for more information. <b>On-Call Bulky Item Pick-Up</b> See location details for more information. <b>Golden Bear Transfer Station / West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill</b> See location details for more information.

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	<b>Rotten Fruit</b>	Compost Bin	FREE	
	<b>Rugs</b>	Urban Ore Golden Bear Transfer Station/West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill	<b>Urban Ore</b> FREE <b>Golden Bear Transfer Station/West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill</b> DROP OFF FOR A FEE	<b>Urban Ore</b> - Rugs must be clean, unstained, and rolled tightly. - Carpet is not accepted, unless clean, bound and edged. - See location details for more information.
	<b>Scrap Metals</b>	Sims Metal Action Metal Recycling El Cerrito Recycling And Environmental Resource Center Berkeley Recycling Center Regular Recycling Bin	<b>Sims Metal</b> DROP OFF FOR A FEE <b>Action Metal Recycling</b> DROP OFF FOR A FEE <b>El Cerrito Recycling And Environmental Resource Center</b> FREE <b>Berkeley Recycling Center</b> FREE <b>Regular Recycling Bin</b> FREE	<b>El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Center</b> - Aluminum, steel, and tin are accepted. - See location details for more information. <b>Regular Recycling Bin</b> Small pieces of scrap metal are acceptable in your recycling cart. Otherwise, please self-haul to a scrap metal facility.
	<b>Sculptures</b>	Goodwill Urban Ore	FREE	
	<b>Shampoo Bottle</b>	Regular Recycle Bin	FREE	Rinse clean before putting it in the recycle bin.
	<b>Shredded Paper</b>	Regular Recycle Bin	FREE	Pack the shredded paper into a paper bag and staple it shut. Paper can be added to compost if not colored or glossy.
	<b>Smart and Apple Watches</b>	Apple Best Buy Staples eWaste Collective West Contra Costa County Household Waste Facility	FREE	<b>Apple</b> Will give you a credit depending on the condition of your electronics and if the item has monetary value. <b>Best Buy</b> - Offers a trade-in program for more desired electronics. - Accepts up to three items per day from each household. <b>West Contra Costa County Household Waste Facility</b> Proof of residency required. See location details for hours of operation and more details.
	<b>Smoke Detector</b>	West Contra Costa County Household Waste Facility First Alert Disposal Program	FREE	- Remove batteries from the smoke detector because they are hazardous waste. Then dispose of the smoke detector separately. - Photoelectric detectors will not have a warning label, so dispose of these detectors as e-waste. <b>First Alert Disposal Program:</b> - Will dispose of up to four ionization smoke detectors. - These must be First Alert, BRK, Family Gard or Onelink brand. - If you have more than four detectors, they will charge a small fee. <b>West Contra Costa County Household Waste Facility:</b> - Proof of residency required. See location details for hours of operation and more details.
	<b>Soda Stream CO2 Cylinders</b>	Staples Soda stream take back programs	FREE	- CO2 cartridges are hazardous because they are pressurized. - If using a SodaStream CO2 cylinder for homemade carbonated beverages, exchange it for a new one at one of their stores. They will clean, inspect, and refill returned CO2 cartridges.

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	<b>Solvents</b>	El Cerrito Recycling And Environmental Resource Center West Contra Costa County Household Hazardous Waste Facility	FREE	<b>*TIP</b> - Avoid solvents that contain benzene, carbon tetrachloride or trichloroethylene. - Most solvents are flammable or highly flammable. - Keep them in a cool place away from heat.  <b>El Cerrito Recycling And Environmental Resource Center</b> - Household Hazardous Waste items are only accepted on Tuesdays. - See location details for more information.  <b>West Contra Costa County Household Waste Facility</b> - Leave labels intact or clearly label all items. - Tighten lids and place leaking or dirty containers in strong plastic bags. - Pack individual containers in a sturdy box or tub with absorbent material such as newspaper. - See location details for more information.
	<b>Sporting Goods</b>	Urban Ore Goodwill Recycle For Change El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center	FREE	<b>El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center</b> - Bring to Reuse Trailer staff for possible donation. - See location details for more information.
	<b>Stuffed Animals</b>	Goodwill Recycle For Change Regular Trash Bin	FREE	Donate If in good condition.
	<b>Styrofoam (Peanuts)</b>	UPS Store eWaste Collective Regular Garbage Bin	FREE	<b>*TIP</b> Use green peanuts if possible. Some are made from recycled materials, and some are starch-based and biodegradable.  <b>eWaste Collective</b> Must be clean
	<b>Styrofoam (White Blocks)</b>	Regular Garbage Bin Golden Bear Transfer Station / West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill \$ 36.05 / CY	<b>Regular Garbage Bin</b> FREE  <b>Golden Bear Transfer Station / West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill</b> DROP OFF FOR A FEE	
	<b>Super Compost Soil Amendment</b>	Golden Bear Transfer Station / West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill	DROP OFF FOR A FEE	<b>Golden Bear Transfer Station / West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill</b> See location details for more information.
	<b>Tables</b>	Urban Ore On Call Bulky Item Pick Up Golden Bear Transfer Station / West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill	FREE	<b>Urban Ore</b> - Furniture must be fully assembled with no missing pieces. - Particle board furniture must be in near perfect condition.  <b>On-Call Bulky Pickup</b> See location details for more information.  <b>Golden Bear Transfer Station / West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill</b> See location details for more information.
	<b>Take Out Container (Clear Plastic Clamshell)</b>	Regular Garbage Bin	FREE	Must be clean and dry.
	<b>Take Out Container (Polystyrene Clamshells)</b>	Regular Trash Bin	FREE	
	<b>Take Out Containers Cardboard</b>	Compost Bin	FREE	
	<b>Take Out Containers Cardboard (Food-soiled, Plastic-Coated, or Wax-Coated)</b>	Regular Garbage Bin	FREE	

