



*Business & Commercial  
Reuse and Recycling Guide*

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 Environmental Health Division  
 Recycling and Resource Recovery Services  
 1270 Natividad Road  
 Salinas, CA 93906  
 (831) 755-4579  
[www.co.monterey.ca.us/recycle](http://www.co.monterey.ca.us/recycle)*



## **Agricultural By-products**

### ***Universal Plastic Recycling***

9110-B Alcosta Blvd. #211  
San Ramon, CA. 94583  
(510) 377-1196

[universalrecycling@prodigy.net](mailto:universalrecycling@prodigy.net)

*Accepts Ag-Plastics, Fumigation Film, Mulch Film, Drip tape, Buckets, Chemical Jugs, Nursery pots and trays, etc.; Out-dated and odd material/packing stock; cardboard, stretch wrap, pallet wrap, plastic film, Office papers and files, newspapers, metals and mixed material. Provides recycling equipment.*

### ***ENO Plastics***

460 Calle San Pablo #D  
Camarillo, CA 93010  
Toll Free: (877) ENO-PLAS  
Telephone: (805) 987-6655  
FAX: (805) 987-6611

[zach@enoplastics.com](mailto:zach@enoplastics.com)

*Accepts Ag-Plastics and Drip tape.*

### ***Interstate Ag Plastics***

P.O. Box 265  
Buttonwillow, CA 93206  
(661) 764-9614

## **Appliances**

### ***A & S Metals- Salinas***

456 Brunken Ave.  
Salinas, CA 93901  
(831) 424-3367

[www.asmetals.com](http://www.asmetals.com)

*Recycles appliances but charges fee for Freon removal.*

### ***A & S Metals- Castroville***

11340 Commercial Pkwy.  
Castroville, CA 95012  
(831) 633-3379

*Recycles appliances that contain no Freon.*

### ***Pacific Gas and Electric Company***

(800) 299-7573

[www.pge.com/res/rebates](http://www.pge.com/res/rebates)

*Cash Rebates for Old Refrigerators, Clothes Washers*

### ***JACO Environmental Inc.***

(800) 741-0172

*Recycling pick-up service available in Monterey County. Call for more information.*

### ***Monterey Regional Waste Management District:***

#### ***Household Hazardous Waste Facility, & Last Chance Mercantile***

14201 Del Monte Blvd.  
Marina, CA 93933  
(831) 384-5313

[www.mrwmd.org](http://www.mrwmd.org)

*Disposal fee for refrigerators, freezers and air conditioners.*

**O'Neil Recycling Co.**

922 North 9th St.  
San Jose, CA 951122940  
(408) 295-7948

*Receives discarded equipment for recycling at warehouse for a small fee.*

**Saint Vincent de Paul Appliance Recycling**

705 S. Seneca  
Eugene, OR 97402  
Contact: Mark Belmer  
(541) 687-5820

[mbelmer@sudp.us](mailto:mbelmer@sudp.us)

<http://www.sudp.us/mainsite/recycling.html>

## **Auto Parts and Accessories**

**Abbott Street Radiator**

574 Brunken Ave  
Salinas, CA 93901  
(831) 424-1125

*Will pay for radiators from the public.*

**All Import and American Auto Wreckers**

516 F Dolan Rd.  
Moss Landing, CA 95039  
(831) 633-2188

*Buys whole cars, trucks & RVs depending on make, model, and value.*

**Coast Auto Supplies and Dismantling**

112 Lee Rd.  
Watsonville, CA 95076  
(831) 424-6602

[www.cautosupply.com](http://www.cautosupply.com)

*Wrecked cars must be 1985 model or newer.*

**Pick-n-Pull**

516 B Dolan Rd.  
Moss Landing, CA 95039  
(831) 632-4015

*Small entrance fee into auto yard.*

## **Automotive Batteries**

**A & S Metals- Salinas & Castroville**

See "**Appliances**"

**AMD Recycling**

324 Kings St.  
Salinas, CA 93905  
(831) 754-5639

**D & D Recycling**

710 B Walker St.  
Watsonville, CA 95076  
(831) 722-3597

**Kragen Auto Parts**

(877) 808-0698  
[www.kragen.com](http://www.kragen.com)

***One Stop Recycling***

810 East St. #6  
Hollister, CA 95023  
(831) 637-1321

***Monterey Regional Waste Management District- Household Hazardous Waste Facility***

See "**Appliances**"

*Hazardous waste drop-off free to district residents (fee charged for small businesses).*

***Johnson Canyon Landfill, Household Hazardous Waste Facility***

31400 Johnson Canyon Rd.  
Gonzales, CA 93926  
(831) 675-2165  
[www.svswa.org](http://www.svswa.org)

***Crazy Horse Landfill and ABOP***

350 Crazy Horse Canyon Rd.  
Salinas, CA 93907  
(831) 663-2796  
[www.svswa.org](http://www.svswa.org)

***Jolon Road Transfer Station and ABOP***

52654 Jolon Rd.  
King City, CA 93930  
(831) 385-6213  
[www.svswa.org](http://www.svswa.org)

***Sun Street Transfer Station, Household Hazardous Waste Facility***

139 Sun Street  
Salinas, CA 93901  
(831) 424-5535  
[www.svswa.org](http://www.svswa.org)

***HHW Facility at Buena Vista Landfill***

1231 Buena Vista Drive  
Watsonville, CA 95076  
(831) 454-2430

***HHW Facility at Ben Lomond Transfer Station***

9835 Newell Creek Road  
Ben Lomond, CA 95060  
(831) 454-2430

***HHW Facility at City of Santa Cruz Resource Recovery Facility***

605 Dimeo Lane  
Santa Cruz, CA 95060  
(831) 420-6270

***John Smith Road Landfill***

2650 John Smith Road  
Hollister, CA 95023  
(831) 637-4515

## Building Materials

### ***Last Chance Mercantile at MRWMD***

See "**Appliances**"

*Sells used tools, doors, windows, fixtures, etc.*

### ***Randazzo Enterprises***

13550 Blackie Rd.

Castroville, CA 95012

(800) 633-9039

[www.randazzoenterprises.com](http://www.randazzoenterprises.com)

*Reuse store sells a wide variety of used building materials.*

### ***Habitat for Humanity Restore***

On CSUMB campus

Monterey County HFH

PO Box 742

Seaside, Ca 93955

(831) 422-4828

[info@habitatmonterey.org](mailto:info@habitatmonterey.org)

<http://www.habitatmonterey.org>

*ReStore sells new and used building materials and home improvement items to the general public. All materials are donated and are made available for sale to the public at 50% to 90% below retail prices. Accepts gently-used materials and offer convenient pick-up service. All donations are tax-deductible and proceeds are used to build decent, affordable homes for families in need.*

### ***Super Link Plastic, Inc.***

888 92nd Ave.

