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Newsletter

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HAPPY NEW YEAR!

Just a quick reminder that collections in the first week of January will follow the normal schedule.

CHRISTMAS TREE RECYCLING

We collect and recycle natural Christmas trees. Simply remove stands and all decorations, cut tall trees into 4-foot sections, and place in or near your trash storage area. Please call to schedule a pick up.

2023 HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

Here is the collection schedule for Holidays in 2023:

Holiday	Day & Date	Collection Schedule
New Year's Day	Sunday, January 1	No service delay
Memorial Day	Monday, May 29	Office closed; collections delayed 1 day all week
Independence Day	Tuesday, July 4	Office closed; collections delayed 1 day rest of week
Labor Day	Monday, Sept. 4	Office closed; collections delayed 1 day all week
Thanksgiving Day	Thursday, Nov. 23	Office closed; collections delayed Thurs. & Fri.
Christmas Day	Monday, Dec. 25	Office closed; collections delayed 1 day all week

RECYCLING & ORGANIC WASTE RECYCLING IS MANDATORY.

California law mandates that commercial businesses, recycle glass, metal and plastic containers, paper and cardboard (AB 341) and organic waste consisting of landscape waste AND food scraps (AB 1826). Multi-family complexes are included in the definition of a commercial business.

You can find more information regarding these requirements from this link, then use the [Recycling](#) and [Organic Recycling](#) quick links at the bottom of the page.

CalRecycle is the State department responsible for monitoring and enforcing compliance with these laws by local governments. CalRecycle is closely monitoring the City's progress for achieving full compliance.

We offer cart and bin recycling services, cart food waste recycling, and cart or bin mixed organic waste recycling services that meet the requirements.

If you are not yet enrolled, [act now](#) and our customer service staff will assist you with enrolling in the programs suited to the specific needs of your business.

Businesses that have their green waste hauled by a commercial landscape service can be granted a waiver but only if a waiver application is completed. We can also help with waiver applications.

Businesses that do not comply will be subject to enforcement actions by the City of Desert Hot Springs which can include citations, fines and penalties.

Need help? [Give us a call.](#)

