# LESS IS MORE

IN SANTA BARBARA COUNTY



YOUR ONE STOP WASTE REDUCTION GUIDE!

# Visit Our Website

Visit the ultimate resource for information on **recycling and waste prevention**, as well as complete information on the **County of Santa Barbara's waste prevention programs**.





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#### Santa Barbara County Public Works Department Resource Recovery and Waste Management Division

The Resource Recovery and Waste Management Division (RR&WMD) has many innovative environmental programs designed to help residents and business owners create less waste, and to handle any generated waste properly. Currently the unincorporated areas of the County and the City of Goleta divert close to 75% of our waste, extending the life of our area landfills and lessening potential environmental impacts. However, much more must still be done to send less reusable and recyclable material to the landfill. Therefore, the RR&WMD will continue to develop and expand programs to divert more materials.

In early 2021, the County's ReSource Center will increase our community's recycling rate to above 85%, generate resources such as green energy and compost, and dramatically lower local greenhouse gas emissions. Thank you in advance for your participation in our programs to help meet our community's environmental goals!

While using this Guide, you will discover information and resources that will help you reduce the amount of waste you generate, and reuse and recycle products and materials that you have used.

If you have questions or suggestions for improvement, please contact Sam Dickinson at sdickinson@cosbpw.net, or call (805) 882-3618.

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Public Works Department

Resource Recovery & Waste Management Division

# COVID-19 Waste and Recycling Impacts

The coronavirus has changed all of our day-to-day lives. The Resource Recovery and Waste Management Division has gone through many changes, as has the recycling industry as a whole. Because of this, you might notice that the **Less Is More Guide** looks a little different this year. Many businesses and organizations have changed their operations to keep their staff, partners, and customers safe.

Before visiting or dropping off any material at the locations listed in this book, follow these helpful tips:



- ALWAYS wear a mask or other form of face covering.
- Follow all safety procedures that each location has implemented.
- Call ahead to make sure that your items are accepted and when they can be dropped off.
- Only go out for the essentials.
- Be flexible and be prepared.

Remember, this Guide is a snapshot in time of reusing and recycling in Santa Barbara County. Safety protocols and operations change daily. We recommend that you contact each location before you visit to make sure they are open to the public and accepting materials.

The waste industry has also gone through many changes during the COVID-19 pandemic.

Many consumers are changing their habits, which directly affects waste. In Santa Barbara County, waste has changed in a few interesting ways:

- People are using the extra time at home to declutter and redecorate. This has caused a large rise in customers at our waste facilities. If you are also cleaning out your home, be prepared for potentially long lines at some waste disposal sites.
- Due to less in-store shopping, the amount of cardboard in recycling bins has majorly increased. Clean and dry cardboard is recyclable. Check out pages 6, 16-19, and 43 for cardboard recycling locations and tips.
- Take-out waste has also increased during the COVID-19 pandemic. Most take-out ware is not recyclable. If you are getting take-out or delivered food, request that staff don't include napkins or utensils and use a reusable option at home.



# Reducing Your Waste It's in your hands

Every year we throw away over 200,000 tons of waste into Tajiguas Landfill! You can easily limit the amount of trash you produce and throw away by following the three R's.













Choose Unpackaged



Plan



Borrow, Rent, **Share** 







Repair



Mend or Redesign



**Use Durable** 



Create



ecycle — Convert waste materials into new products.



**Know What's** Recyclable



**Choose Recycled** Content



Compost



Mulch



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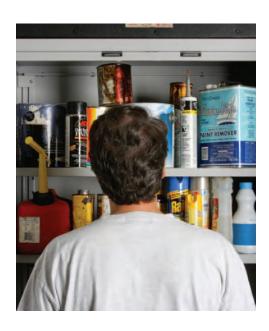
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# Recycling Services

**Reduce** first, then **reuse**, and lastly **recycle**. All items should be clean, dry and loose (not bagged). Bottles should be rinsed out and emptied. Break down boxes. Empty aerosol cans. No liquids. No plastic bags.















# NO! KEEP OUT DO NOT PUT THESE ITEMS IN THE BLUE RECYCLE BIN

- Aerosol cans (full or partially full). See page 25-26 to learn how to recycle.
- Automotive fluids. See page 25-26 to learn how to recycle.
- Batteries. See page 38-41 to learn how to recycle.
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- Paper towels. Learn how to recycle at LessIsMore.org/Compost
- Pottery
- Styrofoam and flimsy plastics
- Tissue and toilet paper
- Incandescent light bulbs



# Items Requiring Special handling:



#### **Household Batteries**

Residential customers in the unincorporated areas of the County can have household batteries collected curbside for recycling. The household batteries should be placed in a clear plastic bag and **placed on top** of the blue recycling container on collection day. Tape the ends of rechargeable batteries. Visit page 38-41 for complete information.



#### **Sharps**

Single-family households in the unincorporated areas of the County may contact their local waste hauler to request a container for the collection of used sharps (needles). Visit page 30-31 for complete information.



#### **Green Waste**

Containers for green waste are provided by your hauler and serviced at your curbside. Green waste consists of leaves, grass clippings, and other yard trimmings and plant material, which are processed into mulch for beneficial reuse. Visit page 14 for complete information.

#### Trash

Reduce waste by prioritizing reusable and durable materials over single-use. All wet and/or dirty items are trash.



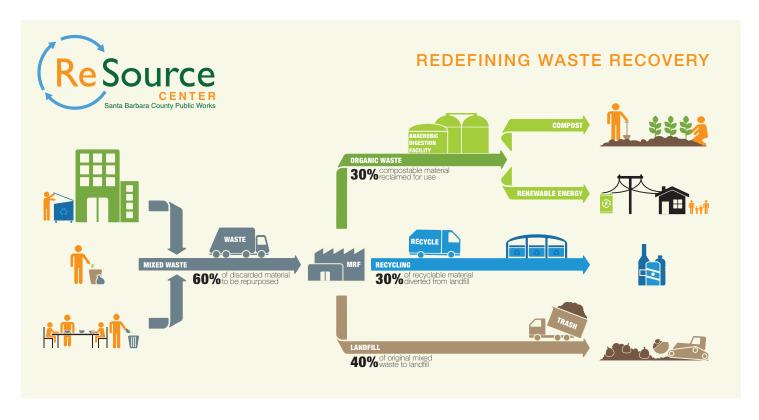
#### Landfill

The non-recyclable materials are placed into a landfill, where they are covered daily in a system of compacted layers.



# Introducing the New ReSource Center! Redefining Waste Recovery

Santa Barbara County continues to expand its legacy of environmental leadership with the **ReSource Center**, a new cutting-edge facility that is fundamentally redefining waste recovery.



The ReSource Center converts commercial and residential waste into resources by recovering recyclable materials, transforming organics into landscape nutrients, and creating renewable energy in the process. With this new technology, approximately **60% of additional waste** from our trash cans **is diverted from the landfill,** bringing our region's diversion rate above 85% while significantly reducing greenhouse gas emissions. As our region continues to grow, the ReSource Center is an opportunity to prepare the next generation for responsible waste management and a healthier environment.



#### Reduces Waste

Diverts additional 60% of waste from landfill



#### Reduces GHG Emissions

Removes emissions equivalent of 28,668 cars annually



#### Generates Renewable Energy

Annual renewable energy generated to power 2,000 homes



#### Improves Air Quality

Captures methane gas and generates electricity and clean burning gas engines



#### Creates Jobs

Creates nearly 100 permanent living wage jobs



#### Meets or Exceeds State Mandates

Vital to achieving state-mandated GHG emission reductions

Learn more about this state-of-the-art Waste Management Facility at:

# Service Providers in Santa Barbara County







#### **Incorporated Areas**

Residents and businesses within the Cities of Carpinteria, Goleta, Santa Barbara, Buellton, Guadalupe, Lompoc, Santa Maria, and Solvang should contact their cities directly for program information.

- City of Buellton, (805) 686-0137
- City of Carpinteria, (805) 684-5405, ext. 411
- City of Goleta, (805) 961-7500
- City of Guadalupe, (805) 343-1340
- City of Lompoc, (805) 875-8024
- City of Santa Barbara, (805) 564-5631
- City of Santa Maria, (805) 925-0951, ext. 7270
- City of Solvang, (805) 688-5575
- Vandenberg Air Force Base, (805) 606-2359 or (805) 605-1143

# **Unincorporated Areas**

#### SOUTH COAST

MarBorg Industries

728 East Yanonali Street Santa Barbara (805) 963-1852

Service areas: Summerland, Montecito, Carpinteria Valley, Hope Ranch, Mission Canyon, unincorporated Goleta, Isla Vista, and the Cuyama Valley

#### NORTH COUNTY

#### **Waste Management**

1850 West Betteravia Road Santa Maria (805) 242-7937

Service areas: Lompoc Valley, Santa Ynez Valley, and Santa Maria Valley

#### Transfer Stations and Landfills

#### SOUTH COAST

#### South Coast Recycling and Transfer Station

A County-operated facility that serves as a convenient collection point for non-hazardous waste generated on the South Coast and processes approximately 200 tons per day of recyclable materials.

#### Tajiguas Landfill

A County-operated facility that serves the unincorporated areas of the County, including the Santa Ynez and New Cuyama Valleys, and the Cities of Buellton, Goleta, Santa Barbara, and Solvang. Now the site of the newly constructed ReSource Center. (See the previous page for more information.) Closed to the public without service accounts. Selfhauled waste can be taken to the South Coast Recycling and Transfer Station.

MarBorg Industries' Construction & Demolition (C&D) Debris Facility consolidates and sorts recyclable materials brought in by waste collection services, as well as contractors and residents.

#### NORTH COUNTY

#### City of Lompoc Landfill

Serves the City of Lompoc and the unincorporated areas of Mesa Oaks, Mission Hills, and Vandenberg Village.

#### City of Santa Maria Landfill

Serves the City of Santa Maria and the unincorporated areas of the Santa Maria Valley.

#### Santa Ynez Valley Recycling and Transfer Station

A County-operated facility that can process up to 212 tons of waste per day. It services the Santa Ynez Valley and self-haul waste from the Cities of Buellton and Solvang.

#### **New Cuvama Transfer Station**

A County-operated facility that serves New Cuyama residents.

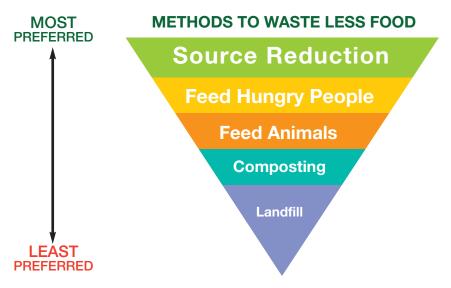
#### **Ventucopa Transfer Station**

A County-operated facility that serves Ventucopa residents.

Visit pages 16 and 17 for complete information about our Waste Collection Facilities.

# Food Forward - Reduce Your Food Print

In America, an astonishing **40% of our food is landfilled**. Food waste is created throughout the entire supply chain: the farm, the grocery store, and at home. **In Santa Barbara County, 20% of what is landfilled is food.** 



#### Simple Ways to Reduce Food Waste

Inventory and use what you have before you buy more.

Page 2 Be creative by using the edible parts of foods that you normally throw away.



Freeze or preserve surplus fruits and vegetables.

5 Know how much food you're actually wasting by measuring your waste.

Reduce plate waste.
Start with a small serving—only what you can eat.







#### Donate

Healthy, safe and untouched foods can be donated.
Check page 54 to see where you can donate unprepared or prepared food. Please call ahead to confirm that your donation will be accepted.