Oakland, CA 94603

(510) 568-1086

[www.superlinkusa.com](http://www.superlinkusa.com)

*Accepts any type of plastic, cardboard, and mixed office paper. Recycling equipment, such as compactors, balers, bins, and/or containers, may be placed at the generator's facility. In many cases, there is payment for the recyclables or pickup of goods at no charge.*

## Burlap

### ***EcoFiber Textile Recycling Facility***

90170 Prairie Rd.

Eugene, OR 97402

Contact: Art Taylor

(541) 607-5032

<http://www.svdp.us/mainsite/recycling.html>

### ***RAFT – Resource Area for Teachers***

1355 Ridder Park Drive

San Jose, CA 95131

(408) 451-1420

[www.raft.net](http://www.raft.net)

*Non-profit organization that provides teachers and community groups with creative tools and materials to promote hands-on teaching in science, math, technology, and art. Accepts everyday items like computers, office supplies, and manufacturing by-products.*

### ***DR3 Mattress Recycling Facility***

1960 Williams Ave.

San Leandro, CA 94577

(510) 351-0520

<http://www.svdp.us/mainsite/recycling/dr3.html>

## **Cardboard**

### ***Universal Plastic Recycling***

See "**Agricultural By Products**"

#### ***Duraflame, Inc.***

PO Box 1230  
Stockton, CA 95201  
(206) 461-6600

#### ***CA Cedar Products***

P.O. Box 528  
Stockton CA 95201 USA  
(209) 944-5800

#### ***Wax Box FireLog Corporation***

4801 Feather River Blvd.  
Oroville, CA 95965  
(530) 570-2032  
Contact: Myles Decker  
[www.hotlogs.com](http://www.hotlogs.com)  
*Recycles wax boxes.*

## **Carpeting**

### ***Tandus***

311 Smith Industrial Blvd.  
PO Box 1447  
Dalton, GA 30722-1447  
(706) 259-2039 or (800) 248-2878  
[dcallahan@tandus.com](mailto:dcallahan@tandus.com)  
[www.tandus.com](http://www.tandus.com)  
*Carpet Buy Back Program*

### ***Los Angeles Fiber Company***

5190 Santa Fe Ave.  
Vernon, CA 90058  
(323) 589-5637  
[sales@lafiber.com](mailto:sales@lafiber.com)  
[www.lafiber.com](http://www.lafiber.com)

### ***Chamlian Enterprises Inc.***

2360 South Orange Ave.  
Fresno, CA 93725  
(559) 233-1765  
[www.chamlian.com/moreinfo.asp](http://www.chamlian.com/moreinfo.asp).

## **Ceiling Tile Recycling**

### ***Armstrong***

1-877-Armstrong  
[www.armstrong.com/environmental](http://www.armstrong.com/environmental)  
*Accepts Acoustical/Ceiling Tiles for recycling*

## **Commodity Brokers**

### ***Scott Schroeder***

(831) 210-3985

***Eagle Hauling & Recycling,***

P.O. Box 3037  
Salinas, CA 93912  
831-594-5858  
[www.eaglehauling.com](http://www.eaglehauling.com)

***Super Link Plastic, Inc.***

See "**Building Materials**"

***Universal Plastic Recycling***

See "**Agricultural By-Products**"

## **Compact Discs (CDs, DVDs), Toner and Printer Cartridges**

***Last Chance Mercantile at MRWMD***

See "**Appliances**"

***Envirom***

22605 E. La Palma Ave. Suite 501  
Yorba Linda, CA 92887  
(714) 694-0925

***GreenDisk***

(800) 305-3475  
[www.greendisk.com/](http://www.greendisk.com/)

*Securely dispose of all your computer-related waste, spent supplies and obsolete accessories. Call for more information and mailing instructions.*

***MRC Polymers c/o DADC Recycling Program***

3307 South Lawndale  
Chicago, IL 60623  
(773) 890-9000  
*Accepts CDs only. Does not charge disposal fee. Call for more information*

***Recycle Free, Inc.***

1560 Newbury Road  
Suite 1-412  
Newbury Park, CA 91320  
(866) 473-3733  
[www.recyclefree.com](http://www.recyclefree.com)  
*Recycles Inkjet cartridges, Laser cartridges and Mobile Phones throughout the continental United States.*

***Office Depot Inc.***

1-800-GO-DEPOT  
[www.officedepot.com](http://www.officedepot.com)

***Office Max***

[www.officemax.com](http://www.officemax.com)  
*Accepts used toner print cartridges, cell phones and batteries.*

***Performa One of Monterey Bay***

218 Reindollar Ave., Ste 1B  
Marina, CA 93933  
(831) 883-3222

***Staples***

(800) 378-2753  
[www.staples.com](http://www.staples.com)

## **Compost**

### ***Monterey Regional Waste Management District***

See "**Appliances**"

*Landscape materials (recycled woodchips) sold by the ton or in bags.*

### ***Organic Materials Exchange***

Santa Cruz County Resources Conservation District

820 Bay Ave Suite 128

Capitola, CA 95010

(831) 464-2950

<http://www.omexchange.org/>

*Find and post listings for manure, compost, and mulch.*

### ***Cranford, Inc.***

PO Box 7597

Spreckels, CA 93962

Call first for delivery requirements.

(831) 455-2227

*Accepts deliveries of clean yard waste, cow or horse manure, produce & some hay from businesses that have liability insurance & can meet the minimum quantity requirements.*

### ***Buena Vista Landfill***

1231 Buena Vista Drive

Watsonville, CA

(831) 454-2430

### ***John Smith Road Landfill***

2650 John Smith Road

Hollister CA 95023

(831) 637-4515

## **Electronic Waste Recycling – Computers, MP3 Players, Cell Phones, Peripherals, TV's and other Electronic Devices**

See "**Thrift Stores**"

### ***Hope Services - ASL Company***

524 Brennan Street

San Jose, CA 95131

(408) 468-0230

[Hthordarson@semiconductorparts.com](mailto:Hthordarson@semiconductorparts.com)

### ***Madison Lane Transfer Station***

1104 Madison Ln.

Salinas, CA 93907

(831) 754-2500

### ***Community Computer Group***

220 12th St.

