

Clayton

WINTER 2026
Residential Recycling & Waste Solutions



Sustainability in Action

Extra Garbage, Recycling, or Green Waste? Use Your Free On-Call Cleanups!



Each year, Clayton residents may schedule up to two (2) free garbage cleanups and four (4) free recycling/green waste cleanups, in addition to unlimited large item pickups.

Cleanups and large item pickups must be scheduled in advance—call Customer Service at **925.685.4711** for more information or to schedule. For details and cleanup instructions, visit RepublicServices.com/ClaytonCA.

Garbage

Two (2) FREE on-call garbage cleanups per year. Each cleanup is up to two (2) cubic yards of trash, or approximately fourteen 32-gallon bags. No green waste, hazardous waste, appliances, or e-waste. No items over four feet long and two feet in diameter, and no single item (or bag) over 50 lbs.

Recycle or Green Waste

Four (4) FREE on-call recycling or green waste cleanups per year. Green waste must be in paper or BPI-certified compostable bags, no plastic bags. Cut and tie branches, prunings, or wood so bundles are 3 ft or less in length and less than 3 ft in diameter. Cardboard must be cut or bundled 4 ft x 4 ft. No single bag or bundle over 50 lbs.

Bulky Items

FREE unlimited large item pickups. Items included: appliances (*dishwasher, washer/dryer, stove, refrigerator, freezer, water heater, air conditioner, swamp cooler*), electronics, furniture, mattresses, tires.

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Recycling and Composting Reminders



Sorting Your Cardboard

Paper and cardboard should be placed in your RECYCLE cart, but only if it's **clean**. Unlined (not shiny) paper and cardboard that is **food-soiled**, such as paper towels, napkins, and pizza boxes, should be placed in your green ORGANICS cart.

* *Clean paper and cardboard go in the RECYCLE cart; Food-soiled paper and cardboard go in the ORGANICS cart.*



Composting Correctly

Vegetable scraps, fruit peels, and other food scraps that can't be eaten must be composted to comply with Senate Bill ("SB") 1383. Place any food scraps in your green ORGANICS cart, along with your yard trimmings and food-soiled paper products. If you wrap your food scraps, use only newspaper, paper bags, or BPI-Certified compostable bags (marked "Compostable: BPI-Meets ASTM 6400 Standard").

* *Remember to place yard trimmings, food scraps, and food-soiled paper products inside your ORGANICS cart.*

Landfill



Recycle



Compost



Empty, Clean, and Dry

BAGS: Compostable BPI (meets ASTM 6400 Standard); Paper Bags; No Bags

- No Food
- No Paper
- No Green Waste
- No Recyclable Material
- No Hazardous Waste



- No Liquids
- No Textiles
- No Carpet
- No Food
- No Green Waste
- No Hazardous Waste
- No Styrofoam®

Recyclables should be loose (no bags). A second recycle cart is available at no charge. Call Customer Service 925.685.4711 to request one.



- No Metal
- No Glass
- No Plastic
- No Hazardous Waste
- No Compostable Utensils or Cups
- No Pet Waste

Organics should be loose (no bags) or in compostable or paper bags only. No plastic bags. A second green cart is available at no charge. Call Customer Service 925.685.4711 to request one.



Not sure how to correctly dispose of an item? Visit Resource.Stopwaste.org to get answers and nearby reuse, repair, recycling, and safe disposal options.



Join the Cleaner Contra Costa Challenge!

The Cleaner Contra Costa Challenge is an online platform that helps Contra Costa residents reduce their carbon footprint by providing tips, incentives, and resources. Collect points by taking actions that reduce your household's overall carbon footprint. Earn points to be eligible to receive prizes such as reusable utensils, straws, and bags!

Visit CleanerContraCosta.org to sign up, or for more information.

FOR MORE INFORMATION
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