

WASTELINE

A Publication for GreenWaste Recovery Customers in the City of Capitola

Spring 2016



REUSE & RECYCLE at the 13th Annual Citywide Garage

Sale on April 23 sponsored by the City of Capitola.

Thinking about getting rid of items you no longer need or use? Schedule a garage sale for April 23 and the City of Capitola will advertise for sellers and provide maps for shoppers. Register your sale online at www.cityofcapitola.org between April 1 and April 21.

On Friday, April 22, a map will be available to the public at City Hall (420 Capitola Avenue) and on the web at www.cityofcapitola.org listing all of the addresses of the garage sale participants. Not selling? Get your map and go find that one-of-a-kind treasure.

After the Garage Sale, donate your unsold items to a charitable cause of your choice. This is a terrific opportunity to clear out the clutter, and help to divert refuse from our landfills by reusing and recycling!

City of Capitola Spring Clean Up Week

April 25-29, 2016

Take advantage of this service provided by GreenWaste Recovery to help you with your spring cleaning! Dispose of one bulky item and seven bags or cans of garbage, not to exceed 50 lbs. each. All items must be curbside by 6:00 a.m. on your regular day of service. Household hazardous waste will not be accepted. For bulky items please call GreenWaste Recovery to schedule a pick up at 800-665-2209.



Remittance Address:
GreenWaste Recovery, P.O. Box 11089, San Jose, CA 95103-1089

We at GreenWaste "Think Differently" and appreciate your suggestions and comments. Please call us today and let us know how we are doing at (800) 665-2209 or (831) 426-2711, or visit us on the web at www.greenwaste.com

Cart Etiquette

Please help GreenWaste and your neighbors by following these cart placement procedures:

- Set your carts out for service no later than 6:00 a.m. on your service day.
- Place all carts curbside, with wheels tucked as close to the sidewalk/roadside edge as possible.
- Allow 2 feet between carts and 5 feet distance from vehicles to facilitate safe and efficient collection service.
- Don't overload carts. An overweight cart will strain the cart hook and collection vehicle hydraulics. Maximum loads are 122 lbs. for a 32-gallon cart, 227 lbs. for a 65-gallon cart and 332 lbs. for a 95-gallon cart.
- Keep lids tightly closed. An open cart can contribute to litter in your neighborhood.
- Please remove carts from the street or curb by the end of your service day. Capitola city ordinances require that carts shall be placed out of public view on non-collection days.

Please Note: The above guidelines may not apply to customers participating in the Physical Limitations Program.



6 Confusing Items!

Do you ever have trouble determining whether an item is recyclable or not? Here are 6 confusing items that have stumped many, and are often found in the wrong container. Help us manage your materials efficiently by placing these items in the correct container.



1
Loose plastic bags are NOT recyclable.



2
Bundled plastic bags are recyclable.



3
Calculators are recyclable.



4
Plastic toys are recyclable.



5
Toasters are recyclable.



6
Chip bags are NOT recyclable.



Pet Waste Bags

The City of Capitola is now using bio-degradable bags at all of its pet waste stations. These bags are designed to degrade in a landfill environment. Please put bags in the trash, not in the recycling or yard-waste containers.