Marina, CA 93933

Call for Appointment

(831) 394-8018

[larrym@pobox.com](mailto:larrym@pobox.com)

*Non-profit group that refurbishes donated computers and distributes to low-income and disabled Monterey County residents. Requests operating computers with operating systems and certificate of authenticity. Please call for more information.*

**Last Chance Mercantile**

See "**Appliances**"

**Crazy Horse Landfill**

See "**Automotive Batteries**"

**Jolon Road Transfer Station**

See "**Automotive Batteries**"

**Johnson Canyon Landfill**

See "**Automotive Batteries**"

**Sun Street Transfer Station**

See "**Automotive Batteries**"

**Cingular Wireless**

(866) 246-4852

*Accepts used cells phones and repairs cell phones.*

**Dave's Computer Service**

765 Cedar St.

Santa Cruz, CA 95060

(831) 458-1131

[davescomputer@sasquatch.com](mailto:davescomputer@sasquatch.com)

*Repairs computers, donates reusable parts and recycles non-functioning parts.*

**The Sony Take Back Recycling Program**

(877) 439-2795

<http://www.sony.com/recycle>

*Visit website for listing of recycling drop-off centers.*

**GRC Recycling**

2201 SW 145 Ave., #209

Miramar, FL 33027

(877) 774-3601

[www.grcrecycling.com](http://www.grcrecycling.com)

*Socially responsible cell phone recycling.*

**Recycle For California**

4551 NW 44th Avenue

Ocala, Florida 34482

(800) 627-2022 Ext. 1306

[www.recycleforcalifornia.com](http://www.recycleforcalifornia.com)

*Free online recycling for all your old cell phones.*

**Verizon Wireless HopeLine**

1-800-8-BATTERY

<http://aboutus.vzw.com/communityservice/hopeLineRecycling.html>

*Accepts and repairs used cell phones.*

**Saint Vincent de Paul Computer Recycle Program**

2345 West Broadway

Eugene, OR 97402

(541) 345-0595

<http://www.svdp.us/mainsite/recycling.html>

## **Construction and Demolition**

### ***Assured Aggregates- Fort Ord Recycle Facility***

3096 Imjin Rd.  
Marina, CA 93933  
(831) 884-9207

*Accepts clean concrete, gravel, asphalt, clay or concrete pipe and similar materials for free. Also sells Class 2 and Class 4 base rock and sand. Please call for more information.*

### ***Randazzo Enterprises***

See "**Building Materials**"

*Crushing & grinding equipment can be ordered to do on-site crushing of asphalt & concrete.*

### ***Paul T Beck Contractors, Inc.***

10735 Cara Mia Pkwy.  
Castroville, CA 95012  
(831) 633-1738  
[www.paultbeck.com](http://www.paultbeck.com)

### ***Monterey Regional Waste Management District***

See "**Appliances**"

*Reduced disposal fee for clean concrete, wood, etc.*

### ***Valley Recycling***

1615 S 7th St.  
San Jose, CA 95112  
(408) 297-5352  
*Call for more information.*

### ***Eagle Hauling & Recycling***

See "**Commodity Brokers**"

### ***Buena Vista Landfill***

1231 Buena Vista Drive  
Watsonville, CA  
(831) 454-2430

### ***City of Santa Cruz Resource Recovery Facility***

605 Dimeo Lane  
Santa Cruz, CA  
(831) 420-6270

### ***John Smith Road Landfill***

2650 John Smith Road  
Hollister CA 95023  
(831) 637-4515

## **Commercial Curbside Recycling Programs**

### ***BFI Waste Services of Salinas***

271 Rianda Street  
Salinas, CA 93901  
(831) 775-3840

<http://www.bfi-salinas.com>

*Garbage and recycling collection in the City of Salinas.*

**King City Disposal, Waste Management (WM)**

(831) 385-5694

[www.wm.com](http://www.wm.com)

*Garbage and recycling collection in King City.*

**Monterey City Disposal Service**

(831) 372-7977

[www.montereydisposal.com](http://www.montereydisposal.com)

*Garbage and recycling collection in the City of Monterey.*

**Tri-Cities Disposal & Recycling**

(888) 678-6798

[www.montereydisposal.com](http://www.montereydisposal.com)

*Garbage and recycling collection in the Cities of Gonzales, Soledad, Greenfield and the Community Service District of Spreckels.*

**Carmel Marina Corporation, Waste Management (WM)**

(831) 384-5000 or (831) 796-2200 or (800) 321-8226

[www.wm.com](http://www.wm.com)

*Garbage and recycling collection in the Cities of Marina, Seaside, Sand City, Del Rey Oaks, Pacific Grove, Carmel, Pebble Beach Community Service District, and all unincorporated areas of Monterey County (Castroville, Moss Landing, Pajaro, Prunedale, Carmel Valley, Big Sur, etc.).*

## **Flea Markets and Swap Meets**

**Castroville Flea Market & Indoor Swap Meet**

10900 Merritt St.

Castroville, CA 95012

(831) 633-0369

*New & used items for sale (clothes, shoes, household items).*

**Red Barn Flea Market**

1000 Hwy 101

Aromas, CA 95004

(831) 422-1271

*Variety of items sold, primarily antiques.*

## **Food Diversion**

**Rocha Ranch (Cattle Ranch)**

520 Harkins Slough Rd.

Watsonville, CA 95076

(831) 724-8819

*Accepts produce food waste in large quantities. Possible pickup for very large quantities.*

**Salinas Tallow**

1 Work Circle

Salinas, CA 93901

(831) 422-6436

*Primarily pick-up service for fat, bones, and cooking oil from restaurants, institutional kitchens, supermarkets & butcher shops and fish byproducts from canneries.*

## **Food Redistribution**

**California Integrated Waste Management Board**

(916) 341-6594

[www.ciwmb.ca.gov/FoodWaste/Donation](http://www.ciwmb.ca.gov/FoodWaste/Donation)

*Listing of food banks and food rescue organizations.*

**Ag Against Hunger**

820 Park Row #707

Salinas, CA 93901

(831) 755-1480 *Clearing house for surplus crops from the local ag community, distributed to food banks.*