#### **Business Food Recovery**

If your business creates lots of **edible food waste**, you can **donate it!** There's no need to waste perfectly edible food. Our staff can help your restaurant or food service facility **connect with local non-profits**.

#### Before donating try these quick tips:

- Get creative with your inventory. Plan how every food item will be used.
- Craft unique menu items that use unserved foods or edible food scraps.
- Work with local farmers so your produce has the best chance for a long shelf-life.
- Make sure your whole staff is aware of proper food storage.
   Freeze as much as you can!

**Large batches of foods are some of the best to donate.** These include soups, baked goods, salsas, rice, beans, pastas, or unused produce.

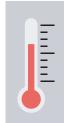
**Food safety is our number one concern.** All items should be stored and transported in food grade containers, and in a safe temperature range.

#### Guidelines to follow when handling leftover food:



Cold foods must be maintained at 41 degrees Fahrenheit or below. This is the safe temperature zone.

Example: Milk



Hot foods must be kept at 135 degrees Fahrenheit or higher. This is the safe temperature zone.

Example: Lasagna

#### Frozen food must be kept below 0 degrees Fahrenheit.

Food items must stay within their correct temperature zone. If foods leave this temperature zone, they must be composted or thrown away. Additionally, prepared foods should only be donated and eaten within the same day they are made.

#### **APPLICABLE REGULATIONS**

California's SB 1383 establishes a statewide mandate to achieve a 50% reduction in the disposal of organic waste by 2020 and a 75% reduction by 2025. It establishes an additional requirement that 20% of currently disposed edible food be recovered for human consumption. SB 1383 also requires composting of organics that can't be consumed.

#### We want to help!

If your're a business owner and want to reduce your food waste, we can help you get started. **Call (805) 882-3600.** 

Unlike households, food service businesses have the opportunity to donate prepared foods. Prepared foods typically include leftovers from events and surplus foods from restaurants, hotels and grocery stores.











#### **Business Food Scraps Collection**

#### Does your business generate food scraps?

The County of Santa Barbara's program collects food scraps and transports the material to a local site where it's processed into compost for agriculture.





(805) 882-3600 — Isla Vista, Summerland, Montecito, Goleta Valley,

and North County Unincorporated Areas

(805) 564-5627 — City of Santa Barbara

(805) 961-7565 — City of Goleta



#### Want to compost food scraps and yard waste where you live?

#### Follow these simple steps to get started:

- 1. Download our free composting booklet. Learn how to reduce your waste and create your own system.
- 2. Choose the composting system best for you.

Earth Machine Composting Bins are available year-round for half price, only \$45! Get them at these three locations:

- South Coast Recycling and Transfer Station:
   4430 Calle Real, Santa Barbara
   Open Monday through Saturday from 7 to 5, Phone: (805) 681-4345
- North County Public Works Building:
   620 W. Foster Road, Orcutt
   Open Monday through Friday from 8 to 5, Phone: (805) 739-8750
- Santa Ynez Valley Recycing and Transfer Station:
   4004 Foxen Canyon Road, Los Olivos
   Open Tuesday through Saturday from 8:30 to 4, Phone: (805) 686-5080
- **3.Attend a free and fun workshop** with our composting specialist. These workshops are offered in convenient locations countywide.



Visit LessIsMore.org/Compost or call our Composting Specialist at (805) 882-3600 to learn more!

# Composting — Food Scraps and Yard Trimmings

Food scraps and yard waste can make up as much as 30% of a typical family's trash. **Recycle these materials** where you live by composting on site to make your own nutrient-rich soil amendment for your garden.





# Get Composting Worms Island Seed and Feed 29 South Fairview Avenue Goleta (805) 967-5262 www.islandseed.com Also available online and at various local

In addition to the resources provided by the County of Santa Barbara described on the previous page, here are more places to purchase composting bins and supplies:

#### SOUTH COAST

#### Santa Barbara Home Improvement Center

415 East Gutierrez Street Santa Barbara (805) 963-7825 www.sbhicace.com

#### **Island Seed and Feed**

29 South Fairview Avenue Goleta (805) 967-5262 www.islandseed.com

#### La Sumida Nursery

165 South Patterson Avenue Santa Barbara (805) 964-9944 www.lasumida.com

#### NORTH COUNTY

#### Farm Supply Company 1920 North Broadway

Santa Maria (805) 922-2737 www.farmsupplycompany.com

# City of Lompoc Corporate Yard

1300 West Laurel Avenue Lompoc (805) 875-8024

#### Farm Supply Company

700 McMurray Road Buellton (805) 688-8101 www.farmsupplycompany.com

#### ONLINE

farmers markets.

Hayneedle.com (888) 880-4884

Enviro World Corporation www.enviroworld.net (877) 634-9777

Planet Natural Garden Supply www.planetnatural.com (406) 582-0920

Home Depot www.homedepot.com



#### Learn How to Compost

Download a free PDF at www.LessIsMore.org/Compost

For more information regarding composting call: (805) 882-3618



#### **Demonstration Sites**

# Santa Barbara City College Lifescape Garden

721 Cliff Drive, Santa Barbara

# UCSB Department of Public Worms

Call for a tour — (805) 893-7765

# Mulch Program

The County of Santa Barbara's mulch is an ideal product that is manufactured from **100% local recycled materials**. Using mulch in your garden **saves water** and completes the local green waste recycling loop.



# NATURAL MULCH BENEFITS Conserves moisture in the soil Moderates soil temperature Blocks weed growth Reduces erosion Improves soil structure and fertility over time Mulch helps preserve natural resources and protect the health of our planet.

#### How to get mulch:

#### Small amounts—

**"Load your own"** free pile at the South Coast Recycling and Transfer Station

#### Large amounts—

Can be delivered for as little as \$10/ton\* or can be loaded into trucks at the following two locations for a small fee:

- South Coast Recycling and Transfer Station
- Santa Ynez Valley Recycling and Transfer Station

\*Santa Barbara and Goleta city water customers can arrange for free delivery.



For more information regarding mulch—

Call: (805) 681-4981

Visit us online at: www.LessIsMore.org/Mulch



# The Green Business Program



- Provides resources to help businesses achieve certification as "green" businesses.
- Helps businesses operate in an environmentally responsible manner and recognizes them for their efforts.



The Process

Enroll in the Green

**Business Academy** 

Pay a certification fee

Participate in the



**RESTAURANTS** 

#### Benefits to Your Business

- Save money
- · Attract new customers
- Promotion: website, a sticker, luncheon, print and online advertising
- · A safer and healthier workplace











- Visit www.GreenBizSBC.org
- Contact the Green Business Program Director by calling: (805) 729-3472
- Send an email message to: coordinator@GreenBizSBC.org



Complete an online checklist



Receive guidance and support



Learn how to save money and implement sustainability measures











# Waste Collection Facilities

The following locations conveniently accept materials for recycling or disposal. Find your material type in the Color Key Code and then look down the page to find which centers accept that material. **Call the center first to verify operating hours and specific materials collected.** 

#### Color Key Code

- 1 Commingled Recyclables
- 2 Automotive Batteries
- 3 Construction Waste
- 4 Electronics and Small Appliances
- 5 Large Appliances
- Other Hazardous Waste (stains, solvents, pesticides)
- 7 Motor Oil and Filters
- 8 Yard and Wood Waste
- 9 Antifreeze
- 10 Paints
- 11 Fluorescent Bulbs
- Mercury-containing Devices
- 13 Compact Fluorescent Bulbs

#### SOUTH COAST

#### **City of Carpinteria ABOP Center**

5775 Carpinteria Avenue, Carpinteria **(805) 880-3415** 

2nd and 4th Saturday of each month from 9-1

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# City of Carpinteria Used Oil Self-Service Recycling Center

5775 Carpinteria Avenue, Carpinteria (805) 880-3415 Monday-Friday from 8-4:30

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#### **Community Hazardous Waste Collection Center**

University of California, Santa Barbara Mesa Road, Building 565, Santa Barbara (805) 882-3602

Households: Saturday from 9-3, Sunday from 11-3 Businesses: Friday by appointment

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#### **Marborg Industries**

119 North Quarantina Street, Santa Barbara (805) 963-1852

Monday-Friday from 7-5, Saturday from 7-4

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#### **South Coast Recycling and Transfer Station**

4430 Calle Real, Santa Barbara **(805) 681-4345** 

Monday-Saturday from 7-5

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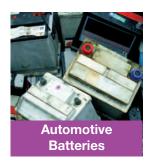
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#### **NORTH COUNTY**

# City of Lompoc Household Hazardous Waste Collection Facility

1585 North "V" Street, Lompoc (805) 875-8024 or (805) 875-8027 By appointment only

















## City of Lompoc Landfill

700 South Avalon Street, Lompoc (805) 875-8024 or (805) 736-9042 Monday-Friday from 7:30-4 Saturday-Sunday from 10-3:45















#### City of Lompoc Recycling

**Drop-Off Facility** 1585 North "V" Street, Lompoc (805) 875-8024 Always open



#### City of Santa Maria Household Hazardous

Waste Facility

2065 East Main Street, Santa Maria

(805) 925-0951, ext. 7270

Households: Wednesday from 10-1, Saturday from 9-3

Businesses: Wednesday by appointment

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#### **New Cuyama Transfer Station**

5073 Highway 166, New Cuyama **(661) 766-2284** 

Wednesday, Friday, and Sunday from 11-5













#### Santa Ynez Valley

#### **Recycling and Transfer Station**

4004 Foxen Canyon Road, Los Olivos (805) 686-5080 and (805) 681-4345

Tuesday-Saturday from 8:30-4 ABOP Program: Saturday from 9-12

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#### **Ventucopa Transfer Station**

Highway 33, Ventucopa **(805) 681-4345** 

Thursday, Saturday from 11-5













#### City of Santa Maria Landfill

2065 East Main Street, Santa Maria **(805) 925-0951, ext. 7270** Daily from 7-4























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# Recycling Drop-Off and Buyback Centers

The following locations conveniently accept materials for recycling. Find your material type in the Color Key Code and then look down the page to find which centers accept that material. Call the center first to verify operating hours.

#### Color Key Code

- Aluminum and Steel Cans
- **CRV Containers\*** (Aluminum, Glass, Plastic)
- Aluminum/Metal
- Cardboard
- Paper (Newspaper and Magazines)
- **Glass Containers**
- Hard Plastics #1-7
- A.B.O.P. (antifreeze, batteries 8 [household and car], motor oil, oil filters, latex and oil-based paint)
- Electronic Waste (anything with a cord or battery)
- **Appliances** (large and small)

\*The California Refund Value (CRV) is the amount paid to consumers when they recycle beverage containers at certified recycling centers. The minimum refund value established for each type of eligible beverage container is 5 cents for each container under 24 ounces and 10 cents for each container 24 ounces or greater. The Pink code represents centers that will pay this to consumers.

#### SOUTH COAST

#### Marborg Industries' Recycling/ABOP Center

132 Nopalitos Way, Santa Barbara (805) 963-1852

Monday-Saturday from 8-4

Marborg Industries Recycling/ABOP Center

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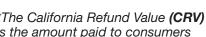
20 David Love Place, Goleta (805) 964-1498

Monday-Saturday from 9-4

#### Santa Barbara Iron & Metal Recyclers

709 East Gutierrez Street, Santa Barbara (805) 966-4468

Monday-Friday from 8-4:30, Saturday from 9-1











Visit page 6 to see what you can recycle in your blue recycling container.

