

WASTEMATTERS

COMMERCIAL NEWSLETTER

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Are You Sorting Recyclables from Garbage? If you're not, State law may require that you start.

The following California Laws Require Waste Sorting:

- ✓ **Assembly Bill 341** requires businesses and multifamily residential complexes with 5 or more living units to separate traditional recyclables like cardboard, paper, bottles and cans from their garbage.
- ✓ **Assembly Bill 1826** requires that all businesses generating 2 cubic yards or more of waste per week implement an organics recycling program. It also requires multifamily residential complexes with 5 or more living units to implement a recycling program for yard trimmings.
- ✓ **Assembly Bill 827** amends AB 1826 & AB 341 and requires the provision of "front-of-house" organic waste collection bins in all restaurants and cafeterias where patrons clear their own tables.
- ✓ **Senate Bill 1383** sets statewide targets to reduce disposal of organic waste in landfills. It requires businesses to implement an organics recycling program.

We can help you comply!

South San Francisco Scavenger offers no-charge collection of properly sorted cardboard, paper, and recyclable containers. We offer organics collection at the same charge as garbage service. An adequate level of weekly garbage service is required before recycling services can be added.

Our outreach team can help by assessing the waste generated by your business and making

suggestions for recycling services as well as waste reduction. We can also help to train your staff. Contact us today!



For more information on waste-related legislation, please visit www.CalRecycle.ca.gov.

Not sure if something is recyclable?

Visit www.ssfscavenger.com and use the Sort Smart Recycling Guide!



CALIFORNIA LAWS
REQUIRE WASTE
SORTING

PLEASE DO NOT
CONTAMINATE
RECYCLABLES

HANDLE
HAZARDOUS
WASTE CORRECTLY

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Please Do Not Contaminate Recyclables

- ✓ Place recyclable items directly into the correct bin. Do not use liner bags.
- ✓ Scrape and rinse food and beverage containers before placing inside your "Containers Only" recycling bin.
- ✓ Put only flat, dry corrugated boxes inside your "Cardboard Only" recycling bin.
- ✓ Put only clean, dry paper inside your "Paper Only" recycling bin.

Organics Program participants help to:

- ✓ Reduce what is sent to landfill,
- ✓ Produce clean-burning fuel for our trucks, and
- ✓ Create nutrient-rich soil for farms.



Handle Hazardous Waste Correctly

Hazardous Waste doesn't belong in your garbage or recycling collection containers. Placing it there is illegal and unsafe for our workers, our community, and the environment. Not sure if something is hazardous? If the item is flammable, toxic, explosive, poisonous, or contains mercury or heavy metals, it's hazardous.

Not sure how to safely dispose of hazardous waste?

Visit www.smchealth.org/hhw or call (650) 372.6200 for information.



Keep It Clean!



BLUE LINE TRANSFER, INC.

500 East Jamie Court ♦ South San Francisco
Public Disposal and Recycling Facility

Monday-Friday, 6 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.
Saturday, 8 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

- Competitive disposal rates
- Special rates for cooking oil, tires, appliances/electronics, fluorescent lamps & batteries

Note that all loads entering Blue Line must be covered and secured. **There is an additional \$20 fee charged for each uncovered load.**

B.O.P.A. Center

Monday-Friday, 7 a.m. – 4 p.m.
Saturday, 8 a.m. – 4 p.m.

- No-charge drop-off for San Mateo County residents
 - ✓ Televisions, laptops, computer monitors
 - ✓ Car batteries, antifreeze, motor oil & filters
 - ✓ Latex & oil-based paint—in clearly labeled containers, 10 gallon limit
 - ✓ Sharps containers

CRV Buyback Center

Monday-Friday, 7 a.m. – 1 p.m.

- For containers with California Redemption Value (CRV)

www.bluelinetransfer.com

ROLL-OFF BOX SERVICE

The cities of Brisbane, Millbrae and South San Francisco have exclusive franchise agreements with South San Francisco Scavenger Company for garbage and recycling collection services. This includes services provided with roll-off debris boxes. If a landscaping, construction & demolition, or major clean out is in your future, please contact us for more information or to order an appropriate size box.



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