**Dorothy's Place**

30 Soledad St.

Salinas, CA 93901

(831) 757-3838

*Donations of all types of food (nonperishable, produce, prepared foods, etc.). Call for information.*

**Food Bank for Monterey County**

815 W. Market Street, Suite 5

Salinas, CA 93901

(831) 758-1523

[www.food4hungry.org](http://www.food4hungry.org)

*Accepts nonperishable items, produce from growers & bread from local supermarkets. No prepared foods accepted. Pickup service for large quantities. Works with 135 agencies for food distribution.*

**Meals on Wheels**

700 Jewel Ave.

Pacific Grove, CA 93950

(831) 375-4454

*Accepts and picks up mainly nonperishable food from restaurants, schools, and local produce growers. Does not accept prepared foods from restaurants or the general public.*

**Pajaro Valley Loaves and Fishes**

150 Second St.

Watsonville, CA 95076

(831) 722-4144

[www.loavesandfishes.cuzio.com](http://www.loavesandfishes.cuzio.com)

*Accepts all types of food, including nonperishable, prepared foods, produce & bread. Distributes food bags from 9AM-3PM and provides hot lunches daily.*

**Furniture, Office**

See "**Thrift Stores**"

**Class & Trash**

908 S Main St.

Salinas, CA 93901

(831) 424-5837

*Sells all types of furniture, as well as other items. Buys estates and items from the public.*

**Global Concepts**

109 A Lee Rd.

Watsonville, CA 95076

(831) 659-3700

[Lori@globalc.com](mailto:Lori@globalc.com)

*Call for Appointment. Buys/sells used or refurbished furniture to large businesses & is open to the public.*

**Last Chance Mercantile**

See "**Appliances**"

*Sells used furniture (home & office) and other items.*

## Glass

### **Aurora Glass Foundry**

2345 W. Broadway  
Eugene, OR 97402  
(541) 681-3260 or (888) 291-9311 toll free  
<http://www.auroraglass.org>

*Large quantities only.*

## **Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) Recycling – Antifreeze, paint, motor oil, batteries (ABOP), fluorescent tubes, pesticides, etc.**

### **Monterey Regional Waste Management District- HHW**

See "**Appliances**"

*Fee charged for small businesses, call for appointment.*

### **Johnson Canyon HHW Collection Facility**

See "**Automotive Batteries**"

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### **Sun Street HHW Collection Facility**

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### **John Smith Road Landfill**

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## **Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) Recycling – Ballasts**

### **AERC Recycling Solutions**

1-866-447-5177  
[http://www.aercycling.com/sales/recycle\\_kits.php](http://www.aercycling.com/sales/recycle_kits.php)  
*Offers pre-paid recycling kits*

### **Allied Technology Group**

47375 Fremont Blvd.  
Fremont, CA  
(510) 490-3008

### **Grainger Industrial Supply, Inc.**

1-888-361-8649  
[www.grainger.com/Grainger/static/fos\\_lightrecycle0802.html](http://www.grainger.com/Grainger/static/fos_lightrecycle0802.html)  
*Offers pre-paid recycling kits for fluorescent ballasts and batteries*

**Veolia Environmental Services**

1-888-6699725

<http://veoliaes-ts.com/OnyxPak>

*Offers pre-paid RECYCLEPAK Program for fluorescent lamps, ballasts, batteries, mercury devices, computer electronics, and medical waste.*

## Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) Recycling – Household Batteries

### **A & S Metals-Castroville**

See **"Appliances"**

### **Monterey Regional Waste Management District- HHW**

See **"Appliances"**

*Hazardous waste drop-off free to district residents (fee charged for small businesses).*

### **Radio Shack**

[www.radioshack.com](http://www.radioshack.com)

*Accepts only cadmium, nickel or cadmium & nickel metal hydride batteries.*

### **Jolon Road Transfer Station**

See **"Automotive Batteries"**

### **Crazy Horse Landfill**

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### **John Smith Road Landfill**

See **"Automotive Batteries"**

*Fee charged for small businesses, call for appointment.*

## Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) Recycling – Medical Waste: Unused

### **Needles in Sterile Packaging**

#### **John XXIII**

21 E. Market Street

Salinas, CA

(831) 784-6969

***Animal Friends Rescue Project***

P.O. Box 51083  
Pacific Grove, CA 93950  
(831) 333-0722  
[www.animalfriendsrescue.org](http://www.animalfriendsrescue.org)

***SPCA of Monterey County***

P.O. Box 3058  
Monterey, CA 93942-3058  
(877) 477-2262  
[www.spcamc.org](http://www.spcamc.org)

***County of Monterey: Animal Services Division***

160 Hitchcock Road  
Salinas, CA 93908  
(831) 769-8850  
<http://www.co.monterey/health/AnimalServices/centerContact.htm>

## **Hazardous Waste Transporters**

***Department of Toxic Substances Control, Registered Transporters Listing***

<http://www.dtsc.ca.gov/database/Transporters/Trans000.cfm>

***The Don Chapin Company, Inc.***

560 Crazy Horse Canyon Road  
Salinas, CA 93907  
(831) 449-4273

***Flores Trucking***

712 Meadow Drive  
Salinas, CA 93905  
(831) 758-1844

***Randazzo Enterprises, Inc.***

See "**Building Materials**"

***Advanced Waste Solutions, Inc.***

407 Reservation Road, Suite 1  
Marina, CA 93933  
(831) 883-8606  
*Medical waste transporter.*

***Raymond Mobile Lube Service***

403 Reindollar Avenue  
Marina, CA 93933  
(831) 883-8093

## **Landscaping and Wood Wastes**

***Organic Materials Exchange***

See "**Compost**"

***Monterey Regional Waste Management District***

See "**Appliances**"  
*Reduced disposal fee for greenwaste & woodwaste.*

***Randazzo Enterprises***

See "**Building Materials**"  
*Accepts woody landscape waste. Some charges may apply for drop off of landscape wastes.*

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***Crazy Horse Landfill***

See "**Automotive Batteries**"

*Reduced disposal fee for uncontaminated greenwaste.*

***Jolon Road Transfer Station***

See "**Automotive Batteries**"

*Reduced disposal fee for uncontaminated greenwaste.*

***Johnson Canyon Landfill***

See "**Automotive Batteries**"

*Reduced disposal fee for uncontaminated greenwaste.*

***Sun Street Transfer Station***

See "**Automotive Batteries**"

