



## **Carpet Recycling Offered in Amador County**

With some 300 million pounds discarded each year, used carpet takes up precious space in California landfills. But used carpet can be recycled at specific drop-off sites across California and made into useful new products,

In Amador County, carpet can be recycled at the Western Amador Recycling Facility, located at 6500 Buena Vista Rd. Ione, CA. The CARE Drop-Off Site map can be found [here](#). We are open 7 days a week to the public, but please check our hours of operation, as they change seasonally. By recycling used carpet, you are helping the community to reduce the amount of waste going to landfill and reach zero waste goals.

A carpet stewardship law passed in 2010 aims to increase carpet recycling opportunities. Post-consumer carpet is recycled by processors into fibers or plastic pellets, which can be used to make a broad range of products, including carpet, carpet tiles, carpet underlayment, and products for the automotive, transportation, and construction industries.

Visit the CARE website at <https://carpetrecovery.org/california/for> more information.