

# MORE SERVICES



## HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE (HHW)

Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) such as paint, paint spray cans, thinners, light bulbs, batteries, motor oil and pesticides **cannot** be placed in your garbage, green waste or recyclables containers because these materials are toxic and dangerous. It is **illegal** to dispose of hazardous waste in the trash, yard waste or recyclables containers.

For the safe disposal of hazardous waste at designated sites, call: Monterey Regional Waste Management District at (831) 384-5313 or Salinas Valley Solid Waste Authority at (831) 424-5520 or Waste Management at (800) 321-8226.



## LIFE-LINE DISCOUNT

To qualify for the Life-Line discount, please submit the power, water or telephone bill to our office that indicates your property currently receives Life-Line services. Please call (800) 321-8226 for additional information on the low income discount.



## HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

No service will be provided on the following holidays: New Year's Day, Fourth of July, Thanksgiving Day, & Christmas Day. When a holiday falls on a weekday, pickup will be one day later for the rest of that week.



## BACKYARD COLLECTION

Carts can be collected from backyards for an additional fee, or no fee for qualifying disabled individuals. Please call (800) 321-8226 to set up backyard collection.



## WM EARTHCARE™

Create healthy landscapes & a healthy planet with 100% recycled, locally sourced & produced compost & mulch. Available at our local transfer stations in Salinas and Carmel Valley.

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



## MEDWASTE TRACKER®

MedWaste Tracker® provides for the safe containment, collection, and destruction of used sharps. All in the convenience of a pre-paid postage return kit.

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# VALUE SERVICES



## PLASTIC BAGS

Clean, flexible plastic bags, plastic stretch and bubble wrap can be recycled by placing materials in a single plastic bag, self-tying the bundle, and placing it in the recyclables container.



## HOLIDAY TREE-CYCLING PICKUP

Holiday trees will be collected at the curbside on your regularly scheduled collection day beginning the day after Christmas through the end of January. **Trees with flocking, tinsel, or tree stands will not be accepted for collection.**



## FREE BATTERY COLLECTION

Household batteries (AAA, AA, C, D, 9-volt & small button batteries), including rechargeable and cell phone batteries, can be recycled by placing in a clear plastic bag, seal shut & tape to the top of the recyclables cart.



## HOME COMPOSTING

Discover the ease of composting and enrich your garden. Call (800) 321-8226 to order a discounted compost bin.



## USED MOTOR OIL & FILTER COLLECTION

Call Waste Management at (800) 321-8226 to have a used oil and filter recycling kit delivered. The kit includes a leak-proof, screw-top container and heavyweight resealable plastic bag. Place used oil and filters in the provided container and filter bag and set at curb next to your blue recyclables cart.



## ABOUT YOUR SERVICE PROVIDER

Waste Management Carmel Marina Corporation is a community-based provider of environmental solutions. We divert materials from landfills to be recycled, repurposed or reused. Locally, we are converting our fleet of vehicles from biodiesel to natural gas, powered in part from landfill gas. We deliver local solutions with the knowledge & resources of one of North America's largest recycler, Waste Management, Inc.

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# RESIDENTIAL DISPOSAL & RECYCLING GUIDE UNINCORPORATED MONTEREY COUNTY



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(800) 321-8226

# RECYCLE

**Yes:** bottles, jars, cans, foil, paper, cardboard, bagged plastic bags

**Tip:** Containers must be empty; containers with food cannot be recycled.

**No:** trash, diapers, foam containers, ceramic dishes and cups, drinking glasses, or hazardous waste



**BAGS & FILMS**

Questions?  
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# YARD WASTE

**Yes:** grass clippings, leaves, pine needles, weeds, branches, twigs, untreated wood

**No:** branches over 3' in length or 6" in diameter, pressure-treated wood or painted wood, palm leaves or cactus, animal waste, rocks, dirt, concrete



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# TRASH

**Yes:** non-recyclable and non-hazardous items such as foam containers, diapers, pet waste, litter, food scraps, broken household items

**Tip:** Please bag all garbage.

**Tip:** Visit [thinkgreenfromhome.com](http://thinkgreenfromhome.com) for information on proper disposal of syringes or medical waste.

**No:** syringes or medical waste, dirt, rocks or cement, hazardous materials, pesticides, herbicides, chemicals or solvents



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# INFORMATION

## GENERAL SERVICE & SET OUT INFORMATION

- Wheel carts to street curbside by 6:00am on your collection day.
- At least two (2) feet in-between each cart
- At least three (3) feet from cars, trees, mailboxes, fences
- Keep cart wheels as close to the curb as possible
- Cart lids opening toward street
- Please take containers in as soon as possible after collection. Store carts out of the sun to reduce odors



## ON-CALL COLLECTION

### What Can Go in Your On-Call Collection

- 1 large appliance
- 2 mattresses
- 2 tires
- 1/2 cubic yard of Universal Waste (except fluorescent lamps); must be boxed
- Yard waste; must be bundled
- Scrap metal
- Flattened cardboard
- 1 piece of furniture
- Carpet; must be bundled and less than 4 ft. long
- Loose items, must be bagged or boxed.



Please call **800-321-8226** to schedule your Free On Call pick up!