*Reduced disposal fee for uncontaminated greenwaste.*

***Buena Vista Landfill***

See "**Automotive Batteries**"

*Fee charged for small businesses, call for appointment.*

***City of Santa Cruz Resource Recovery Facility***

See "**Automotive Batteries**"

*Fee charged for small businesses, call for appointment.*

***John Smith Road Landfill***

See "**Automotive Batteries**"

*Fee charged for small businesses, call for appointment.*

***Lionudakis Wood & Green Waste Recycling***

5411 Mayhew Rd.

Sacramento, CA

(916) 381-8198

***CA Wood Recycling***

Ventura, CA

(805) 650-1616

***Mendota Biomass Power***

Mendota, CA

(559) 655-4877

***Super Link Plastic, Inc.***

See "**Building Materials**"

***Saint Vincent de Paul Woodshop***

90170 Prairie Road

Eugene, OR 97402

(541) 607-5032

<http://www.svdp.us/mainsite/recycling.html>

## **Mattresses & Box Springs**

***Crazy Horse Landfill***

See "**Automotive Batteries**"

***Jolon Road Transfer Station***

See "**Automotive Batteries**"

**Johnson Canyon Landfill**

See "**Automotive Batteries**"

**Sun Street Transfer Station**

See "**Automotive Batteries**"

**Monterey Regional Waste Management District**

See "**Appliances**"

**Hope Services of Monterey County**

19055 Portola Drive

Salinas CA 93908

(831) 455-4940

[www.hopeservices.org](http://www.hopeservices.org)

**DRS Recycling**

See "**Burlap**"

## **Medical Equipment and Supplies**

**Lions Club of Monterey Peninsula**

Call for information

(831) 646-4535

*Accepts, repairs and donates eyeglasses and hearing aids.*

**Advanced Waste Solutions**

407 Reservation Rd., Ste 1,

Marina, CA 93933-3332,

(831) 883-8606

## **Oil, Re-refined**

**California Integrated Waste Management Board**

<http://www.ciwmb.ca.gov/UsedOil/Rerefined/Distributors.htm>

**Central State Oil**

221 Prader Street

Salinas, CA 93901

(831) 424-2556

*Available in 55-gallon drum quantities*

**G.N. Renn, Inc.**

845 Walnut Avenue

Greenfield, CA 93927

(831) 674-5823

*1 quart, 55-gallon drums, and in bulk*

**Toro Petroleum Corp**

308 W. Market Street

Salinas, CA 93901

(831) 424-1691

*Available in 55-gallon drum quantities*

## **Packaging Materials and Styrofoam**

### ***Aaron Thomas Packaging and Shipping***

620 Munras Ave.  
Monterey, CA 93940  
(831) 647-1420

*Accepts Styrofoam peanuts for reuse and foam injection material by appointment.*

### ***The UPS Store***

<http://theupsstore.com/>

*Accepts Styrofoam peanuts for reuse.*

### ***Universal Plastic Recycling***

See "**Agricultural By-Products**"

### ***PG Business Center***

612 Lighthouse Ave.  
Pacific Grove, CA 93950  
(831) 375-2073

*Accepts Styrofoam peanuts & blocks of any quantity for reuse if clean & in good condition.*

### ***The Post Box***

820 Park Row  
Salinas, CA 93901  
(831) 757-7678

*Accepts foam peanuts for reuse (must be clean & dry).*

### ***The Peanut Hotline***

(800) 828-2214

[www.loosefillpackaging.com](http://www.loosefillpackaging.com)

*National Reuse Program for plastic loose-fill packaging. Consumers can recycle their clean reusable packaging peanuts at a Peanut Hotline drop-off site.*

### ***PostalAnnex+***

1150 Gigling Road, Unit 5  
Seaside, CA  
(831) 899-1588

[www.postalannex.com](http://www.postalannex.com)

*Consumers can recycle their clean reusable packaging peanuts and receive \$2 towards their next UPS or FedEx shipment.*

## **Pallets**

### ***Mobil Pallet Exchange***

10778 Caramia Pkwy.  
Castroville, CA 95012  
(831) 637-4393

*Pallets must be 40" wide. Public welcome.*

### ***Monterey Regional Waste Management District***

See "**Appliances**"

*Salvage lumber available at Last Chance Mercantile store.*

### ***Sonoma Pacific Co.***

261 Rianda Circle  
Salinas, CA 93901  
(831) 422-4286

*Does not provide pickup service but accepts 48x40 pallets from public. No minimum quantity required and will pay for pallets.*

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**Valley Pallet, Inc.**  
522 El Camino Real S.  
Salinas, CA 93908  
(831) 422-5931  
[www.valleypallet.com](http://www.valleypallet.com)

**Walker Street Pallets**

55 Walker St.  
Watsonville, CA 95076  
(831) 724-6072  
*Accepts 48 x 40 GMA only for recycling.*

**Paper**

**Super Link Plastic, Inc.**  
See **"Building Materials"**

**Universal Plastic Recycling**

See **"Agricultural By-Products"**

**Paper – Shredded**

**Instashred Security**  
(800) 967-4733

**Shred-It**

1538 Gladding Ct.  
Milpitas, CA, USA 95035  
(408) 944-0900  
<http://www.shredit.com/>

**Shred Nations**

777 S Wadsworth Blvd.  
Suite 3-250  
Lakewood, CO 80226  
(800) 747-3365  
[www.shrednations.com](http://www.shrednations.com)

**Security Shred & Bale**

220 Walker Street  
Watsonville, CA 95076  
(831) 722-4101

**Recall North America**

One Recall Center  
180 Technology Parkway  
Norcross, Georgia 30092  
(888) RECALL6  
<http://www.recall.com/Recall>

**Paper-Junk Mail**

**Mail Preference Service**

Direct Marketing Association  
PO Box 9008  
Farmingdale, NY 11735-9008

*Request that your name and address be removed from mailing lists by sending your information to the address listed above.*

**Household Mail**

P.O. Box 643  
Carmel, NY 15012  
[www.dmaconsumers.org](http://www.dmaconsumers.org)

**D&B Businesses**

(800) 234-3867  
[www.dnb.com](http://www.dnb.com)

