

Suisun City

Recycling, Organics and Waste Services



SPRUCE UP YOUR HOLIDAYS WITH THESE SUSTAINABILITY TIPS.

Reduce Your Food Waste

Food is an important component of holiday traditions. Here are some tips to reduce food waste during the holidays:

- Use the same ingredients for multiple recipes. Make a list before you go shopping, note items that you already have in your pantry or refrigerator.
- Try to cook portion sizes according to your number of guests.
- Send guest home with leftovers.



Remember to Compost Your Organic Waste

Republic Services takes organic waste to a compost facility where organic waste is turned into nutrient-rich compost that can be used in gardens and to grow more food.



**Food
Waste**



**Yard
Waste**



**Food-Soiled
Paper**

Repurpose Leftovers

- Freeze leftovers.
- Plan a fridge cleanout day, and repurpose leftovers to make casseroles, soup, sandwiches or stir-fry dishes.
- Donate shelf-stable or unopened items to a local food bank.

Reuse

- Save non-recyclable items, like bubble wrap, ribbons and bows, for your next gifting event.
- Consider donating items that can be reused.
- Used cooking oil can be reused and can be filtered and refined to create biodiesel and for other uses, such as animal feed. Take used oil to the BOPA facility located at:

2901 Industrial Court

**Monday - Friday, 8 a.m. - 4 p.m.
(closed from 11:45 a.m. - 1 p.m.)**

Place your used cooking oil in a container no larger than 5 gallons.

Recycle What You Can

As you give and receive gifts this holiday season, be mindful of what materials are recyclable and what items are trash.

- Ensure that recyclable materials are empty, clean and dry before placing them in your recycling cart.
- Never place recyclable materials inside other containers or trash bags. Please do not place plastic bags, clothes or shoes in the recycling cart.
- Recycle flattened boxes, plain wrapping paper, paper-only cards (no glitter, foil or singing cards), paper gift bags (no handles or ribbon) and tissue paper.
- Toss plastic bags, clothes or shoes in the trash.
- Don't place electronic waste and batteries in your recycling, organics or trash cart. Electronic waste must be properly disposed of, and these items can be recycled at the Republic Services BOPA facility.

Street Sweeping

As Fall approaches, our street sweepers will be working hard to keep the city's streets and curbs free of leaves and debris. We need your help so we can effectively sweep your neighborhood.



- Know your street sweeping day, and move vehicles off the street. A single parked car means three car lengths of space cannot be swept.
- Do not pile, rake, sweep or blow anything into the street or gutter.
- Keep tree branches and shrubs trimmed to allow sweepers to maneuver near the curb.
- Report abandoned vehicles to SCPD at **707.421.7373**. For concerns or comments, please email **adum@suisun.com**.



Please scan this QR code by opening your camera app to find your street sweeping day.

Don't Forget to Schedule Your FREE Bulky Waste Pickup

Each household has one (1) free bulky waste pickup per year. The free bulky waste pickup includes:

- Up to three (3) cubic yards of trash and
- Two (2) bulk waste items (sofas, mattresses, large appliances)

Bulk items may be collected by different trucks, depending on what materials you need to dispose of. For example, if your bulk waste consists of one mattress and one appliance, you will have two different collection trucks picking up these items.

There is a charge for Freon® removal and for cathode-ray tubes (CRTs).

It Is Easy to Schedule!

Call Republic Services at **707.437.8900** to schedule your free bulk waste pickup. Small or loose items need to be placed in a bag, or be bundled for collection, and they need to weigh less than 50 pounds. Place items on the curb before 6 a.m. on the designated collection date.



Monitoring Contamination

State law Senate Bill (SB) 1383 requires local jurisdictions to monitor contamination and proper sorting of organics and recycling by performing annual Route Reviews. Areas of Suisun City were selected to review residents' recycling, trash and organics carts. Route reviews were conducted in May and June 2025. Republic Services Sustainability Advisors left a door tag and contacted residents who had contamination in their recycling, trash and/or organics carts.

Here are some areas for improvement:

Recycling carts: Please don't place plastic bags in the recycling cart. Make sure that recyclable materials are empty, clean and dry. Don't bag your recyclable materials.

Organics carts: Plastic bags or plastic film cannot be placed in the organics cart. Plastic cannot be composted. You can only use compostable bags that are certified by the Bioproducts Institute (BPI). These bags will have the BPI logo. You can also use a paper bag. Please remove any plastic from produce items.

Please Help Us Serve You Better

Please place carts at least 2 ft. apart and 6 ft. away from other objects, such as cars, mailboxes and light poles.



Holiday Service Schedule

Republic Services observes Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day and New Year's Day. If your regular service day falls on or after a holiday, service will be delayed one day. Residents who are usually serviced on Friday will be serviced on Saturday.

Thanksgiving Day: Thursday, November 27, 2025

No service changes for Suisun City residents. Recycling, organics and trash will be serviced on your regular service day. The administrative office, buy-back and BOPA facilities will be closed on Thursday, November 27, and Friday, November 28.

Christmas Day: Thursday, December 25, 2025

New Year's Day: Thursday, January 1, 2026

No service changes for Suisun City residents. Recycling, organics and trash will be serviced on your regular service day. The administrative office, buy-back and BOPA facilities will be closed on Thursday, December 25, 2025, and Thursday, January 1, 2026.