

2015 Recycling Events

Don't miss the Fit 'n Fun Earth Day Fair • April 25

10 a.m. – 3 p.m. • Columbia Neighborhood Center • 785 Morse Ave., Sunnyvale
Health & Nutrition • Exhibits • Games • Music • Stunts • Sports Clinic • Kids' Activities

Compost Workshops

Second Saturdays, February – November
Las Palmas Park, 850 Russet Drive
10 a.m. – noon, registration required.

Learn to compost your yard trimmings and food scraps.

Pre-register for a workshop at ReduceWaste.org/Classes or call (408) 918-4640.

FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN
14	14	11	9	13
JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV
11	8	12	10	14

Document Shredding Events

SMaRT Station
8 a.m. to noon

Shred confidential documents to guard against identity theft. Limit five bags or boxes per household; proof of Sunnyvale, Mountain View or Palo Alto residency required. Documents are shredded on site.

MAY	AUG	NOV
30	22	7

Citywide Garage Sale Day

9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

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12 Clean out clutter and promote reuse — have a garage sale — the City will advertise it for you. Register your sale at CitywideGarageSaleDay.com or call (408) 730-7262. Consider donating unsold items rather than disposing of them in the garbage.

Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) Drop-off Events

Third Saturdays, January – June
164 Carl Road, 8 a.m. to 1 p.m.

JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN
17	21	21	18	16	20

Starting July, New Sunnyvale Drop-off Location— Corporation Yard
New Schedule — Quarterly Events
July and October, third Saturdays
Corporation Yard, 8 a.m. – 1 p.m.

JUL	OCT	New: Appointments are required to attend quarterly drop-off events.
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Make An Appointment

Residents may visit HHW.org and select the green "Make An Appointment" button to use the convenient online appointment system, or call (408) 299-7300.

The SMaRT Station does not accept hazardous waste.

Paint — Drop off unused, leftover paint at paint stores listed at HHW.org.

Medications — Drop off unused, expired medications, vitamins, salves or ointments at any Sunnyvale Fire Station.

San Jose HHW Drop-off Events

Fridays, 8 a.m. – noon
Saturdays, 8 a.m. – 1 p.m.
(Except Holidays)

Visit HHW.org, or call (408) 299-7300 for appointments and location.

Extra Dumping Weekends

SMaRT Station
8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Dispose of non-hazardous extra garbage at no charge. Vehicles limited to one-ton capacity; trailers may not exceed five feet by 10 feet. Proof of residency required. A \$15 fee will be charged for uncovered loads.

MAY	MAY	MAY	MAY
2	3	9	10
OCT	OCT	OCT	OCT
3	4	10	11

Contact Us

Utilities Customer Service
(408) 730-7400
Utilities.inSunnyvale.com

- Start, stop or change garbage and water services
- On-Call Collection appointments
- Debris box rentals
- Cart repair/replacement
- Used oil jugs and bags

Recycling Information
(408) 730-7262
Recycling.inSunnyvale.com

SMaRT Station
(408) 752-8530

- Compost availability
- Disposal fees

Specialty Solid Waste & Recycling
(408) 565-9900, SSWR.com
Missed garbage and recycling pick ups

Recycling.inSunnyvale.com



Sunnyvale Recycling Guide

Recycle at Home

Sunnyvale residents receive weekly garbage, recycling and yard trimmings collection service. This guide provides information on what can be recycled and how to prepare your materials for curbside collection.

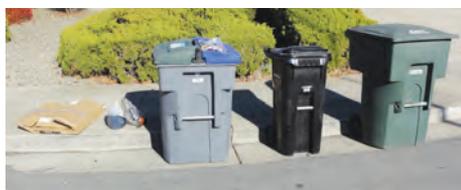
What to Recycle

Paper

- Catalogs, magazines, phone books, paperback books
- Newspapers, inserts, junk mail
- Cereal, cake mix and tissue boxes (remove plastic liners)
- Copier, office and construction paper
- Gift wrap, greeting cards (non-metallic)

How to Prepare Materials

Single-Family Carts Service



- **Cardboard** — Tie or tape flattened cardboard boxes in 30x30x6-inch bundles; place next to recycling cart.
- **Batteries** — Tape positive battery ends; seal in zip-locked bag, place on top of recycling cart.
- **Motor Oil** — Pour used oil into gallon jugs and seal filter in zip-locked bag; place at curb. Contact Utilities Customer Service (408) 730-7400 for bags and jugs.
- Place carts at the curb by 7 a.m. on service days; remove carts from public view once serviced.
- Allow a two-foot space between carts or obstacles to allow for automated collection.
- Do not block driveways, storm drains or meter boxes.

Extra Garbage Disposal Options

Extra Garbage Bag Tags — For a few extra bags of garbage — tags available for \$6 at local grocery stores and City facilities, one tag per extra bag.

On-Call Collection — Schedule two appointments per year for up to two cubic yards of contained garbage PLUS two bulky items, call (408) 730-7400.

Containers

- Glass bottles and jars
- Metal cans
- Plastic #1–#7 bottles and tubs

Reduce Contamination

- Wipe or rinse containers before recycling.
- Do not place recyclables inside plastic bags prior to placing inside recycling carts.

Multi-Family Bin and Cart Service

Lids Must Remain Closed Keep Waste Collection Areas Clean



- **Flatten Cardboard** — Place inside garbage bins, or neatly stack in waste enclosures.
- **Large Items** — Dispose of large items at SMaRT Station, fees apply. Consider Extra Dumping Weekends for no-cost disposal.
- Do not abandon garbage bags or large items in waste areas.

Keep It Clean

- Help prevent litter — Do NOT overfill carts or bins.
- Do not place household hazardous waste in carts or bins; recycle at HHW drop-off events.

Recycle at the SMaRT Station®

Open Daily 8 a.m.–5 p.m.
Closed Thanksgiving Day
December 25 • January 1

Resident Services

- **Recycling Center** — Accepts all curbside recyclables and these items at no charge:



- **Buy-Back Center** — Get cash for California Redemption Value (CRV) bottles and cans.
- **Self-Haul Disposal** — Non-hazardous extra garbage and large items disposal. Fees based on type of material per cubic yard. Tarp all loads or pay a fee of \$15. Separate recyclables from garbage to keep landfill disposal costs low.
- **Compost** — Available at no charge. One load per week, up to three 32-gallon cans. Bring your own shovel and containers. Call for availability at (408) 752-8530.

Business Services

- Recycle paper, glass, metal, plastics #1–#7 and cardboard at no charge.
- Dispose of non-hazardous garbage, large items, furniture, soil, sod, wood, building materials and concrete. Fees apply.
- For hazardous waste disposal, contact County of Santa Clara at HHW.org, or call (800) 207-8222 for an appointment.

