

Commercial/Multifamily Recycling

A Service Provided by the City of Brentwood Solid Waste Division

Choose a Bin or Cart to Fit Your Recycling Needs

– Call (925) 516-6090



8-YARD BIN – Ideal for retailers and other businesses with large volumes of recyclables such as paper and cardboard. Collections are weekly.

3-YARD BIN – Suitable for customers with moderate amounts of recyclables. Collections are weekly.



CARTS – Best for shops, offices and businesses that need recycling service similar to that of residential customers. Collections are bi-weekly (every other week). See web links on back page.

Materials Acceptable for Recycling

Paper

- Books
- Boxes, packages
- Carbonless paper
- Cardboard (cut to fit in cart)
- Catalogs
- Cereal boxes
- Colored/construction paper
- Computer paper
- Copy paper
- Coupons
- Detergent boxes
- Egg cartons (no Styro-foam)
- Envelopes with metal clasps
- Envelopes with plastic windows
- Frozen food packages
- Gift wrap (non-metallic)
- Junk mail
- Magazines
- Manila folders
- Newspapers and inserts
- Paper (adhesive/Post-its)
- Paper bags
- Paper packaging (tape OK)
- Paper towel tubes
- Pet food bags
- Pizza boxes
- Ribbon
- Shredded paper (in a paper bag)
- Telephone books
- Tissue paper (gift type)
- Toilet paper tubes

Metal

- Aerosol cans (empty)
- All-metal utensils
- Aluminum cans
- Aluminum foil (clean)
- Aluminum pie plates
- Cookie sheets
- CRV beverage cans
- Food cans
- Paint cans (empty, dried, latex)
- Pet food cans
- Steel cans
- Tin cans

Glass

- Bottles and jars
- CRV beverage containers

Plastic

- Baby wipe containers

- Bleach bottles
- Buckets without handles
- Condiment bottles (rinsed)
- CRV containers (soda, water, juice)
- Detergent bottles
- Food containers
- Fruit baskets (#1-#7)
- Household cleaning containers
- Lids and caps
- Milk jugs
- Plant containers (#1-#7)
- Prescription bottles (empty)
- Shampoo/Conditioner bottles
- Tub containers (#1-#7)
- Water jugs



State Recycling Mandate (AB341)

Businesses that generate over four cubic yards of solid waste per week and multifamily complexes with five units or more are subject to mandatory recycling (AB 341), as required by the California Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery (CalRecycle).

The City of Brentwood is responsible for ensuring that customers comply with AB341 and for providing education and outreach to customers affected by the mandates.

More Recycling Guidelines

Household Hazardous Waste and E-Waste

Brentwood actively participates in the safe reduction and disposal of Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) and E-Waste at the Delta HHW Collection Facility at 2550 Pittsburg-Antioch Highway, Pittsburg.

Brentwood solid waste customers may drop off materials at the facility above at no charge.

For hours and information, call the Delta HHW Collection Facility at (925) 756-1990 or visit Delta's website: ddsd.org.

ACCEPTABLE E-WASTE FOR DELTA HHW FACILITY Your item qualifies as e-waste if it can be plugged in.

- Computers, laptops
- Electronic lab equipment (no radioactives)
- Fax machines
- Keyboards, mice, hard drives, printers
- Microwaves (no other large appliances)
- Musical greeting cards
- Oscilloscopes
- Paper shredders
- PC boards/loose PCBAs
- Portable electronic devices (PDAs, PSPs, etc.)
- Power cords
- Power supplies
- Radios/stereo equipment
- Satellite dish-receivers
- Small appliances
- Tape, zip, optical drives
- Telephones/cell phones/answering machines
- TVs/computer monitors
- VCR/DVD players



HAZARDOUS WASTE FOR DELTA HHW FACILITY

- Antifreeze
- Batteries
- Cooking oil/grease
- Drain openers
- Fertilizers
- Fluorescent bulbs
- Gasoline
- Grease, rust solvents
- Herbicides
- High-intensity lamps
- Household cleaners
- Lighter fluid
- Mercury thermometers
- Motor oil
- Nail polish, removers
- Oven cleaners
- Paints, stains
- Paint thinners, strippers
- Pesticides, insecticides
- Pharmaceuticals
- Pool chemicals
- Propane tanks
- Sharps
- Shoes with flashing lights
- Used oil filters
- Vacuum gauges
- Wood, metal cleaners



PHARMACEUTICALS & SHARPS DISPOSAL

The Delta HHW Collection Facility accepts needles and medical sharps. Call (925) 756-1990 for additional information.

City Center Pharmacy, 50 Eagle Rock Way, Brentwood, accepts sharps containers free of charge. Call (925) 240-9777 or visit www.citycenterpharmacy.com for more information.

Sharps Compliance, Inc., (sharpsinc.com) offers a program for unused medications and medical sharps containers. Please visit the company website for locations near you.



NOT ACCEPTABLE HAZARDOUS WASTE

For more information contact the Delta HHW Collection Facility by calling (925) 756-1990 or visiting ddsd.org.

- Asbestos
- Explosives
- Medical waste
- Radioactive materials
- Rail ties
- Treated wood
- Tires

RECYCLING REMINDERS

- No plastic bags. Return plastic bags to the grocery store or re-use them.
- No Styrofoam or polystyrene packing peanuts.
- No food or food wrappers.
- No garbage or organic waste materials.
- No restroom waste.
- No metal pipe, plumbing fixtures or appliances.
- No ceramics, window glass, drinking glasses or light bulbs.
- No e-waste or hazardous material such as paint, batteries, oil, fluorescent tubes or compact fluorescent lights (CFLs).
- For missed service, call (925) 516-6090 within 24 hours.
- For recycling and reuse options visit www.ccrecycle.org or call (800) 750-4096.

Recycling Extra Cardboard



To recycle clean, unsoiled cardboard that won't fit in your recycling cart or bin, you may drop off **FREE OF CHARGE** at dumpsters labeled "Cardboard Only" at the City's drop-off site at 2301 Elkins Way.

The bins are available for drop-off 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday-Saturday. The cardboard should be broken down, flattened and placed inside the bins.

Video cameras monitor the site for the safety of residents and to ensure compliance with the site's hours and drop-off policies.

For More Information Contact the City's Solid Waste Division

Phone:
(925) 516-6090

email:
solidwaste@brentwoodca.gov

Our website:
<http://www.brentwoodca.gov/gov/pw/recycling/default.asp>

Division Hours
7 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Monday-Friday
You can leave a message 24 hours a day.