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RESIDENTIAL NEWSLETTER

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Please Keep It Clean:

Do not contaminate recyclables. Scrape and rinse food and beverage containers before placing under the dark blue lid of your recycling cart. Only put clean, dry paper under the lighter colored lid (grey or light blue). Flatten boxes first. Remember that our trucks have two compartments and they keep your carefully sorted paper items separate from containers.

Use extreme caution with ash! Let cool for several hours and then scoop fireplace, stove and barbecue ash into a metal container with tight fitting lid. Put the container outdoors and 10 feet or more



away from structures and combustibles. If needed, add water to speed the cooling process. Once totally cool, place ash in garbage. Be sure to bag or box it first to prevent a messy spill during collection.

Keep all cart lids completely closed. This will help keep critters and rain out—preventing potential messes and keeping recyclable paper items dry. Contact us to arrange for the collection of overflow. Overloaded carts may not be serviced or may automatically incur extra fees.

Put all your carts away after they have been emptied. Your city requires that carts be rolled out no more than 12 hours before service and stored out of sight from the street no more than 12 hours after.



Liner bags are encouraged for use in your gray garbage cart – especially to contain diapers, wipes, tissues, pet waste, Styrofoam, and small items.

Liner bags are <u>not</u> allowed inside your blue recycling cart. They become tangled in sorting equipment, must be removed manually, and cannot be recycled. Please put materials in the appropriate side of your blue cart loose.

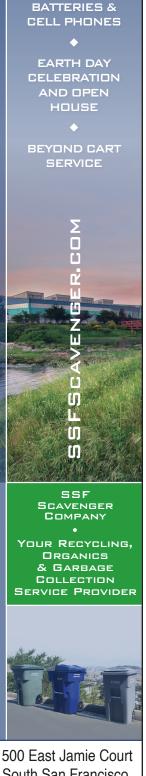


Only paper liner bags are allowed in your green organics cart. Liner bags made from traditional or compostable plastic are prohibited from use. They prevent materials from breaking down in our digestion process and are considered a contaminant by composters.





Critters or wind a constant problem? Contact us to request a free lid lock!



PLEASE KEEP IT

CLEAN

USING LINER BAGS

PLEASE RECYCLE

HOUSEHOLD

South San Francisco, CA 94080

Phone: 650.589.4020

PLEASE RECYCLE HOUSEHOLD BATTERIES & CELL PHONES

When not properly disposed, batteries can cause fires. Please recycle them safely. Place used household batteries and cell phones together in a clear zip-top bag, seal, and put on top of the lid to your grey garbage cart. Leaky batteries are okay – be sure to handle with care. Please put clear tape over the terminals of each used lithium and 9 volt battery and wrap cell phones in paper.

Automotive and other large batteries, as well as tools and appliances with nonremovable batteries require special handling. They can be taken to Blue Line Transfer. Fees may apply. Please contact us at 650.589.4020 or info@ssfscavenger.com for more information.



SAVE THE DATE EARTH DAY CELEBRATION & OPEN HOUSE

Blue Line Transfer Station 500 E. Jamie Ct. South San Francisco

April 13, 2025, from 10am-1pm

- Touch-a-Truck Opportunity
- Waste Sorting Activities
- Facility Tours
- Towel/Blanket Drop-Off (for donation to SPCA)

Registration required. Sign up now at ssfscavenger.com/earthday or by calling 650.589.4020 x4105. Space is limited. All ages are welcome.

Beyond Cart Service

South San Francisco Scavenger Co.

- On-Call Cleanups
 Take advantage of your two free annual Cleanups for extra garbage and large items. No extra charge for eligible account holders.
- Roll-Off Box / Mini Box Service
 Order the right box for your cleaning, construction, or landscaping project. We are your exclusive provider for these services.

Send an email to info@ssfscavenger.com or call 650.589.4020 to schedule a Cleanup or order a roll-off box.

Blue Line Transfer, Inc.

- Public Drop Off
 - Blue Line Transfer is a public disposal and recycling facility located at 500 East Jamie Court in South San Francisco.

No appointment is necessary. All loads must be covered and secure. Visit www.bluelinetransfer.com for hours, prices, and more information.

CRV buy-back

- ✓ Free drop-off for residents:
 - Televisions, laptops, computer monitors
 - Car batteries, antifreeze, motor oil & filters
 Latex & oil-based paint
 - Sharps containers
- ✓ Special rates for:
 - Household batteries
 Cooking oil
 - Fluorescent lamps & tubes
 - Appliances/Electronics
 - Tires

SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO



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