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	Take Out Containers Chinese To Go Box	Regular Garbage Bin	FREE	
	Tape	Regular Recycling Bin  Regular Garbage Bin	FREE	Only paper tape can be recycled. Plastic tape must be thrown in the trash.
	Tea Bag	Compost Bin  Regular Garbage Bin	FREE	<b>*TIP</b> Buy tea bags made with unbleached paper.  <b>Compost Bin</b> 100% fiber paper tea bags go in the compost bin.  <b>Regular Garbage Bin</b> - Plastic tea bags go in the regular garbage bin. - Pyramid tea bags go in the regular garbage bin.
	Television	Best Buy  Staples  eWaste Collective  Urban Ore  West Contra Costa County Household Waste Facility	FREE	<b>Best Buy</b> - Offers a trade-in program for more desired electronics. - Accepts up to three items per day from each household.  <b>Urban Ore</b> - Televisions must be working for reuse. - Does not accept: cathode-ray tubes (older computer monitors and televisions). - See location details for more information.  <b>West Contra Costa County Hazardous Waste Facility</b> Proof of residency required. See location details for hours of operation and more details.
	Tires	Tires Direct  On-Call Bulky Item Pick Up  Golden Bear Transfer Station / West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill	<b>Tires Direct</b> DROP OFF FOR A FEE  <b>On-Call Bulky Item Pick-Up</b> FREE  <b>Golden Bear Transfer Station/ West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill</b> DROP OFF FOR A FEE	- It is illegal to put tires in the garbage. - Upcycle by using as a swing or planter. - Leave old tires with your car dealer.  <b>On-Call Bulky Item Pick Up</b> See location details for more information.  <b>Golden Bear Transfer Station / West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill</b> - Tires larger than 41" in diameter are NOT ACCEPTED. - See location details for more information.
	Toaster (Not Working)	eWaste Collective  Berkeley Recycling Center	FREE	
	Toaster (Working)	Urban Ore  Goodwill	FREE	<b>Urban Ore</b> - Must be rust free, and working. - Can also accept metal appliances for dismantling into scrap, but we may charge a drop off fee. - See location details for more information.
	Toilets	Urban Ore  On-Call Bulky Item PickUp  Golden Bear Transfer Station / West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill	<b>Urban Ore</b> DROP OFF FOR A FEE  <b>On-Call Bulky Item Pick-UP</b> FREE  <b>Golden Bear Transfer Station / West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill</b> FREE	<b>Urban Ore</b> - Must be clean. - See location details for more information.  <b>On-Call Bulky Item Pick-Up</b> See location details for more information.  <b>Golden Bear Transfer Station / West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill</b> See location details for more information.
	Toner Cartridges and Ink Cartridges	Best Buy  Staples  El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center  West Contra Costa County Household Hazardous Waste Facility	FREE	<b>Best Buy</b> Accepts up to three items per day from each household.  <b>El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center</b> See location details for more information.  <b>West Contra Costa County Household Hazardous Waste Facility</b> - Tighten lids and place leaking or dirty containers in strong plastic bags. - Pack individual containers in a sturdy box or tub with absorbent material such as newspaper. - Proof of residency required. See location details for hours of operation and more details.

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	<b>Tree Chunks, Stumps, or Root Balls</b>	Golden Bear Transfer Station / West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill	DROP OFF FOR A FEE	
	<b>Used Kitchen Fats/Oils/Grease</b>	Regular Trash Bin West Contra Costa County Household Hazardous Waste Facility	FREE	<b>*TIP</b> You can reuse cooking oil more than ten times. Filter out the food particles by straining the oil into a clean container.  <b>Regular Trash Bin</b> You may dispose of small amounts of household cooking oil and grease into the trash after it has cooled down and solidified.  <b>West Contra Costa County Household Hazardous Waste Facility</b> - Maximum is fifteen (15) gallons per person (divided into three 5-gallon containers). - Do not mix materials in the same container. - Tighten lids and place leaking or dirty containers in strong plastic bags. - Pack individual containers in a sturdy box or tub with absorbent material such as newspaper. - See location details for more information.
	<b>Wall Heaters</b>	Urban Ore	DROP OFF FOR A FEE	<b>Urban Ore</b> See location details for more information.
	<b>Water Heaters</b>	Urban Ore On Call Bulky Item Pick Up Golden Bear Transfer Station / West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill	<b>Urban Ore</b> DROP OFF FOR A FEE <b>On Call Bulky Item Pick Up</b> FREE <b>Golden Bear Transfer Station / West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill</b> DROP OFF FOR A FEE	<b>Urban Ore</b> See location details for more information. <b>On Call Bulky Item Pick Up</b> See location details for more information. <b>Golden Bear Transfer Station / West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill</b> See location details for more information.
	<b>Wireless Headphones</b>	Best Buy Apple Staples eWaste Collective West Contra Costa County Hazardous Waste Facility	FREE	<b>Best Buy</b> - Offers a trade-in program for more desired electronics. - Accepts up to three items per day from each household.  <b>Apple</b> Will give you a credit depending on the condition of your electronics and if the item has monetary value.  <b>West Contra Costa County Hazardous Waste Facility</b> Proof of residency required. See location details for hours of operation and more details.
	<b>Wiring and Cables</b>	El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center eWaste Collective	FREE	<b>El Cerrito Recycling and Environmental Resource Center</b> - Place in e-waste bin. - See location details for more information.
	<b>Wood Waste</b>	Golden Bear Transfer Station / West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill	DROP OFF FOR A FEE	<b>Golden Bear Transfer Station / West Contra Costa Sanitary Landfill</b> - See location details for more information.