

City of Cupertino

Garbage and Recycling Services Fact Sheet

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SINGLE FAMILY GARBAGE RATE INFORMATION

TYPE	FEE	SERVICE		COMMENTS
		Front yard	Backyard	
Refuse, 1-can	\$ 20.23	X		Rates change in August
Refuse, 1-can	\$ 31.09		X	Rates change in August
Refuse, 2-can	\$ 40.46	X		Rates change in August
Refuse, 2-can	\$ 62.18		X	Rates change in August
Refuse, 3-can	\$ 60.69	X		Rates change in August
Refuse, 3-can	\$ 93.27		X	Rates change in August
Senior Citizens, 1 can	\$ 10.12	X		Rates change in August
Refuse, Extra Can	\$ 10.14			Extra Can (one-time)
Recycling		X	X	Included in refuse rate.
Yard Trimmings		X	X	Included in refuse rate.

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RECYCLING PROGRAM INFORMATION

PROGRAM ESTABLISHED June 1989

COLLECTION SCHEDULE **Single Family Dwelling (SFD):** Every week for at least once a week
Multifamily Dwelling (MFD): At least once a week; call hauler for details

CONTAINER ISSUED **SFD:** One 64 gal commingle cart, one 96 gal yard trimmings toter, oil filter bag.
 Program available to houses, most townhouses and some condominium complexes (depending on space available). Large complexes with dumpster service usually receive MFD recycling service.
MFD: Containers issued varies with location

SINGLE FAMILY RECYCLING PROGRAM

MATERIALS	COLLECTION		PREPARATION AND SORTING REQUIREMENTS
	W	M	
Aseptic Containers	X		Milk cartons and juice boxes accepted; place in blue recycle cart.
Bulk Item Pick-Up	X		\$25.00 for first item and \$15.00 for each additional item. No hazardous items.
Cans	X		Tin and bi-metal cans should be rinsed; place with aluminum cans in blue recycle cart. ¹
Cardboard	X		Flatten; maximum size 3' x 3', place in blue recycle cart.
Glass	X		Rinse and place bottles and lids in blue recycle cart. ¹
Household Batteries	X		Place in a clear, sealed plastic bag, place bag on top of blue recycling cart.
Magazines	X		Place in blue recycle cart.
Metals, Scrap	X		Foil, pie pans, pots, pans, empty (food related) aerosol cans, small metal appliances, single items; no more than 40lbs.
Mixed Paper	X		Place in blue recycle cart; includes paper, phone books, catalogs, magazines, computer paper, envelopes, egg cartons, chipboard (cereal, shoe, gift boxes), brown paper bags, non-metallic wrapping paper.
Newspaper	X		Place in blue recycle cart.
Oil	X		Must be in one gallon container with screw top securely taped pop-on lids; limit two per pick-up; place adjacent to recycle cart.
Oil Filters	X		Drain and place in sealed, leak-proof plastic bag; leave near blue recycle cart.
Plastic (#1- #7)	X		Tie plastic bags inside one plastic bag; place all plastics in blue recycle cart. ¹
Polystyrene (Plastic #6)	X		Place blocks in clear plastic bag and set next to recycling bin. NO "PEANUTS".
Yard Trimmings	X		Collected every week in 96 gallon toters.

FOOTNOTES

¹ All recyclables are placed together in a blue recycling cart for weekly collection.

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MULTI-FAMILY RECYCLING PROGRAM

MATERIALS	COLLECTION		PREPARATION AND SORTING REQUIREMENTS
	Yes	No	
Aseptic Containers	X		Milk cartons and juice boxes accepted; place in the commingle toter.
Bulk Item Pick-Up	X		\$25.00 for first item and \$15.00 for each additional item. No hazardous items.
Cans	X		Place cans, plastic, aseptic containers and glass in commingle toter.
Cardboard	X		Available in most complexes; collected flattened in a dedicated cardboard recycling dumpster.
Glass	X		Glass is collected in commingle toter.
Magazines	X		Combine with mixed paper in toter.
Mixed Paper	X		Available at most complexes; includes white paper, phone books, magazines, computer paper, catalogs, egg cartons, chipboard (cereal, shoe, gift boxes), brown paper bags, non-metallic wrapping paper.
Metals, Scrap	X		Foil, pie pans, pots, pans, empty aerosol cans, single items; no more than 10lbs.
Newspaper	X		Newspaper is collected in a newspaper toter.
Oil	X		Provided to condominium and townhouses with "can" service; complexes with dumpster service, with manager approval.
Plastic (#1-#7)	X		Crush bottles; place in commingle containers toter.
Polystyrene (Plastic #6)	X		Place blocks in clear plastic bag and set next to recycling bin. NO "PEANUTS".
Yard Trimmings	X		Available upon request of multi-family complex manager; bi-weekly toter service available. Bins available for fee.

OTHER SERVICES

- HOLIDAY TREE COLLECTION**
 Holiday tree collection for single and multi-family units is offered for a two week period following New Year's Day (exact dates vary from year to year)

COMMERCIAL RECYCLING FRANCHISE AGREEMENT INFORMATION

The City of Cupertino has a commercial franchise agreement with Los Altos Garbage Company, which grants that company the exclusive right to collect recyclables from businesses, with the following exception: source separated recyclables may be collected by independent recycling providers. Information is included in garbage franchise agreement with Los Altos Garbage.

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LANDFILLS

The residents of Cupertino can take their waste to any landfill. There are no special landfill rates for Cupertino residents or free dump days. The City of Cupertino recommends one of the following landfills:

Zanker Road Landfill
 705 Los Esteros Road
 San Jose, CA 95134
 (408) 263-2384

BFI Newby Island Sanitary Landfill
 1601 Dixon Landing Road
 San Jose, CA 95035
 (408) 262-1401

Guadalupe Rubbish Disposal Co.
 15999 Guadalupe Mines Rd.
 San Jose, CA 95120
 (408) 268-1670