#### NORTH COUNTY

#### **Bedford Enterprises**

1940 West Betteravia Road, Santa Maria (805) 922-4977 www.Beibedford.com

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#### **Chumash Casino Resort**

3400 East Highway 246, Santa Ynez **(805) 691-1871** 

(Only #1 Plastic Accepted)

#### City of Lompoc Recycling Drop-Off Facility

1585 North "V" Street, Lompoc (805) 875-8024

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#### **Drive-In Recycling**

2126 1/2 North "H" Street, Lompoc (805) 736-8812











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#### **Drive-In Recycling**

1028 North "H" Street, Lompoc (805) 736-8812

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#### **El Rancho Market**

2886 Mission Drive, Solvang **(805) 686-8802** 





#### **Waste Management**

97 Commerce Drive, Buellton (805) 688-7456 Wednesday-Saturday from 8:30-5 (closed from 11-11:30)



















#### **Waste Management**

1850 West Betteravia Road, Santa Maria (805) 242-7937

Monday-Saturday from 8-5



























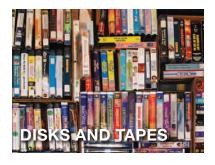


# Donate to Thrift Stores

You may donate household goods, books, clothing, disks and tapes, electronics, and furniture at the following locations. Please call first to verify that your donation will be accepted.









#### SOUTH COAST

#### **Alpha Thrift Store**

- 5624 Hollister Avenue Goleta (805) 964-1123
- 700 North Milpas Street Santa Barbara
   (805) 964-1123
   www.alphasb.org/thriftstores.html

Assistance League of Santa Barbara 1259 Veronica Springs Road Santa Barbara (805) 687-9717 www.assistanceleaguesb.org

# Goodwill Industries of Santa Barbara

- 302 West Carrillo Santa Barbara (805) 899-3807
- 335 South Milpas Street (Drop-off Center only) Santa Barbara (805) 899-3807
- 1024 Casitas Pass Road Caprinteria (805) 220-6557 www.goodwillvsb.org

#### Santa Barbara Thrifty Shopper

609 Haley Street Santa Barbara (805) 966-9659

# **United Family Association Thrift** 5156 Hollister Avenue

Santa Barbara (805) 964-9996

#### **Unity Shoppe**

1401 Chapala Street Santa Barbara (805) 965-4122 www.unityshoppe.org











**FURNITURE** 

#### NORTH COUNTY

#### **Achievement House**

101 East Chestnut Avenue Lompoc (805) 757-5044

#### **Buellton Senior Thrift Shop**

56 West Highway 246 Buellton (805) 688-5073

#### **Central Coast Super Thrift Store**

306 North Broadway Santa Maria (805) 357-1214 www.centralcoastrescue mission.org

#### **Goodwill Industries**

- 1539 Stowell Center Plaza Santa Maria (805) 925-7091
- 1009 North "H" Street Lompoc (805) 736-9240
- 3486 Orcutt Road Orcutt (805) 314-2624 www.goodwillvsb.org

New Image Thrift Store

2512 South Broadway Santa Maria (805) 922-9668

**New To You Shop** 

1689 Oak Street Solvang (805) 688-7178

People Helping People Thrift Store

175 McMurray Road Buellton (805) 686-9897 www.syvphp.org/about/ php-thrift-store

Santa Ynez Valley Opportunity Shop

3630 Sagunto Street, Suite G Santa Ynez (805) 688-8005

Vandenberg Air Force Base Airman's Attic

Building 11175 New Mexico Avenue Vandenberg Air Force Base (805) 606-5484

# Vandenberg Air Force Base Thrift Shop

Building 11180 New Mexico Avenue Vandenberg Air Force Base (406) 868-5828

**VTC Enterprises Thrift Store** 

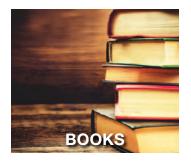
124 North I Street Lompoc (805) 928-5000, ext. 148 (Drop off only) www.vtc-sm.org







# Donate to Public Libraries









**BLUE RAY DISKS** 

You may donate books, blue ray disks, audio CDs, and DVDs at the following locations. Donations should be in good condition and five years old or newer. Please call first to verify that your donation will be accepted.

#### SOUTH COAST

#### **CENTRAL LIBRARY**

#### **Discovery Books Box**

40 East Anapamu Street Santa Barbara (805) 962-7653 (805) 564-5608 (Administration)

#### Carpinteria Branch

5141 Carpinteria Avenue Carpinteria (805) 684-4314

Some libraries also accept recent magazines, newspapers, small electronics, and eyeglasses for reuse.

#### Color Key Code

Magazines (recent)

**Newspapers (recent)** 

**Working Small Electronics** 

**Eyeglasses** 

#### **Eastside Branch**

1102 East Montecito Street Santa Barbara

(805) 963-3727

#### **Goleta Branch**

500 North Fairview Avenue Goleta

(805) 964-7878



#### **Montecito Branch**

1469 East Valley Road

Montecito (805) 969-5063



#### NORTH COUNTY

#### **Buellton Branch**

140 West Highway 246 Buellton

(805) 688-3115



#### **Cuyama Branch**

Highway 166 at Newsome Street Cuyama

(661) 766-2490

#### **Guadalupe Branch**

4719 West Main Street, Suite D Guadalupe

(805) 343-1405



#### 501 East North Avenue Lompoc (805) 875-8775

**Lompoc Public Library** 

**Los Olivos Library** 

2374 Alamo Pintado Avenue Los Olivos

(805) 688-4214



#### **Orcutt Branch**

175 South Broadway Avenue Orcutt

(805) 937-6483



#### Santa Maria Public Library

421 South McClelland Street Santa Maria

(805) 925-0994, ext. 321



#### **Santa Ynez Library**

3598 Sagunto Santa Ynez (805) 688-4214

#### Solvang Branch

1745 Mission Drive Solvana

(805) 688-4214



#### Vandenberg Village Branch

3755 Constellation Road

Lompoc

(805) 733-3323

Donations must be in good condition. Only commercially pre-recorded disks in their original packages will be accepted.

# How to Stop "Junk" Mail

Contact organizations and ask them to remove your name and address from their lists. When you first share your information, request that your information not be shared.



For reoccurring utility bills, select the "Go Paperless" option.

Contact each of the following brokers, bureaus, and services and follow the steps to have your information removed:

Catalog Choice www.catalogchoice.org

DirectMail.com (888) 690-2252 www.directmail.com/directory/ mail preference

**Direct Marketing Association** (212) 768-7277 ext. 1888 www.dmachoice.org

InfoGroup (800) 794-1404

**Local Search Association and Association of Directory Publishers** www.yellowpagesoptout.com



Optoutprescreen.com (888) 567-8688

Paper Karma www.paperkarma.com

> **Phone Book Opt Out** yellowpagesoptout.com

# Recycle at School

Since school waste is up to 80% recyclable, schools make a huge impact when they recycle. Recycling is also cheaper than trash disposal, so it helps save the environment and your budget. There are many free services available for schools in the unincorporated county areas.

#### FREE EDUCATION

- Landfill and Transfer Station Field Trips available to ages 7 and up. Contact the County at (805) 882-3618.
- Curriculum-fulfilling education for students through Explore Ecology. Contact Explore Ecology at (805) 884-0459.
- The Environmental Education Box with recycling information can visit your school (if you are in North County and served by Waste Management). Contact Waste Management at (805) 242-7942.

#### OTHER FREE SERVICES

Contact the County at (805) 882-3618.

- Indoor recycling containers
- Recycling posters, booklets, magnets and labels
- · Waste audits and other help managing waste











35 Gallon

# **Plastics**

#### Plastics currently accepted in your curbside recycling program:

- Any beverage container #1 and #2
- Any rigid container that once held a liquid
- Any rigid container larger than a gallon







#### PETE Polyethylene Terephthalate

EXAMPLES: 2 liter soda bottles, cooking oil bottles, peanut butter jars



#### RECYCLED INTO: tote bags, furniture, carpet, paneling, fiber, and

polar fleece



#### HDPE High Density Polyethylene

EXAMPLES: detergent bottles, shampoo bottles, milk jugs



# RECYCLED INTO: pens, recycling containers, picnic tables, lumber, benches, fencing, and detergent bottles



# **PVC**Polyvinyl Chloride

EXAMPLES: outdoor furniture, water bottles, salad dressing bottles, liquid detergent containers



#### RECYCLED INTO: paneling, flooring, speed bumps, decks, and roadway gutters



#### LDPE Low Density Polyethylene

EXAMPLES: food storage containers, bread bags, sandwich bags, dry cleaning bags, produce bags, trash can liners, shrink wrap



RECYCLED INTO: compost bins, paneling, trash can liners and cans, floor tiles, and shipping envelopes



# Please **DO NOT** place them in your blue bin.

First, try to reduce their use by bringing reusable bags when you shop. Next, try to reuse any plastic bags as much as possible.



#### PP Polypropylene

EXAMPLES: aerosol caps, drinking straws, margarine tubs, straws, screw-on lids, wet suits



#### **RECYCLED INTO:**

brooms, auto battery cases, bins, pallets, signal lights, ice scrapers, and bicycle racks



#### PS Polystyrene

EXAMPLES: styrofoam cups, plastic tableware, meat trays, to-go "clam shells" and egg cartons



RECYCLED INTO: egg cartons, vents, foam packing, and insulation



## Other Plastics

EXAMPLES: various kinds of food containers and Tupperware, ketchup and syrup bottles



RECYCLED INTO: plastic lumber and other custom-made products

#### What is downcycling?

Plastics lose quality when they are melted into new plastic products. Many plastics are only recyclable into new products one time.



EXAMPLE: Soda bottles end up as items like fleece and house siding. These products can never be recycled into soda bottles again.



# Hazardous Waste

**Hazardous waste must be disposed of properly.** Hazardous waste pertains to products that contain chemicals that are **flammable**, **corrosive**, **reactive**, **or poisonous**.















#### **Transportation**

Caution should be taken when transporting hazardous waste to a collection facility.

- Household limit: 15 gallons/125 pounds
- Business limit:27 gallons/220 pounds

If possible, use the original product container or clearly label the container. Cover all containers with a secure fitting lid and pack containers upright in a leak-proof box. You may be asked to provide a detailed inventory, if you have complex chemicals or laboratory waste. Some facilities will also need an EPA identification number. Please contact the facility directly for more specific information.



#### Hazardous Waste Disposal Sites:

The following facilities accept hazardous waste from residents and businesses that qualify as a **Conditionally Exempt Small Quantity Generator (CESQG)**. CESQG means businesses that generate no more than 27 gallons or 220 pounds of hazardous waste per month.

#### SOUTH COAST

#### **Community Hazardous Waste Collection Center (CHWCC)**

University of California at Santa Barbara (UCSB)

Mesa Road, Building 565 Santa Barbara

(805) 882-3602

DIRECTIONS: Located on the UCSB Campus. Take Los Carneros Road towards Campus, turn left on Mesa Road. Once on Campus, continue on Mesa Road past the stop sign, and the Center will be the second driveway on the right.

The CHWCC is administered by the Santa Barbara County Public Works Department in partnership with the University of California, Santa Barbara.



HOUSEHOLDS Saturdays 9 to 3, Sundays 11 to 3 No appointment Small quantities of hazardous waste Free



#### BUSINESSES Appointments available on Fridays Call (805) 882-3602 Charged a user fee



FREE MATERIALS REUSE PROGRAM Enjoy access to a wide array of usable products such as paints, cleaning supplies, pesticides, and home improvement products.

