Monterey County Recycles

FREE and Low Cost programs offered to Monterey County Residents

- **FREE Mattress Recycling** - Recycle up to **FIVE** mattresses or box springs free of charge at any drop-off location.

- **FREE Battery Disposal** - It is illegal to throw batteries in the garbage, dispose of them at any drop-off location.

- **FREE Used Oil and Filter Recycling** - Residents can recycle used motor oil and filters free of charge at any drop-off location.

- **FREE Sharps Disposal** - It is illegal to throw these items in the garbage or recycling! Obtain a sharps container from you local pharmacy or house hold hazardous waste location. Discard all used or exposed needles, syringes, and lancers in the sharps container. When that sharps container is 2/3 full, dispose the container at a drop-off location. A list of take-back locations can be found here: http://www.co.monterey.ca.us/home/showdocument?id=14802

- **FREE Disposal of Unwanted Medication** - **NEVER** flush pharmaceutical drugs down the drain! Take unused or outdated medicines to a recognized take-back location. A list of pharmaceutical take-back locations can be found here: http://www.co.monterey.ca.us/home/showdocument?id=14806

- **Low Cost Tire Recycling** - Dispose of tires at a drop-off location for a small fee.

Are you still holding on to your Christmas tree and wondering what to do with it?
You can dispose of it at any of the drop-off locations until the end of January.

Curbside Pickup:

Monterey County residents can recycle their used motor oil and filter curbside. Contact your waste hauler (listed below) to request a free used motor oil container and filter bag. Place the oil container along with the filter bag on the curb the morning of your garbage and recycling collection day.

Salinas
Republic Services
(831) 775-3840
*Collecting x-mas trees curbside until January 23rd.

Gonzales, Greenfield & Soledad
Tri-Cities Disposal and Recycling
(888) 678-6798
*No longer collecting x-mas trees

King City & Unincorporated Monterey County
Waste Management+
(831) 385-5694
*No longer collecting x-mas trees

Monterey
Monterey City Disposal Service
(831) 372-7977
*No longer collecting x-mas trees

Peninsula Cities
GreenWaste Recovery
(831) 920-6707
*No longer collecting x-mas trees

+Waste Management and Green-Waste customers can recycle batteries curbside when placed in a transparent bag and placed on top of your recycling cart.

Drop-off locations:

Monterey Regional Waste Management District
14201 Del Monte Boulevard
Marina, CA 93933
(831) 384-5313
M-F 7a.m. - 4p.m.
Sat-Sun 8a.m. - 4p.m.
Hazardous Waste Facility
T-Sat 9a.m. - 4p.m.

Sun Street Transfer Station
139 Sun Street
Salinas, CA 93901
(831) 424-5520
M-F 7a.m. - 5p.m.
Sat. 8a.m. - 4p.m.
Hazardous Waste Facility
M-F 8a.m. - 5p.m.
Sat. 8a.m. - 4p.m.

Johnson Canyon Landfill
31400 Johnson Canyon Rd.
Gonzales, CA 93926
(831) 675-2165
M-F 8a.m. - 4p.m.
Sat-Sun 8a.m. - 4p.m.

Jolon Road Transfer Station
52654 Jolon Rd.
King City, CA 93930
(831) 365-6213
M-F 8a.m. - 4p.m.
Sat. 8a.m. - 12p.m.

Illegal Dumping—Disposal Voucher Program

Have you been a victim of illegal dumping or want to host a clean up event? Request a voucher that authorizes the **free disposal of materials collected and delivered** to the Monterey Peninsula Landfill (Marina), Johnson Canyon Landfill (Gonzales), Sun St. Transfer Station (Salinas), or Jolon Road Transfer Station (King City). **The voucher is valid for one load only.**
For more information contact the Monterey County Health Department at (831)755-4505.

For additional information call 831-755-4505.
If you would like to request a Recycling Presentation for your department contact a Recycling Specialists at **Recycle@co.monterey.ca.us.**

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