**The D&B Corporation**

103 JFK Parkway  
Short Hills, NJ 07078  
(973) 921-5500  
[https://www.optoutprescreen.com/opt\\_form.cgi](https://www.optoutprescreen.com/opt_form.cgi)  
*Opt-out site for credit cards or insurance offers via mail or web.*

**Catalog Choice**

<http://www.catalogchoice.org/>  
*A FREE service that puts a stop to unwanted catalogs clogging your mailbox.*

## Plastic

**Universal Plastic Recycling**

See "**Agricultural By-Products**"

**Re-Sourcing Associates- Marathon Recovery**

21327 88th Avenue S  
Kent, WA 98131  
Phone: (253) 872-0779  
Fax: (253) 872-0787  
[marathon@rsarecycle.com](mailto:marathon@rsarecycle.com)  
[www.rsarecycle.com/plastic.shtml](http://www.rsarecycle.com/plastic.shtml)

**Trex Company**

Carlsbad, CA  
(760) 729-5855

**Sutta Company**

Oakland, CA,  
(510) 873-8777

**West Coast Scrap Plastic Referral Service**

(888) 753-7485  
[www.caplásticosmarkets.com](http://www.caplásticosmarkets.com)

## Recalls

[www.recalls.gov](http://www.recalls.gov)

*Obtain the latest recall information, report a dangerous product, or to learn important safety tips.*

## Recycling Centers - Buy Back Centers

**A & S Metals- Salinas & Castroville**

See "**Appliances**"

*California Refund Value (CRV) center: accepts aluminum cans, plastics (will take non-CRV #2), glass and cardboard (no waxed cardboard). Call for more information.*

**AMD Recycling**

324 Kings St.  
Salinas, CA 93905  
(831) 754-5639

**C & C Recycling**

500 Jayne St., Unit D  
King City, CA 93930  
(831) 385-0761

**California Grey Bears, Inc.**

2710 Chanticleer Ave.  
Santa Cruz, CA 95065  
(831) 479-1055  
[whorne@greybears.org](mailto:whorne@greybears.org)

**G & L Recycling**

149 Nestles Rd.  
Soledad, CA 93960  
(831) 678-4744

**D & D Recycling**

See "**Automotive Batteries**"

**Greenfield Recycling**

455-D El Camino Real  
Greenfield, CA 93927  
(831) 674-1808

**King City Recycling**

304 S 1st St.  
King City, CA 93930  
(831) 386-9130

**NexCycle**

(800) 883-2274  
[www.nexcyclecalifornia.com](http://www.nexcyclecalifornia.com)

**One Stop Recycling**

See "**Automotive Batteries**"

**San Benito Recycling**

10 4th St.  
Hollister, CA 95023  
(831) 636-1806

*Accepts CRV containers, paper, and cardboard. Some charges may apply. Does not accept ferrous metals.*

**Tomra**

316 Commission St.  
Salinas, CA 93901  
(831) 758-8099

**Weis Recycling Centers Inc.- 3 locations:**

- Whole Foods at Del Monte Shopping Center, Monterey, CA 93940
- Fiesta Market, 640 E Boronda Rd., Salinas, CA 93901
- Nob Hill Parking Lot, 900 Lighthouse Ave., Monterey, CA 93940  
(877) 278-7297

## **Recycling Centers - Drop-off Only**

**Monterey Regional Waste Management District**

See "**Appliances**"

*Drop-off next to Last Chance Mercantile.*

### ***Buena Vista Landfill***

1231 Buena Vista Drive  
Watsonville, CA  
(831) 454-2430

### ***City of Santa Cruz Resource Recovery Facility***

605 Dimeo Lane  
Santa Cruz, CA  
(831) 420-6270

### ***John Smith Road Landfill***

2650 John Smith Road  
Hollister CA 95023  
(831) 637-4515

### ***Santa Cruz Recycling Alliance Program***

2710 Chanticleer Ave.  
Santa Cruz, CA 95065  
Call for service  
(831) 479-1107  
*Commercial recycler for cardboard and plastic film, pick-up service.*

### ***Carmel Valley Transfer Station***

9 Pilot Rd.  
Carmel Valley, CA 93923  
(831) 659-3491  
*Charges may apply for yardwaste and white goods.*

### ***Seaside Community Drop-off***

Canyon Del Rey – next to Home Depot  
Seaside, CA 93955  
(831) 384-5313

### ***Waste Management Drop-off***

Moss Landing Marine Lab/Salinas State Beach  
7711 Sandholt Rd.  
Moss Landing, CA 95039  
(831) 384-5313

### ***Monterey Community Drop-off***

600 Pacific St. - near Fire Station  
Monterey, CA 93940  
(831) 384-5313

### ***Pacific Grove Community Drop-off***

Sunset & 17mile Dr (PB Store)  
Pacific Grove, CA 93950  
(831) 384-5313

## Scrap Metals

### ***A & S Metals- Salinas***

See "**Appliances**"

*Only accepts heavy steel and all ferrous & non-ferrous metals.*

### ***A & S Metals- Castroville***

See "**Appliances**"

*Accept vehicles (containing no fluids), heavy steel and all ferrous & non-ferrous metals.*

### ***Monterey Regional Waste Management District***

See "**Appliances**"

### ***SIMS-Metal America***

1800 Monterey Hwy.

San Jose, CA 95112-6184

(408) 494-4200

### ***Watsonville Metals***

213 Dias Lane

Watsonville, CA 95076

(831) 728-1551

*Accepts large items (no appliances), heavy steel, all non-ferrous metals, & aluminum CRV cans.*

### ***Universal Plastic Recycling***

See "**Agricultural By-Products**"

### ***Super Link Plastic, Inc.***

See "**Building Materials**"

## Textiles

### ***Los Angeles Fiber Company***

See "**Carpeting**"

### ***Annie's Blankets***

P.O. Box 756

Aromas, CA 95004

(831) 442-8098

[info@anniesblankets.org](mailto:info@anniesblankets.org)

<http://www.anniesblankets.org>

*Accepts donations of used blankets, towels, fleece throws, pet beds and baby blankets. Donations are distributed to animal shelters, veterinary hospitals and clinics.*

## Thrift Stores

### ***American Cancer Society Discovery Shop***

1534 N Main St.

Salinas, CA 93906

(831) 443-8879

*Upscale resale items only.*

### ***American Cancer Society Discovery Shop***

198 Country Club Gate Shopping Center

Pacific Grove, CA 93950

(831) 372-0866

**Animal Welfare Benefit Shop**

206 17th St.  
Pacific Grove, CA 93950  
(831) 372-1650

*No furniture, computers or fax machines. Donations are tax-deductible. Money donated to animal welfare and items not sold within the month goes to the homeless. Volunteers needed, call for more information.*

