

# Redmond Curbside News



## Community Events

- ▶ **Redmond National Night Out:** Tuesday, August 4, 2026, 6 p.m. – 8 p.m. at Centennial Park, Redmond (446 SW 9th Street).

Bring the family, and enjoy this free community event, hosted by the Redmond Police Department. Enjoy fun activities, and interact with local police officers and other community organizations. Stop by our booth, and learn more about our recycling and composting programs, along with tips and resources for waste prevention.

- ▶ **Music on the Green Concert Series:** June 24 – September 2, 5:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. at American Legion Community Park, Redmond (850 SW Rimrock Way).

Redmond's annual free summer music series is back. Enjoy this family-friendly music series, food and crafts. Stop by our booth, and test your recycling knowledge. Pick up a recycling guide, and learn about composting options and tips to help reduce waste. For more information about the concert series, go to [VisitRedmondOregon.com](https://www.visitredmondoregon.com).

## Waste Prevention Resources

Making new products emits greenhouse gases and requires a lot of materials and energy. As a result, reduction and reuse are the most effective way to save natural resources, protect the environment, and potentially save money. Taking small actions can lead to positive changes in reducing waste.

The Environmental Center's Rethink Waste Project offers training and presentations, reuse and food waste prevention tips, hosted repair cafes, sharing events and more. Sign up for their monthly newsletter, or check out all the resources they have to offer, at [Rethinkwasteproject.org](https://www.rethinkwasteproject.org).

## Commingled Recycling Materials and Preparation

Simple practices, like rinsing containers, removing food waste, and sorting materials properly, help ensure recyclables can be processed effectively. See the recycling collection schedule on the back page.

**Acceptable materials:** mixed paper, magazines, newspaper, flattened cardboard, aluminum and steel cans. Plastic bottles, jugs and tubs must be at least 2 inches by 2 inches. Plastic screw-on caps can stay on plastic bottles and jugs.

Never bag recyclables. Place recyclables loose in the cart. Plastic bags tangle equipment and contaminate other materials. Plastic bags and film can be recycled separately at most grocery stores or County Transfer Stations.

Recycling conserves energy and natural resources. By reusing materials, we lessen the need to extract new resources. Recycling guides are available at our office or at [RepublicServices.com/CentralOregon](https://www.RepublicServices.com/CentralOregon).

## Yard Debris and Food Waste Collection

Sign up for compost service and start composting yard debris and food scraps. It's an easy way to divert waste from the landfill and turn organic waste into nutrient-rich soil for your garden beds. Composting offers benefits like reduced waste, improved soil health, reduced methane emissions and conserving water.

Acceptable materials include meat, dairy, bakery, produce, plate scraps, coffee grounds and yard debris. Place food and yard debris loose in the cart. Layer yard debris and food waste to help keep the cart clearer and odor-free. Keep material clean, and never place plastic bags, food containers, grease/oil, trash or pet waste in your organics cart.

Call **541.548.4984** to sign up.

# 2026 City of Redmond Recycling and Yard Waste Collection Calendar

For information about your service, and to receive important alerts and notifications, please sign up for an online account through the Republic Services website or app. Recycling and composting guides are available online at [RepublicServices.com/CentralOregon](https://RepublicServices.com/CentralOregon).

■ Holidays 
 ■ Recycling 
 ■ Yard Waste

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