# Hazardous Waste Large Quantity Services:

For non-CESQG businesses (27 gallons or more) and large generator households (125 pounds or more) that wish to dispose of large quantities of hazardous waste all at once, call one of the following companies that provide pick-up services (except where noted) for a fee.

#### **FULL SERVICE — ALL MATERIALS:**

(except where noted)

Asbury Environmental Services (310) 886-3400 (No biohazard waste)

**BGI** (800) 549-0065 (No oil, oil filters, antifreeze, or biohazard waste)

Clean Harbors (805) 987-0217

Industrial Waste Utilization (800) 667-9278 (No biohazard waste) Medical Waste Environmental Engineers (805) 925-6633 (Biohazard waste only)

Safety Kleen (805) 967-1448

Stericycle (866) 783-7422 (Biohazard waste only)

#### Hazardous Waste Collection Events



Please note that semi-annual Household Hazardous Waste/Electronic Waste Collection events are held for households and businesses in the **Santa Ynez Valley** every spring and fall.



In addition, an annual Household Hazardous Waste/ Electronic Waste Collection event is held in the **Cuyama Valley** every fall.

For more information on these events, please call (805) 882-3603.



If you are abating the asbestos yourself, call (805) 882-3602 to obtain the appropriate free bags.

#### Important Asbestos Information

Asbestos can pose a threat to human health when microscopic fibers become airborne and are inhaled.

Asbestos is most commonly found in pre-1980 construction: "popcorn" ceilings, pipe insulation, floor tile and mastic, roofing and fireproofing materials, and textured paints. Never dust, sweep, or vacuum these items or other products suspected of containing asbestos fibers.

#### **Asbestos Bag Guidelines**

- ✓ double bagged
- ✓ six millimeters thick
- ✓ specially marked bags indicating contents
- sealed (twist tied and folded over, and then sealed with duct tape)
- ✓ 25 pounds or less per bag (max 5 per trip)
- ✓ no holes or tears

For information on disposal of filled bags or if you have any questions, please call (805) 882-3602, Monday through Friday, or visit LessIsMore.org.





If you have large quantities of non-friable asbestos (i.e. unable to be crumbled by hand pressure) in excess of 125 pounds, please call (805) 681-4345 to obtain a permit application and further instructions.



Under the California Paint Stewardship Program, PaintCare Products are accepted for free at drop-off sites.

Visit www.paintcare.org or call (855) 724-6809 to find your nearest drop-off site.

- Interior and exterior architectural paints
- Deck coatings, floor paints
- Primers, sealers, undercoats
- Stains
- Shellacs, lacquers, varnishes, urethanes
- Metal coatings
- Waterproofing coatings
- Field and lawn paints

#### SOUTH COAST (continued)

#### **City Of Carpinteria ABOP Center**

5775 Carpinteria Avenue Carpinteria

(805) 880-3415

Visit page 16 for complete information.

#### City of Carpinteria Used Oil Self-Service Recycling Center

5775 Carpinteria Avenue Carpinteria

(805) 880-3415

Visit page 16 for complete information.

# Marborg Industries' Recycling/ABOP Center

119 North Quarantina Street Santa Barbara

(805) 963-1852

Visit page 18 for complete information.

# Marborg Industries' Recycling/ABOP Center

20 David Love Place Goleta

(805) 964-1498

Visit page 18 for complete information.

#### **NORTH COUNTY**

#### City of Lompoc Household Hazardous Waste Collection Facility

1585 North "V" Street Lompoc

(805) 875-8024 and (805) 875-8027

Visit page 17 for complete information.

#### **City Of Lompoc Landfill**

Avalon Road (south end) Lompoc

(805) 875-8024 and (805) 736-9042

Visit page 17 for complete information.

#### City of Santa Maria Household Hazardous Waste Facility

2065 East Main Street Santa Maria

**(805) 925-0951, ext. 7270** for households.

**ext. 7221** for businesses Visit page 17 for complete information.

#### City of Santa Maria Landfill

2065 East Main Street Santa Maria (805) 925-0951, ext. 7270 Visit page 17 for complete information.

# Santa Ynez Valley Recycling and Transfer Station

4004 Foxen Canyon Road Los Olivos (805) 686-5080

Visit page 17 for complete information.

#### V.A.F.B. Balfour Beatty Communities Self Help Store

603 Juniper Street Vandenberg Air Force Base (805) 734-1672

#### **Waste Management**

- 97 Commerce Drive Buellton (805) 688-7456 Visit page 19 for complete information.
- 1850 West Betteravia Road Santa Maria (805) 922-2121 Visit page 19 for complete information.

# **Used Motor Oil Collection Centers**

These centers will accept used motor oil and oil filters **free of charge** (unless otherwise noted). The list is arranged by zip code. Please see pages 25-26 for more options. Most of these centers are certified by the State and offer a payment of \$.40 per gallon of returned oil. **Please call ahead to confirm.** 

#### SOUTH COAST

#### 93013

City of Carpinteria ABOP Center and City of Carpinteria Used Oil Self-Service Recycling Center 5775 Carpinteria Avenue

Carpinteria (805) 880-3415

# Risdon's 76 Protech Service

4401 North Via Real Carpinteria (805) 684-7676

#### 93101

# Ayers Automotive Repairs

- 1301 Chapala Street Santa Barbara (805) 962-7316
- 220 Anacapa Street Santa Barbara
   (805) 845-4242
   (No oil filters accepted.)

#### Jiffy Lube



#### 93103

Auto Zone #5688 305 North Milpas Street Santa Barbara (805) 884-9424

# MarBorg Industries' Recycling/ABOP Center 132 Nopalitos Way

Santa Barbara (805) 963-1852

#### Munoz's Auto Repair

401-B Old Coast Highway Santa Barbara (805) 963-7786

#### O'Reilly Auto Parts

436 North Milpas Street Santa Barbara (602) 631-7057

#### 93105

# Firestone Complete Auto Care

3948 State Street Santa Barbara (805) 569-1451

#### O'Reilly Auto Parts

55 La Cumbre Road Santa Barbara (805) 683-3554

#### **Perry Ford Mazda**

440 Hitchcock Way Santa Barbara (805) 682-2411

# Santa Barbara Auto Group

402 South Hope Avenue Santa Barbara (805) 682-2000

#### 93106

# Community Hazardous Waste Collection Center

University of California at Santa Barbara Mesa Road, Building 565 Santa Barbara (805) 882-3602

#### 93109

#### **Union Marine Station**

125 Harbor Way, #12 Santa Barbara (805) 962-7186

#### 93110

#### Fast Lane Oil Change

4299 State Street Santa Barbara (805) 967-1890

#### 93117

#### **AutoZone**

5799 Hollister Avenue Goleta (805) 770-4019

#### **Fast Lane Oil Change**

180 North Fairview Avenue Goleta (805) 683-9640

#### Jiffy Lube

6015 Hollister Avenue Goleta (805) 683-4100 (No oil filters accepted.)

# MarBorg Industries' Recycling/ABOP Center

20 David Love Place Goleta (805) 964-1498

#### O'Reilly Auto Parts

5754 Hollister Avenue Goleta (805) 683-1318

#### **Toyota of Santa Barbara**

5611 Hollister Avenue Goleta (805) 967-5611

#### **NORTH COUNTY**

#### 93427

#### **Jim Vreeland Ford**

340 East Highway 246 Buellton (805) 688-7760

#### O'Reilly Auto Parts

270 East Highway 246 Buellton (805) 688-8239

#### **Rio Vista Chevrolet**

390 East Highway 246 Buellton (805) 693-4639

#### **Waste Management**

97 Commerce Drive Buellton (805) 688-7456

#### 93436

#### **AutoZone**

538 North "H" Street Lompoc (805) 735-6622

#### City of Lompoc Household Hazardous Waste Collection Facility

1585 North "V" Street Lompoc (805) 875-8024 or (805) 875-8027

#### City of Lompoc Landfill

South Avalon Road Lompoc (805) 875-8024 or (805) 736-9042

#### O'Reilly Auto Parts

511 West Central Avenue Lompoc (805) 735-2793

#### 93441

#### Santa Ynez Valley Recycling and Transfer Station

4004 Foxen Canyon Road Los Olivos

#### (805) 686-5080

(Accepts used motor oil and oil filters on Saturdays only, from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.)

#### 93454

#### **AutoZone**

- 1793 North Broadway Santa Maria (805) 928-6989
- 2020 South Broadway Santa Maria (805) 614-0327
- 4869 South Bradly Road Santa Maria (805) 348-4415

#### **Brumit Diesel**

1631 North Carlotti Drive Santa Maria (805) 928-3806

#### City of Santa Maria Household Hazardous Waste Facility

2065 East Main Street Santa Maria (805) 925-0951, ext. 7270

#### Jiffy Lube

1860 South Broadway Santa Maria (805) 922-1948

#### O'Reilly Auto Parts

1790 North Broadway Santa Maria (805) 922-8305

#### O'Reilly Auto Parts

2053A South Broadway Santa Maria (805) 349-1137

#### Pep Boys

1723 South Broadway Santa Maria (805) 345-4180

#### Santa Maria Car Wash

617 South Broadway Santa Maria (805) 925-5065 (No oil filters accepted.)

# Santa Maria Wash & Lube

2301 South Broadway Santa Maria (805) 925-6166

#### 93455

#### **Bush's Automotive**

211 West Betteravia Road Santa Maria (805) 925-3355 (No oil filters accepted.)

#### O'Reilly Auto Parts

4854 South Bradley Road Suite B Orcutt (805) 934-5376

#### Rizzoli's Automotive

1149 West Tama Lane Santa Maria (805) 922-7742 (No oil filters accepted.)

#### **Waste Management**

1850 West Betteravia Road Santa Maria (805) 922-9092

#### 93458

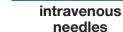
#### **Black Road Auto**

1500 South Black Road Santa Maria (805) 346-2770 (No oil filters accepted.)



# Home Generated Sharps Collection Program



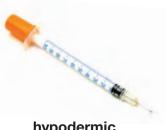




syringes with needles



disposable lancets



hypodermic needles

It is illegal to place sharps in your trash. Keep sharps in an approved container. Follow these simple steps:

#### Two **FREE** Options for Residents

#### 1. DROP OFF

needles

Pick up a container at one of the County's Public Health Clinics and return it back to the same location when full. See the locations listed on the following page.





#### 2. MAIL BACK

Call your trash hauler, MarBorg Industries or Waste Management, for a free container that can be mailed back when full.

Note: If you live in Carpinteria contact E.J. Harrison & Sons.

NOTE: You may also purchase containers at a medical supply company or pharmacy.



Mail it back!



Drop it off!

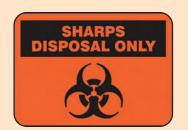
For more information, please call our Sharps and Pharmaceutical Waste Specialist at (805) 882-3603 or visit LessIsMore.org.

- OR -

#### The Details

For drop-off facilities, residents may not dispose of more than two sharps containers during any visit and are limited to one visit per week.

Hospitals, clinics, medical practices, pathology labs, convalescent homes, group homes, nursing facilities, hospices, and veterinarian hospitals are not eligible to use this program. **Visit LessIsMore.org or call (805) 882-3603.** 



Never leave sharps containers unattended at a collection facility.

#### Drop-Off Facilities in Santa Barbara County

#### SOUTH COAST

#### **Santa Barbara County Public Health Department**

#### • Carpinteria Clinic

931 Walnut Avenue Carpinteria (805) 560-1050

Operating hours: Monday through Friday, from 8 to 12 and 1 to 5.

#### • Santa Barbara Clinic

315 Camino Del Remedio, Room 114 Santa Barbara (805) 681-5380

Operating hours: Monday through Friday, from 8 to 12 and 1 to 5.