**AFRP Treasure Shop**

154 17th Street  
Pacific Grove, CA 93950  
(831) 333-0491

**Class & Trash**

See "**Furniture**"

*Buys estates and items from the public.*

**Clothing & Things Thrift Shop**

470 E Market St.  
Salinas, CA 93905  
(831) 758-3312

*Volume purchases from auctioneers and storage facilities.*

**Del Monte Bargains**

3174 Del Monte Blvd.  
Marina, CA 93933  
(831) 582-2900

*Used antiques, furniture & jewelry*

**Fort Ord Thrift Shop**

P O Box 2032  
Seaside, CA 93955  
(831) 899-4975

*Consignment thrift shop for active and retired military. Public can donate items. Accepts computers and fax machines only if in good working condition. No large appliances, firearms, pillows or mattresses.*

**Goodwill Industries of Santa Cruz, Monterey & San Luis Obispo Counties, Inc.**

350 Encinal Street  
Santa Cruz, CA 95060  
(831) 423-8611

[info@scgoodwill.org](mailto:info@scgoodwill.org)

[www.scgoodwill.org/Goodwill Industries Retail Shop](http://www.scgoodwill.org/Goodwill%20Industries%20Retail%20Shop)

**Hazel Hawkins**

911 Sunset Dr.  
Hollister, CA 95023  
(831) 636-2682

**Monterey Peninsula Volunteer**

655 Broadway Ave.  
Seaside, CA 93955  
(831) 394-5028

*No large appliances, computers, fax, typewriters, car seats or strollers. Call on furniture. Donations are tax-deductible. All proceeds go toward grants for the Monterey Peninsula.*

**Monterey Regional Waste Management District- Last Chance Mercantile**

See "**Appliances**"

*Salvage or donated items accepted (clothing, toys, etc.)*

**Salvation Army**

1850 Fremont Blvd.  
Seaside, CA 93955  
(831) 394-6507

**Salvation Army**

326 N Main St.  
Salinas, CA 93901  
(831) 424-0889

**Savers**

1924 North Main St.  
Salinas, CA 93906  
(831) 444-9551

[www.savers.com](http://www.savers.com)

*Donations are tax-deductible.*

**SPCA Benefit Shop**

26364 Carmel Rancho Ln.  
Carmel, CA 93921  
(831) 624-4211

*No large appliances. Call on large furniture. Donations are tax-deductible.*

**SPCA Benefit Shop**

216 Forest Ave.  
Pacific Grove, CA 93950  
(831) 373-5822

*No large appliances. Call on large furniture. Donations are tax-deductible.*

**St Vincent de Paul**

1269 Fremont Blvd.  
Seaside, CA 93955  
(831) 899-2211

*No computers, large appliances or big TV consoles. Call about large furniture. Donations: tax deductible.*

**St Vincent de Paul**

214 Forest Ave.  
Pacific Grove, CA 93950  
(831) 642-9387

*No computers, large appliances or big TV consoles. Call about large furniture. Donations: tax deductible.*

**Tri-County In-Kind Donation Program**

(831) 688-0400

[http://www.adarkghost.com/donation\\_program.html](http://www.adarkghost.com/donation_program.html)

*Accepts donations of store returns, unsold inventory & floor models from retail outlets & distributes them to non-profit agencies that serve low-income or needy populations in Santa Cruz, Monterey & San Benito Counties.*

**Yellow Brick Road Benefit Shop**

26388 Carmel Rancho Lane  
Carmel, CA 93923  
(831) 626-8480

*Donations are tax-deductible. No computers, large appliances, fax machines or typewriters. Large furniture OK.*

**City of Monterey Public Library**

625 Pacific Ave.  
Monterey, CA 93940  
(831) 646-3932

*Ongoing sales of older library books and donated items.*

**Monterey County Free Libraries - King City Branch Library**

402 Broadway  
King City, CA 93930  
(831) 385-3677

*Call for information on book donation procedures & ongoing & semi-yearly sales.*

**Monterey County Free Libraries - Marina Branch Library**

190 Seaside Circle  
Marina, CA 93933  
[www.marinalibraryconnection.org](http://www.marinalibraryconnection.org)  
(831) 384-6971

*Ongoing sales of older library books and donations from the public.*

**Monterey County Free Libraries - Seaside Branch Library**

550 Harcourt Ave.  
Seaside, CA 93955  
(831) 899-2055

*Ongoing sales of older items and donated books.*

**Friends of the Salinas Public Library (FOSPL)**

John Steinbeck Public Library  
350 Lincoln Avenue  
Salinas, CA 93901  
(831) 758-7311

[www.fospl.org](http://www.fospl.org)

*Book donations may be dropped off in the lobby (during hours when the library is open). For larger donations and/or pickup, send an email to [booksale@fospl.org](mailto:booksale@fospl.org) or contact Jeff Todd, (831) 753-1066.*

**St. Vincent de Paul of Lane County**

(541) 687-5820

*Large quantities of books.*

## **Tires**

**Camacho Tires**

896 4th St.  
Hollister, CA 95023  
(831) 638-1282

*Accepts tires, but charges disposal fee. Tires recycled at Total Tire Recycling in Sacramento.*

**EMS Recyclers**

2038 San Miguel Canyon Rd.  
Salinas, CA 93907  
(831) 663-3689

*Accepts tires for recycling.*

**Monterey Regional Waste Management District**

See "**Appliances**"

*Call or check website for disposal fees.*

**Crazy Horse Landfill**

See "**Car Battery Recycling**"

*Call or check website for disposal fees.*

**Jolon Road Transfer Station**

See "**Car Battery Recycling**"

*Call or check website for disposal fees.*

**Johnson Canyon Landfill**

See "**Car Battery Recycling**"

*Call or check website for disposal fees.*

**Salinas Transfer Station**

See "**Car Battery Recycling**"

*Call or check website for disposal fees.*

**Sun Street Transfer Station**

See "**Car Battery Recycling**"

*Call or check website for disposal fees.*

**Sal's Used Tires**

8995 Prunedale South Rd.

Salinas, CA 93907

(831) 663-2179

*Specializes in tire repair.*

**West Coast Rubber Recycling**

105 Leavesley Rd., #7-B

Gilroy, CA 95020

(408) 842-1482

[gary@groundrubber.com](mailto:gary@groundrubber.com)