#### • Franklin Clinic

1136 East Montecito Street Santa Barbara (805) 568-2099

Operating hours: Monday through Friday, from 8 to 12 and 1 to 5.

#### NORTH COUNTY

# City of Santa Maria Household Hazardous Waste Facility

2065 East Main Street
Santa Maria
(805) 925-0951, ext. 7270
Operating hours: Wednesdays from 10 to 1 and Saturdays from 9 to 3.

#### **Santa Barbara County Public Health Department**

Lompoc Clinic
 301 North "R" Street
 Lompoc
 (805) 737-6488

Operating hours: Monday through Friday, from 8 to 12 and 1 to 5.

#### Santa Maria Clinic

2115 South Centerpointe Parkway Santa Maria (805) 346-8421

Operating hours: Monday through Friday, from 8 to 12 and 1 to 5.

# Choose Recycled-**Content Products**

This section provides examples of recycled-content products that you may be able to use in your home or business.

#### BENEFITS: Reduces pollution and greenhouse gas emissions Conserves natural resources and energy Preserves landfill space Fosters markets and competition Supports small businesses and creates jobs

#### Art and Office Supplies

#### SOUTH COAST

#### **Art Essentials**

32 East Victoria Street Santa Barbara (805) 965-5456 ww.artessentials.com

#### **Letter Perfect Stationery**

1150 Coast Village Road Montecito (805) 969-7998 www.letterperfect-ink-designnature.com

#### Office Max

219 East Gutierrez Santa Barbara (805) 899-4983

#### **Staples**

- 410 State Street Santa Barbara (805) 965-9577
- 7015 Marketplace Drive Goleta (805) 961-8093

#### NORTH COUNTY

#### Office Depot

1427 South Bradley Road Santa Maria (805) 349-0173

#### **Staples**

615 North "H" Street Lompoc (805) 740-0192

#### Outside Santa Barbara County

Dolphin Blue, Inc. (800) 932-7715

www.dolphinblue.com

TheGreenOffice.com (800) 909-9750

www.thegreenoffice.com

**GreenLine Paper Company** (717) 845-8697 www.greenlinepaper.com

**Guided Products** (800) 488-0966 www.guidedproducts.com

PaperNuts.com (877) 823-1466 www.papernuts.com











#### Construction/Remodeling Supplies

#### SOUTH COAST

#### **Bedrock Building Supplies** 208 North Calle Cesar Chavez Santa Barbara

(805) 899-3524

#### Carpinteria Valley Lumber Company

915 Elm Avenue Carpinteria (805) 684-2183

#### **Channel City Lumber Company**

35 Aero Camino Goleta (805) 968-9645 www.truevalue.com/channel citylumber/home.aspx

#### **Goleta Building Materials**

91 Lopez Road Goleta (805) 967-5413 www.goletabuildingmaterials.com

#### **Hayward Lumber Company**

- 421 Laguna Street Santa Barbara (805) 963-1881
- 79 Lopez Road Goleta (805) 964-7711 www.haywardlumber.com

#### **Home Depot**

6975 Marketplace Drive Goleta (805) 961-4746 www.homedepot.com

Livingreen (866) 966-1319 or (805) 220-6082 www.livingreen.com

#### NORTH COUNTY

#### **Hayward Lumber Company**

800 West Betteravia Road Santa Maria (805) 928-8557 www.haywardlumber.com

#### **Home Depot**

- 1701 East Ocean Avenue Lompoc (805) 737-0314
- 2120 South Bradley Road Santa Maria (805) 739-1141 www.homedepot.com

#### Kelly-Moore Paint Company, Inc.

1760 South Broadway Santa Maria (805) 348-1617 www.kellymoore.com/ products/

#### **Neilsen Building Materials**

1230 Mission Drive #2 Solvang (805) 688-6464

#### Clothing and Accessories

#### NORTH COUNTY

Hernandez Sewing, Inc. 2360 Thompson Way, Suite J Santa Maria (805) 925-4979 www.hernandezsewing.com

Jak-Sak 523 South Railroad Santa Maria (805) 928-2714 www.jaksak.com

#### Outside Santa Barbara County

Amazon.com

Search: "recycled clothing"

**Bamboo Clothes** www.bambooclothes.com

**Clothes Made from Scrap** www.clothesmadefromscrap.com

Earth Monkeys www.earthmonkeys.com

Ecologic Designs, Inc. www.greengurugear.com

Moxie Jean www.moxiejean.com

**Patagonia** www.patagonia.com

**Sundance Beach** www.sundancebeach.com





# Fire Logs and Starters

CleanFlame Firelogs www.cleanflame.com

Duraflame www.duraflame.com

Hearthmark, LLC www.pinemountainbrands.com

Nerman-Lockhart, Inc. www.nermanlockhart.net

#### **Furniture**

Outside Santa Barbara County

**IKEA** 

www.ikea.com



#### Re-refined Oil

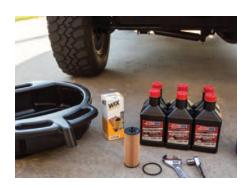
#### NORTH COUNTY

Rizzoli's Automotive 1149 Tama Lane

Santa Maria

(805) 357-0313

www.rizzolisautomotive.com





#### Restaurant and Retail Products

#### SOUTH COAST

Be Green Packaging, LCC 800 Presidio Santa Barbara (805) 456-6088 www.begreenpackaging.com

Jordano's Foodservice 550 South Patterson Avenue Santa Barbara (805) 964-0626 www.jordanos.com

#### **Smart & Final**

- 217 East Gutierrez Street Santa Barbara (805) 564-8855
- 7090 Hollister Avenue Goleta (805) 961-4519 www.smartandfinal.com

#### **NORTH COUNTY**

Smart & Final 1721 South Broadway Santa Maria (805) 925-6730 www.smartandfinal.com

#### Outside Santa Barbara County

Eco-Products, Inc. www.ecoproducts.com

SimBio USA www.simbiousa.com

World Centric
www.worldcentric.org



# Promotional Products

**Outside Santa Barbara County** 

Adapt Ad Specialty www.adaptadspecialty.com



#### **Pet Products**

Wet Paws www.westpawdesign.com

#### **Sporting Goods**

Lost Golf Balls.com www.lostgolfballs.com

OnlyGolfBalls.com www.onlygolfballs.com

Skichair.com www.skichair.com

#### Toys

Green Toys www.greentoys.com



### **Online Stores**

The following stores sell a wide variety of recycled content products.

**Amazing Recycled Products** www.amazingrecycled.com

BuyGreen.com www.buygreen.com

Close the Loop www.closetheloop.com

**Eco-Artware.com** www.eco-artware.com

Give Something Back, Inc. www.givesomethingback.com

GreenDisk www.greendisk.com

**Green Home** www.greenhome.com

LetsGoGreen.biz www.letsgogreen.biz

**Resource Revival** www.resourcerevival.com

TreeCycle.com www.treecycle.com

The Ultimate GreenStore www.theultimategreenstore.com

**Weisenbach Recycled Products** www.recycledproducts.com

### Online Databases

Find even more information about recycled content products on the websites listed below:

#### **Plastic Recycling Directory**

Connects scrap plastic buyers and suppliers. www.plasticsmarkets.org/plastics/index.html

#### **CalRecycle Databases**

Find facilities that collect and dispose of waste, and that process and manufacture recycled materials. www.calrecycle.ca.gov/FacIT/Facility/Search.aspx

Find products containing recycled materials, as well as information about manufacturers. www.calrecycle.ca.gov/RCPM

Find recycled content products in this online catalog. www.calrecycle.ca.gov/RecycleStore

Call the Buy Recycled staff at (916) 341-6199 or email buyrecycled@calrecycle.ca.gov.

Visit the following websites for links to thousands of websites selling sustainable products and services:

**Debra's List** www.debralynndadd.com

**EcoMall** www.ecomall.com

**Green America** www.greenpages.org

**Recycled Products Cooperative** www.recycledproducts.org

**United States Environmental Protection Agency** www.epa.gov/smm/comprehensive-procurement-guidelinecpg-program











## Business and Multi-Family Housing

Businesses, apartments and condominiums are required to recycle waste materials. There are two options for recycling: 1) take recyclables yourself to a collection facility, or 2) arrange for recycling collection services.

## Contact Us Today

Call (805) 882-3600 or visit our website



LessIsMore.org



## Multi-Family Complexes

Recycling is included as part of trash collection in most of Santa Barbara County, and does not cost extra. If you live in a multi-family dwelling and do not have access to recycling, check with your hauler to find out what is available.



## **Businesses**

Recycling is priced less than trash service for businesses, and can save companies money on waste disposal. County staff can help businesses in the unincorporated areas manage waste more effectively.

## Recycling Market Development Zone (RMZD) Program

CalRecycle offers below market rate loans to businesses that use post-consumer or secondary waste materials to manufacture new products, or that undertake projects to reduce the waste resulting from the manufacture of a product.

#### **More Help for Businesses**

CalRecycle offers assistance to businesses that use recycled materials and fosters recycling markets. It also promotes the efficient collection and recycling of secondary materials into high quality, value-added products.



Find out more at www.calrecycle.ca.gov/RMDZ

To find products that contain recycled content please see pages 32-35, or visit: www.calrecycle.ca.gov/RCPM

## Reuse and Recycling A-Z

The following companies accept materials for reuse or recycling. Please call ahead to verify operating hours and materials accepted.

### **Aerosol Cans**



Place in your blue bin recycling container.



See the Household **Hazardous Waste** section on pages 25-27.

### **Aluminum**

To see complete options, flip to **Recycling Drop-Off and Buyback** Centers on pages 18-19, and **Waste Collection Facilities on** pages 16-17.

#### SOUTH COAST

#### Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

· South Coast Recycling and Transfer Station

#### Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 18-19.

- Marborg Industries' Recycling/ ABOP Center
- Santa Barbara Iron and Metal Recyclers

#### NORTH COUNTY

#### Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

- City of Lompoc Landfill
- City of Lompoc Recycling Drop-Off Facility
- City of Santa Maria Landfill
- New Cuyama Transfer Station
- Santa Ynez Valley Recycling and Transfer Station
- Ventucopa Transfer Station

#### Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 18-19.

- Bedford Enterprises
- City of Lompoc Recycling Drop-off Facility
- Drive-In Recycling locations
- El Rancho Market
- Waste Management locations

#### Vandenberg Air Force Base DLA **Disposition Services**

Building 11590, 1205 Utah Avenue Vandenberg Air Force Base (805) 606-9852 (Accepts scrap for recycling.)

## Vandenberg Air Force Base Base

## Exchange (BX)

Building 10400, Community Loop Vandenberg Air Force Base (805) 734-5521

(Accepts CRV cans for recycling. Military family residents only.)

#### **Vandenberg Air Force Base Materials Diversion Center**

Building 11510, 1205 Utah Avenue Vandenberg Air Force Base (805) 605-1143 (Accepts scrap for recycling. Base personnel only.)

#### Outside Santa Barbara County

#### Waste Management

#### www.thinkgreenfromhome.com

(Through this website, purchase a recycling kit for aluminum cans. Free shipping.)



### Antifreeze

#### SOUTH COAST

#### Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

- City of Carpinteria ABOP Center
- Community Hazardous Waste Collection Center

#### Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 18-19.

 MarBorg Industries' Recycling/ **ABOP Center** 

#### NORTH COUNTY

#### Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

- City of Lompoc Household Hazardous Waste Collection Facility
- City of Lompoc Landfill
- City of Santa Maria Household Hazardous Waste Facility
- Santa Ynez Valley Recycling and Transfer Station

#### Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 18-19.

Waste Management locations

#### Vandenberg Air Force Base Balfour **Beatty Communities Self-Help** Store

603 Juniper Street Vandenberg Air Force Base (805) 734-1672 (Open to military family housing residents only.)

## **Appliances**

Many of the **Thrift Stores** accept small appliances. Please see the list of Thrift Stores on pages 20-21.

Several **public facilities** accept small and/or large appliances. **Please see** pages 16-17.

KEY: Look for the color to see which size appliance is accepted: purple for small, and pink for large.

#### SOUTH COAST

## Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

 South Coast Recycling and Transfer Station

## Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 18-19.

- MarBorg Industries
- MarBorg Industries' Recycling/ ABOP Center

#### **Best Buy**

7090 Marketplace Drive Goleta (805) 571-3999





(Call to learn more about haul-away services.)

#### NORTH COUNTY

## Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

- City of Lompoc Household Hazardous Waste Collection Facility
- City of Lompoc Landfill
- City of Santa Maria Landfill
- New Cuyama Transfer Station
- Santa Ynez Valley Recycling and Transfer Station
- Ventucopa Transfer Station

## Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 18-19.

- Bedford Enterprises
- Waste Management locations

#### **Best Buy**

2326 South Bradley Road Santa Maria (805) 922-6195





(Call to learn more about haulaway services.)

## Habitat for Humanity of Northern Santa Barbara County ReStore

2053 Preisker Lane, Unit B Santa Maria (805) 928-5399





www.habitatnsbc.org

#### Vandenberg Air Force Base Balfour Beatty Communities Self-Help Store



(See listing on page 37 for complete information.)

### **Asbestos**

See the Household Hazardous Waste section on pages 25-27. Please ensure that you call ahead to receive instructions on the proper handling and disposal of asbestos.

## **Asphalt**

See the firms listed under the Construction Waste category on page 48.

## Bags (Reusable)

#### **ChicoBag Company**

c/o Zero Waste 13434 Browns Valley Drive Chico, CA 95973 (888) 496-6166

#### www.chicobag.com

(Accepts woven reusable bags that will be distributed to families in need, or used for art.)



## Batteries (Household)

Residential customers in the unincorporated areas of the county can have household BATTERIES COLLECTED CURBSIDE for recycling.



TIP 1: For safety purposes, please tape the positive ends of rechargeable batteries with clear tape.

TIP: If you live in multi-family housing and have centralized trash and recycling service, please consult with management or use this guide to determine the nearest battery collection location.

In the list on the following pages, look for the color to see which type of batteries are accepted: **green** for **non-rechargeable**, and **red** for **rechargeable**.

If any of these stores that sell rechargeable batteries refuse to accept used rechargeable batteries for recycling, please call (805) 882-3600.

The locations listed below accept household batteries for FREE. Please note that the list continues on the following pages.

#### SOUTH COAST

#### Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

- City of Carpinteria ABOP Center
- Community Hazardous Waste Collection Center

#### Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 18-19.

Waste Management locations

#### Please see list of Public Libraries on page 22.

- Eastside Branch
- Montecito Branch

#### **Albertsons**

1018 Casitas Pass Road Carpinteria (805) 684-4815



### **Apple Store**

928 State Street Santa Barbara (805) 556-0150



7090 Marketplace Drive Goleta (805) 571-3999

#### **Buena Tool Company**

433 Laguna Street Santa Barbara (805) 963-3885

#### **CVS Pharmacy**

- 1036 Casitas Pass Road Carpinteria (805) 684-2784
- 189 South Turnpike Road Goleta (805) 967-4525
- 5875 Calle Real Goleta (805) 964-6991

- 1282 Coast Village Road Santa Barbara (805) 565-0806
- 1835 Cliff Drive Santa Barbara (805) 962-7506
- 222 West Carrillo Street Santa Barbara (805) 965-9632
- 1109 State Street Santa Barbara (805) 564-0079
- 2973 State Street Santa Barbara (805) 682-3751
- 3939 State Street Santa Barbara (805) 681-8288

#### **Carpinteria Valley Lumber** Company

915 Elm Avenue Carpinteria (805) 684-2183



### **Home Depot**

6975 Marketplace Drive Goleta (805) 961-4746

#### MarBorg Industries' Recycling/ **ABOP Center**

- 132 Nopalitos Way Santa Barbara (805) 963-1852
- 20 David Love Place Goleta (805) 964-1498

#### **MarBorg Industries**

119 North Quarantina Street Santa Barbara (805) 963-1852

#### Office Max

219 East Gutierrez Street Santa Barbara (805) 899-4983

#### Rite Aid

- 199 Fairview Avenue Goleta (805) 964-9892
- 825 State Street Santa Barbara (805) 966-2760
- 1976 Cliff Drive Santa Barbara (805) 564-6599
- 35 South Milpas Street Santa Barbara (805) 965-0787

#### San Andres Hardware

635 West Micheltorena Street Santa Barbara (805) 965-2737

#### Santa Barbara Home Improvement Center

415 East Gutierrez Street Santa Barbara (805) 963-7825

#### **Staples**

7015 Marketplace Drive Goleta (805) 961-8093

#### Walgreen Drug Stores

5900 Calle Real Goleta (805) 967-3798



KEY: Look for the color to see which type of batteries are accepted green for non-rechargeable, and red for rechargeable.

#### NORTH COUNTY

#### Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

- City of Lompoc Corporate Yard
- City of Lompoc Fire Stations
- City of Lompoc Household Hazardous Waste Collection Facility
- City of Lompoc Landfill (Scale House)
- City of Santa Maria Household Hazardous Waste Facility
- Lompoc City Hall Lobby
- New Cuyama Transfer Station
- Santa Ynez Valley Recycling and Transfer Station
- Ventucopa Transfer Station

#### Please see list of Public Libraries on page 22.

- Lompoc Public Library
- Vandenberg Village Branch

#### **Advanced Wireless**

708 West Betteravia Road Santa Maria (805) 922-2252

#### **Anderson Recreation Center**

125 West Walnut Avenue Lompoc (805) 875-8092

#### **Battery Systems, Inc.**

201 North Broadway Santa Maria (805) 928-6118



1155 East Clark Avenue Orcutt (805) 937-3536

#### **Office Depot**

1427 South Bradley Road Santa Maria (805) 349-0173

#### Rite Aid

- 345 Town Center West Santa Maria (805) 925-1167
- 2405 South Broadway Santa Maria (805) 925-6404

• 616 Alamo Pintado Road Solvang

(805) 686-0016

Santa Ynez Valley Hardware, Inc.

1665 Mission Drive Solvang (805) 688-4191



#### **Sterling Communications**

2232 South Depot Street, Suite G Santa Maria (805) 739-9259

#### **Vandenberg Air Force Base Balfour Beatty Communities Self-Help Store**

(See listing on page 37 for complete *information.*)



#### Vandenberg Air Force Base Commissary

Building 14300, Wyoming Avenue Vandenberg Air Force Base (805) 734-3354, ext. 230



(Military family housing residents only.)

#### Vandenberg Air Force Base Base Exchange (BX)

(See listing on page 37 for complete *information.*)



### **Walgreen Drug Stores**

- 937 North "H" Street Lompoc
  - (805) 737-5601





- 707 North Broadway Santa Maria (805) 614-4667
- 2399 South Broadway Santa Maria (805) 928-4633



#### Walmart

- 701 West Central Avenue Lompoc (805) 735-9088
- 2220 South Bradley Road Santa Maria (805) 349-7885

#### Outside Santa Barbara County

#### Call2Recycle. Inc.

1000 Parkwood Circle, Suite 200 Atlanta, GA 30339 (877) 723-1297 (customer service) or (877) 273-2925 (drop-off locator) www.call2recycle.org



#### GreenDisk

(800) 305-3475 www.greendisk.com



#### Waste Management, **Incorporated Think Green from** Home

www.thinkgreenfromhome.com



(Purchase a collection kit through the website.)

The Big Green Box www.biggreenbox.com





(Purchase a collection kit through the website.)

KEY: Look for the color to see which type of batteries are accepted green for non-rechargeable, and red for rechargeable.



## **Batteries (Automotive)**

#### SOUTH COAST

#### Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

- City of Carpinteria ABOP Center
- Community Hazardous Waste Collection Center
- South Coast Recycling and Transfer Station

#### Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 18-19.

- MarBorg Industries' Recycling/ **ABOP Center**
- Santa Barbara Iron and Metal. Recyclers

#### O'Reilly Auto Parts

- 5754 Hollister Avenue Goleta (805) 683-1318
- 55 South La Cumbre Road Santa Barbara (805) 683-3554
- 436 North Milpas Street Santa Barbara (805) 899-4184

#### NORTH COUNTY

#### Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

- City of Lompoc Household Hazardous Waste Collection Facility
- City of Santa Maria Household Hazardous Waste Facility
- New Cuyama Transfer Station
- Santa Ynez Valley Recycling and Transfer Station
- Ventucopa Transfer Station

#### Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

Waste Management locations

#### **Drive-In Recycling**

2126-1/2 North "H" Street Lompoc (805) 736-8812

#### O'Reilly Auto Parts

- 270 East Highway 246 Buellton (805) 688-8239
- 511 West Central Avenue Lompoc (805) 735-2793
- 2053-A South Broadway Santa Maria (805) 349-1137
- 1790 North Broadway Santa Maria (805) 922-8305
- 4854 South Bradley Road, Suite 102 Orcutt (805) 934-5376

#### Vandenberg Air Force Base Balfour **Beatty Communities Self-Help Store**

(See listing on page 37 for complete information.)

#### Walmart

- 701 West Central Avenue Lompoc (805) 735-9088
- 2220 South Bradley Road Santa Maria (805) 349-7885

## **Bicycles**

Contact the Thrift Stores listed on pages 20-21 to determine whether or not they will accept used bicycles.

#### SOUTH COAST

#### Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

- South Coast Recycling and **Transfer Station**
- MarBorg Industries

#### Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 18-19.

 MarBorg Industries' Recycling/ **ABOP Center** 

#### **Bici Centro**

506 East Haley Street Santa Barbara (805) 617-3255 www.santabarbararecyclers.com

#### Isla Vista Bicycle Boutique

880 Embarcadero Del Mar Isla Vista (805) 968-3338 www.islavistabicycles.net

#### Play It Again Sports

4850 Hollister Avenue Santa Barbara (805) 967-9889 www.playitagainsports.com

#### Varsity Bike Shop

6547 Pardall Road Isla Vista (805) 968-4914 www.varsitybikesiniv.com

#### NORTH COUNTY

#### Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

- City of Lompoc Landfill
- · City of Santa Maria Landfill
- New Cuyama Transfer Station
- Santa Ynez Valley Recycling and Transfer Station
- Ventucopa Transfer Station



### **Books**

Whenever possible, donate books for reuse. When you are not able to find a reuse outlet, in general, you can recycle soft cover books in your blue bin. Hard cover books are often not recyclable in your blue bin.

Unless otherwise noted, the places below will not accept textbooks, encyclopedias, or Reader's Digest condensed books. The books must be in very good condition and not contain any marks, tears, or mold.

TIP: Donate textbooks to schools or school districts for reuse.

#### SOUTH COAST

#### Please see list of Public Libraries on page 22.

• All listed libraries accept donated (recent/good condition) books.

#### Please see list of Thrift Stores on pages 20-21.

• All listed Thrift Stores accept donated books.

#### Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

- South Coast Recycling and Transfer Station
- MarBorg Industries

#### Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 18-19.