*Pick up available. Does charge disposal fee depending on size and quantity of tires. Call for information.*

## **Tool Repair**

**Swede's Saw Shop**

26 Summer St.

Salinas, CA 93901

*Repairs wide variety of non-electric garden equipment, sharpen saw blades & hand garden tools.*

**Automotive & Industrial Co.**

547 Brunken Ave

Salinas, CA 93901

(831) 422-2214

[www.dianes88@hotmail.com](mailto:www.dianes88@hotmail.com)

*Repair starters & alternators for tractors.*

**Bay Area Saws & Services**

5 Hazel St.

Hollister, CA 95023

(831) 637-3940

*Repair & sharpen all types of saws, including large industrial saws.*

## **Tyvek Envelopes**

**DuPont™**

Tyvek® Recycle

Attn. Shirley Cimburke

2400 Ellingham Avenue #A

Richmond, VA 23237

1-866-33-Tyvek® or 1-800-222-5676

[http://envelopes.tyvek.com/en/science/versitile/vers\\_recycle.shtml](http://envelopes.tyvek.com/en/science/versitile/vers_recycle.shtml)

*Manages a nationwide recycling program that collects used Tyvek® envelopes, even printed Tyvek® envelopes, and recycles them into other useful materials. Call or visit website for more information on how to participate.*

## Additional Resource links

### **Monterey County Recycling & Resource Recovery Services**

Health Department, Environmental Health Division  
1270 Natividad Rd Rm 109  
Salinas, CA 93906  
(831) 755-4579  
[recycle@co.monterey.ca.us](mailto:recycle@co.monterey.ca.us)  
[www.co.monterey.ca.us/recycle](http://www.co.monterey.ca.us/recycle)

### **Earth 911**

1-800-CLEANUP  
[www.earth911.org](http://www.earth911.org)

*A community-specific "actionable" environmental information network.*

### **California Integrated Waste Management Board**

- Reuse  
[www.ciwmb.ca.gov/Reuse/Links/](http://www.ciwmb.ca.gov/Reuse/Links/)
- Recycled-Content Product Directory  
(916) 341-6611  
<http://www.ciwmb.ca.gov/RCP/>  
*Information database on RCPs as well as the manufacturers, distributors, re-processors, mills, and converters that manufacture or supply these products or the recycled materials to make them.*
- RecycleStore  
(916) 341-6795  
[www.ciwmb.ca.gov/Recyclestore](http://www.ciwmb.ca.gov/Recyclestore)  
*RecycleStore showcases innovative recycled-content products and puts you in touch directly with their manufacturers.*
- California Materials Exchange, Cal MAX  
(877) 520-9703  
[www.ciwmb.ca.gov/CalMAX/](http://www.ciwmb.ca.gov/CalMAX/)  
*Free service designed to help businesses find markets for non-hazardous materials they have traditionally discarded. CalMAX helps businesses, industries, and institutions save resources and money.*
- California Materials Exchange, Kid MAX  
(877) 520-9703  
<http://www.ciwmb.ca.gov/CalMAX/Kidmax.htm>  
*Free source of used materials for California's schools.*

### **Bottles and Cans**

1-800-RECYCLE.  
[www.bottlesandcans.com](http://www.bottlesandcans.com)  
*To start a business recycling program.*

### **The Can Manufacturers Institute (CMI)**

1730 Rhode Island Avenue, NW  
Suite 1000  
Washington, DC 20036  
(202) 232-4677  
[www.cancentral.com](http://www.cancentral.com)  
*The trade association of the metal and composite can manufacturing industry and its suppliers in the United States. Resources available pertaining to this industry.*

**Ecology Action's Monterey Bay Area Material Reuse Network, ProMAX:**

P.O. Box 1188  
Santa Cruz, CA 95061-1188  
(831) 426-5925 X135  
<http://www.promaxreuse.org/> or [WWW.ECOACT.ORG](http://WWW.ECOACT.ORG)

*Free service to find useful purposes for materials that would otherwise be placed in a landfill.*

**The Freecycle Network**

[www.freecycle.org](http://www.freecycle.org)

*A grassroots and entirely nonprofit movement of people who are giving (& getting) stuff for free in their own towns. It's all about reuse and keeping good stuff out of landfills.*

**Recycleworks**

County of San Mateo RecycleWorks  
555 County Center, 5th Floor  
Redwood City, CA 94063  
(888) 442-2666  
[www.recycleworks.com](http://www.recycleworks.com)

*Resources for either donating items or locating things at reduced cost.*

**Craig's List**

[www.craigslist.com](http://www.craigslist.com)

*Provides free classifieds in an online platform for folks to help each other out with buying, selling, donating and trading used goods.*

**Excess Access**

Excess Access  
5813 Geary Boulevard Box 111  
San Francisco, CA 94121  
(415) 242-6041  
[www.excessaccess.com](http://www.excessaccess.com)

*Excess Access is a system that matches business and household item donations with the wish lists of nonprofits that can provide pick-ups or will accept drop-offs. Serve throughout US, Canada and more.*

**Resource Area For Teachers, RAFT**

1355 Ridder Park Drive  
San Jose, CA 95131  
(408) 451-1420  
[www.raft.net](http://www.raft.net)

*RAFT adds educational value to donated materials and offers them to members at substantially reduced prices. Just about any gadget destined for the recycle bin can find its way into a learning kit or shopping bag.*

**Local 2 Me**

[Local2Me.com](http://Local2Me.com)

*Location-based community forum. Items may be posted to donate or sell. No charge to post an item.*

**Recycled Products Cooperative**

137 N. El Camino Real  
Encinitas, California 92024  
(800) 694-8355  
<http://www.recycledproducts.org/>

*Join the hundreds of Co-op members who help conserve natural resources through responsible purchasing practices.*

**Green Seal**

1001 Connecticut Ave., NW  
Suite 827  
Washington, DC 20036-5525  
(202) 872-6400

[www.greenseal.org](http://www.greenseal.org)

*Green Seal provides science-based environmental certification standards that are credible, transparent, and essential in an increasingly educated and competitive marketplace. Green Seal sets environmental standards and awards a "Green Seal of Approval" to products that cause less harm to the environment than other similar products.*

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