 MarBorg Industries' Recycling/ ABOP Center

#### The Book Den

15 East Anapamu Street Santa Barbara (805) 962-3321

#### www.bookden.com

(Accepts donations or will purchase hard cover and paperback books in very good condition.)

#### Friends of the Carpinteria Library

5103 Carpinteria Avenue Carpinteria (805) 566-0033 www.friendsofcarpinterialibrary.org

#### **Happy Little Hippo**

2919 De La Vina Street Santa Barbara (805) 845-5179

#### www.happylittlehippo.com

(Store buys and sells children's books for reuse.)

#### Mesa Bookstore

1838 Cliff Drive Santa Barbara (805) 966-3725 (Accepts donations of paperback books for store credit.)

#### **Paperback Alley Used Books**

5840 Hollister Avenue Goleta (805) 967-1051 (Accepts donations of paperback books for store credit.)

#### NORTH COUNTY

#### Please see list of Public Libraries on page 22.

• All listed libraries accept donated (recent/good condition) books.

#### Please see list of Thrift Stores on pages 20-21.

• All listed Thrift Stores accept donated books.

### Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

- City of Lompoc Recycling and **Drop-Off Facility**
- · City of Santa Maria Landfill
- New Cuyama Transfer Station
- Ventucopa Transfer Station

#### Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 18-19.

Waste Management locations

#### The Book Loft

1680 Mission Drive Solvang (805) 688-6010 www.bookloftsolvang.com

#### The Bookstore

1137 North "H" Street, Suite Q Lompoc (805) 735-9729

Exchange and trade books for free online:



#### **BookMooch**

www.bookmooch.com

#### **PaperBackSwap**

www.paperbackswap.com/index

### Outside Santa Barbara County

#### The following resources offer texbooks reuse options:

#### **Books for Africa**

#### www.booksforafrica.org/index.html

This nonprofit organization collects, sorts, ships, and distributes new and used books from primary through post-secondary levels to children in Africa.

## **Books for Soldiers.com**

#### www.booksforsoldiers.com/

(Ship books, DVDs, games, and relief supplies directly to troops.)

#### **Follett Educational Services**

(800) 621-4272

#### www.fes.follett.com

(This company buys and sells used textbooks 10 years old or less geared towards primary and secondary grade levels.)

#### **GreenTextbooks.org Recycling Program**

(801) 523-8069

#### www.greentextbooks.org

(Accepts textbooks up to 20 years old for recycling.)

#### Independent Book Buying Services, LLC

(800) 598-2275

#### http://ibbstextbooks.net/

(Will pay, swap, or provide a credit voucher for used textbooks from colleges/universities and grades K-12. The firm will also pick up for free obsolete textbooks that a school or district may have.)

International Book Project, Inc. (859) 254-6771 www.intlbookproject.org (Accepts books 10 years old or newer.)

## **Operation Paperback**

(214) 602-1726

www.operationpaperback.org

(Asks people to send books directly to military personnel overseas.)

## Brass, Bricks and Bronze

See the firms listed under the **Construction Waste category on** page 48.

## Cardboard (Corrugated)

#### SOUTH COAST

Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

- · South Coast Recycling and Transfer Station
- MarBora Industries

Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 18-19.

- MarBorg Industries' Recycling **ABOP Center**
- Santa Barbara Iron and Metal Recyclers

#### NORTH COUNTY

Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

- City of Lompoc Landfill
- City of Lompoc Recycling Drop-Off Facility
- City of Santa Maria Landfill
- New Cuyama Transfer Station
- Santa Ynez Valley Recycling and Transfer Station
- Ventucopa Transfer Station



#### Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 18-19.

- Bedford Enterprises
- El Rancho Market
- Waste Management locations

#### **UPS Store**

1130 East Clark Avenue Orcutt (805) 937-6371

### Outside Santa Barbara County

Waste Management, **Incorporated Think Green** from Home

www.thinkgreenfromhome.com (Purchase a collection kit through the website.)

## Carpeting

For a list of carpet and carpet pad recycling facilities in California that businesses and other organizations may use, visit CalRecycle's website: www.calrecycle.ca.gov/carpet/

#### SOUTH COAST

#### **MarBorg Industries**

119 North Quarantina Street Santa Barbara (805) 963-1852 (Call ahead to confirm that used carpeting will be accepted.)

#### NORTH COUNTY

Vandenberg Air Force Base Balfour **Beatty Communities Self-Help Facility** (See listing on page 37 for complete information.)

### Outside Santa Barbara County

The following companies accept carpeting material for recycling:

#### Interface

(800) 336-0225

www.interfaceflor.com

**Los Angeles Fiber Company** www.lafiber.com

**Shaw Green Edge** (800) 434-9887

www.shawfloors.com

**Tandus Centiva** (800) 248-2878 www.tandus-centiva.com

## Cartridges (Ink and Toner)

#### SOUTH COAST

Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

 Community Hazardous Waste Collection Center

Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 18-19.

 MarBorg Industries' Recycling/ **ABOP Center** 

#### **Best Buy**

7090 Marketplace Drive Goleta (805) 571-3999

#### **Copyright Printing**

5708 Hollister Avenue Goleta (805) 685-2277

#### The Mailbox

5142 Hollister Avenue Santa Barbara (805) 967-8037

#### Office Max

219 East Gutierrez Street Santa Barbara (805) 899-4983

#### **Staples**

7015 Marketplace Drive Goleta (805) 961-8093

#### **Walgreen Drug Stores**

5900 Calle Real Goleta (805) 967-3798

#### NORTH COUNTY

## Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

- City of Lompoc Household Hazardous Waste Collection Facility
- City of Santa Maria Household Hazardous Waste Facility

#### **Best Buy**

2326 South Bradley Road Santa Maria (805) 922-6195

#### Office Depot

1427 South Bradley Road Santa Maria (805) 349-0173

#### **UPS Store**

1130 East Clark Avenue Orcutt (805) 937-6371

## Vandenberg Air Force Base Materials Diversion Center

(See listing on page 37 for complete information.)

#### **Walgreen Drug Stores**

- 937 North "H" Street Lompoc (805) 737-5601
- 707 North Broadway Santa Maria (805) 614-4667
- 2399 South Broadway Santa Maria (805) 928-4633

#### Walmart

- 701 West Central Avenue Lompoc (805) 735-9088
- 2220 South Bradley Road Santa Maria (805) 349-7885

### Outside Santa Barbara County

The following companies have programs to accept cartridges for reuse or recycling:

The Cartridge Recycling Center (877) 355-4219 www.crcinkjets.com

### Cash4Cartridges

(865) 556-7461

www.cash4cartridgesusa.com

## The Compact Disc Recycling Center of America

www.cdrecyclingcenter.com

#### **EnviroSmart**

(804) 272-3281

www.envirosmart.org

#### GreenDisk

(800) 305-3475

www.greendisk.com

#### Quill.com

(800) 982-3400

## United States Postal Service (USPS)

www.about.usps.com/what-we-are-doing/green/recycle.htm

## Cast Iron

See the firms listed under the Construction Waste category on page 48.



### **Cell Phones**

Cell phones are considered electronic waste and can be dropped off with the rest of your electronic waste (anything with a cord or battery) at a collection center. You can also drop off your used cell phone at any of the following locations to be recycled:

TIP 1: If any of the retail stores that sell cell phones refuse to accept used cell phones for recycling, please call (805) 882-3600.

TIP 2: If you live in the City of Santa Barbara, you can include cell phones with your batteries in a plastic bag on top of your blue bin.

#### SOUTH COAST

## Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

- City of Carpinteria ABOP Center
- South Coast Recycling and Transfer Station
- MarBorg Industries

## Please see list of Thrift Stores on pages 20-21.

- Goodwill Industries' of Santa Barbara
- United Family Association Thrift

## Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 18-19.

 MarBorg Industries' Recycling/ ABOP Center

#### Please see list of Public Libraries on page 22.

Montecito Branch

#### **Apple Store**

928 State Street Santa Barbara (805) 556-0150

#### **Best Buy**

7090 Marketplace Drive Goleta (805) 571-3999

#### **Buena Tool Company**

433 Laguna Street Santa Barbara (805) 963-3885

#### **CVS Pharmacy**

- 1036 Casitas Pass Road Carpinteria (805) 684-2784
- 189 South Turnpike Road Goleta (805) 967-4525
- 5875 Calle Real Goleta (805) 964-6991
- 1282 Coast Village Road Santa Barbara (805) 565-0806
- 1835 Cliff Drive Santa Barbara (805) 962-7506
- 222 West Carrillo Street Santa Barbara (805) 965-9632
- 1109 State Street Santa Barbara (805) 564-0079
- 2973 State Street Santa Barbara (805) 682-3751
- 3939 State Street Santa Barbara (805) 681-8288

#### **Copyright Printing**

5710 Hollister Avenue Goleta (805) 685-2277

#### **Home Depot**

6975 Marketplace Drive Goleta (805) 961-4746

#### The Mailbox

5142 Hollister Avenue Santa Barbara (805) 967-8037

#### Office Max

219 East Gutierrez Street Santa Barbara (805) 899-4983

#### Rite Aid

- 199 Fairview Avenue Goleta (805) 964-9892
- 825 State Street Santa Barbara (805) 966-2760
- 1976 Cliff Drive Santa Barbara (805) 564-6599
- 35 South Milpas Street Santa Barbara (805) 965-0787

#### Santa Barbara Computer Recycling

5378 Dariesa Street Carpinteria (805) 453-0437 www.SBRecycle.com

#### Santa Barbara Zoo

500 Niños Drive Santa Barbara (805) 962-5339

#### **Staples**

7015 Marketplace Drive Goleta (805) 961-8093

#### **Walgreen Drug Stores**

5900 Calle Real Goleta, CA 93117 (805) 967-3798

#### NORTH COUNTY

#### Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

- City of Lompoc Household Hazardous Waste Collection Facility
- City of Lompoc Landfill
- City of Santa Maria Landfill
- New Cuyama Transfer Station
- Santa Ynez Valley Recycling and Transfer Station
- Ventucopa Transfer Station

#### Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 18-19.

Waste Management locations

#### Please see list of Thrift Stores on pages 20-21.

- Goodwill Industries' Retail Store
- Goodwill Industries' Lompoc
- Goodwill Industries' Orcutt
- Vandenberg Air Force Base Airmen's Attic
- Vandenberg Air Force Base Thrift
- VTC Enterprises Thrift Store

#### Please see list of Public Libraries on page 22.

Lompoc Public Library

#### **Advanced Wireless**

708 West Betteravia Road Santa Maria (805) 922-2252

#### Battery Systems, Inc.

201 North Broadway Santa Maria (805) 928-6118

#### **Best Buy**

2326 South Bradley Road Santa Maria (805) 922-6195

#### **CVS Pharmacy**

- 218 East Highway 246 Buellton (805) 693-0013
- 1317 North "H" Street Lompoc (805) 735-7651
- 733 East Main Street Santa Maria (805) 922-1928

- 4852 South Bradley Road Santa Maria (805) 938-9774
- 1830 North Broadway Santa Maria (805) 348-3555
- 2116 South Broadway Santa Maria (805) 922-1957

#### **Fastenal**

2220 "A" Street Santa Maria (805) 925-7425

#### **Home Depot**

- 1701 East Ocean Avenue Lompoc (805) 737-0314
- 2120 South Bradley Road Santa Maria (805) 739-1141

#### **Office Depot**

1427 South Bradley Road Santa Maria (805) 349-0173

#### **Rite Aid**

- 345 Town Center West Santa Maria (805) 925-1167
- 2405 South Broadway Santa Maria (805) 925-6404
- 616 Alamo Pintado Road Solvang (805) 686-0016

Santa Ynez Valley Hardware, Inc.

1665 Mission Drive Solvang (805) 688-4191

#### Staples

615 "H" Street Lompoc (805) 740-0192

#### **Sterling Communications**

2232 South Depot Street, Suite G Santa Maria (805) 739-9259

#### **UPS Store**

1130 East Clark Avenue Orcutt (805) 937-6371

Vandenberg Air Force Base Balfour Beatty Communities Self- Help Store (See listing on page 37 for complete information.)

#### **Walgreen Drug Stores**

- 937 North "H" Street Lompoc (805) 737-5601
- 707 North Broadway Santa Maria (805) 614-4667
- 2399 South Broadway Santa Maria (805) 928-4633

#### Walmart

- 701 West Central Avenue Lompoc (805) 735-9088
- 2220 South Bradley Road Santa Maria (805) 349-7885

### Outside Santa Barbara County

The following companies have programs for cell phone reuse or recycling:

#### Call2Recycle

(877) 723-1297 (customer service) or (877) 273-2925 (drop-off locator) www.call2recycle.org

#### **Tiger Direct**

www.tigerdirect.com/sectors/recycle/?site=ccTiger

The Compact Disc Recycling Center of America (603) 894-5553 www.cdrecyclingcenter.com

EnviroSmart www.envirosmart.org

GreenDisk (800) 305-3475 www.greendisk.com

The Big Green Box www.biggreenbox.com

#### Walmart

www.walmart.cexchange.com/online/home/index.rails

#### Apple

www.apple.com/recycling/

LG Electronics www.lgrecyclingprogram.com

#### Motorola

www.motorola.com/us/about/ recycling-us

#### Samsung

www.samsung.com/us/ aboutsamsung/sustainability/ environment/responsiblerecycling/

#### Sprint

https://secure.sprintbuyback.com/bbt/

#### T Mobile

www.tmobile.com/resources/phone-trade-in

#### **Verizon Wireless**

www.verizon.com/articles/cell-phone-recycling/



## Children's **Accessories**

#### SOUTH COAST

**Happy Little Hippo** 2919 De La Vina Street Santa Barbara (805) 845-5179

www.happylittlehippo.com

Outside Santa Barbara County

Baby Earth - RENEW Recycling **Program** 

(888) 868-2897

## **Christmas Trees**

Find out more about seasonal collection programs. Call the County at (805) 882-3600 or view the current list of sites at:

www.lessismore.org/materials/ 77-christmas-tree-recycling/

#### SOUTH COAST

Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

- South Coast Recycling and Transfer Station
- MarBorg Industries

#### NORTH COUNTY

Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

- City of Lompoc Landfill
- · City of Santa Maria Landfill
- New Cuyama Transfer Station
- Santa Ynez Valley Recycling and Transfer Station
- Ventucopa Transfer Station

Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 18-19.

- Bedford Enterprises and SMART
- Waste Management locations



## Clothing

Clothing can be donated to ALL Thrift Stores in the county. Please visit pages 20-21 to view locations.

Here are additional options:

#### SOUTH COAST

**Crossroads Trading Company** 

1025 State Street Santa Barbara (805) 892-5700

www.crossroadstrading.com

(Buys, sells and trades higher end clothina.)

#### Levi's Store

611 State Street Santa Barbara (805) 899-2823 (Accepts used clothing and shoes for recycling at all US stores and outlets.)

#### **Textile Waste Solutions**

439 Arroyo Road Santa Barbara (805) 277-0742 or (866) 290-6342

#### www.twaste.com

(Accepts clothing from Thrift Stores and clothing stores and ships some of this material overseas to be reused as clothing. Other textiles are converted into industrial wiping rags. Defective clothing is made into carpet pads.)

#### NORTH COUNTY

Please visit pages 20-21 to view thrift store donation locations.

### Outside Santa Barbara County

#### The Bra Recyclers

www.brarecycling.com

(Accepts used and new bras of all sizes and styles that will be provided to women in need.)

#### **Bras for a Cause**

www.donateyourbra.com

(Accepts used and new bras of all sizes and styles that will be provided to various women's organizations.)

## **Brides Against Breast Cancer,**

## www.bridesagainstbreastcancer

(Accepts donations of recent wedding gowns.)

#### **Cotton Incorporated**

Cotton from Blue to Green — Denim Recycling Program www.bluejeansgogreen.org (Denim recycling program.)

#### Give Back Box

www.givebackbox.com

(Print a free shipping label and donate a box of shoes and clothing to charity.)

#### **Moxie Jean**

www.moxiejean.com

(Subscription service for reused baby clothing.)

#### No Nonsense

Pantyhose Recycling Program www.nononsense.com/ PantyhoseRecycling.aspx (Accepts all brands of pantyhose, nylon knee highs, and tights for recycling.)

#### thredUP

(617) 575-9676

www.thredup.com/

(Large online consignment and thrift store.)

### Concrete

#### See the firms listed under the **Construction Waste category on** this page.



### Construction Waste

#### SOUTH COAST

### Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

- South Coast Recycling and Transfer Station
- MarBorg Industries

#### Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 18-19.

- MarBorg Industries' Recycling/ **ABOP Center**
- Santa Barbara Iron and Metal Recyclers

#### **DiggersList** www.diggerslist.com

(Online listings to enable property owners, contractors, suppliers, and do-it-yourselfers to buy, sell, trade, or donate construction and home improvement materials.)

#### **Granite Construction Company**

5335 Debbie Lane Goleta (805) 964-9951 www.GraniteConstruction.com (Accepts asphalt and concrete.)

#### **Lash Construction**

721 Carpinteria Street Santa Barbara (805) 963-3553 (Accepts asphalt, brick, concrete, masonry block, stone, and large gravel.)

#### NORTH COUNTY

#### Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

- City of Lompoc Landfill
- City of Santa Maria Landfill
- New Cuyama Transfer Station
- Santa Ynez Valley Recycling and Transfer Station
- Ventucopa Transfer Station

#### Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 18-19.

- Bedford Enterprises/SMART
- Waste Management

#### **CalPortland**

1625 East Donovan Road Santa Maria (805) 345-3581 (Accepts asphalt, concrete, gravel, sand, and soil.)

#### **Granite Construction Company**

400 South Highway 101 Buellton (805) 693-1086 (Accepts asphalt, concrete, gravel, masonry, sand, and stone.)

#### **V&J Rock Transport, Inc.**

1655 North "V" Street Lompoc (805) 736-2317 (Accepts asphalt and concrete.)

#### Vandenberg Air Force Base DLA **Disposition Services**

(See listing on pages 37 for complete information. Accepts aluminum scrap, brass, bronze, copper, and metals.)

#### **Vandenberg Air Force Base Materials Diversion Center**

(See listing on pages 37 for complete information. Accepts aluminum scrap, brass and bronze, cast iron, copper, and steel for recycling. Open to base personnel only.)

#### Outside Santa Barbara County

#### **Owens Corning Roofing and** Asphalt, LLC

#### www.owenscorning.com/roofin/ basics/shingle-recycling

(The Roofing Shingles Recycling Program connects homeowners with contractors who will recycle roofing shingles.)

#### Roxsand

#### www.roxsand.net

(805) 357-2288 (Accepts asphalt, concrete, and gravel.)

## Cooking Oil

#### SOUTH COAST

#### Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

 Community Hazardous Waste Collection Center

### **Coastal Byproducts**

(805) 845-8086

#### www.coastalbyproducts.com

(Provides free collection and recycling of restaurant grease and used cooking oil.)

#### NORTH COUNTY

#### Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

• City of Lompoc Household Hazardous Waste Collection Facility

#### **Coastal Byproducts**

(805) 845-8086

#### www.coastalbyproducts.com

(Provides free collection and recycling of restaurant grease and used cooking oil.)

#### **EP Environmental**

Nipomo, CA (805) 929-5509

#### Vandenberg Air Force Base Balfour **Beatty Communities Self-Help Store**

(See listing on page 37 for complete information.)

### **Outside Santa Barbara County**

#### Salinas Tallow Company— San Luis Tallow Company

(800) 621-9000 (Collects cooking oil from restaurants, hotels, retirement homes, etc.)

#### Ventura Rendering Company

(800) 655-1389 or (805) 485-2217 (Collects cooking oil from restaurants, hotels, retirement homes, etc.)

## Copper

See the firms listed under the **Construction Waste category on** page 48.

### Corks

#### The following locations accept wine corks for recycling:

#### SOUTH COAST

#### **Bacara Resort & Spa**

8301 Hollister Avenue Goleta (844) 201-9227

#### **BevMo**

3052 State Street Santa Barbara (805) 687-4000

#### Gelson's

3305 State Street Santa Barbara (805) 687-5810

#### **Whole Foods**

3761 State Street Santa Barbara (805) 837-6959

#### NORTH COUNTY

#### **Riverbench Vineyard and Winery**

6020 Foxen Canyon Road Santa Maria (805) 937-8340

## Crayons

#### **Crazy Crayons**

(952) 847-0455

#### www.crazycrayons.com

(Accepts donations of used crayons made in the USA and uses them to handcraft new unique crayons.)

## Dental Materials/ Equipment

#### NORTH COUNTY

#### AL & S, Incorporated

209 West Central Avenue, Suite A Lompoc (805) 617-0122

#### www.assetliquidation.net

(Buys and sells electronic, medical, office, scientific, dental, and industrial equipment.)

### Outside Santa Barbara County

#### **Dental Planet, LLC**

(866) 815-7606

#### www.dentalplanet.com

(Buys and sells dental equipment in any condition.)

#### **Recycled Goods.com**

(805) 648-3300, ext. 0

#### www.recycledgoods.com

(Will help sell or recycle used electronic, dental, medical, office, and scientific equipment.)



### Disks

#### **Donate to Libraries**

The libraries listed on page 22 will accept five years old or newer blueray disks, CDs and DVDs containing commercially prerecorded material in good condition and in their original packages for reuse. Please call ahead to verify acceptability of items.

#### **Donate to Thrift Stores**

The Thrift Stores listed on pages 20-21 will accept blueray disks, CDs and DVDs containing commercially prerecorded material in good condition and in their original packages for reuse. Please call ahead to verify acceptability of items.

#### SOUTH COAST

#### **Best Buy**

7090 Marketplace Drive Goleta (805) 571-3999 (Accepts DVDs and CDs for recycling.)

#### Friends of the Carpinteria Library

5103 Carpinteria Avenue Carpinteria (805) 566-0033 (Accepts DVDs and CDs for reuse.)

#### **Santa Barbara Computer Recycling**

5378 Dariesa Street Carpinteria (805) 453-0437

#### www.SBRecycle.com

(Accepts DVDs and CDs for recycling.)

#### NORTH COUNTY

## Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

• City of Lompoc Landfill

#### **Best Buy**

2326 South Bradley Road Santa Maria (805) 922-6195 (Accepts DVDs and CDs for recycling.)

#### Vandenberg Air Force Base Balfour Beatty Communities Self-Help Store

(See listing on page 37 for complete information.)

#### Vandenberg Air Force Base Defense Logistics Agency (DLA) Disposition Services

(See listing on page 37 for complete information.)

#### Outside Santa Barbara County

## The Compact Disc Recycling Center of America

68E Stiles Road Salem, New Hampshire 03079 (603) 894-5553

#### www.cdrecyclingcenter.com

(Accepts CDs, DVDs, and floppy disks for recycling.)

#### GreenDisk

(800) 305-3475

#### www.greendisk.com

(Accepts all types of CDs, DVDs, zip disks, floppy disks, and cases from households and businesses for recycling.)

#### **Plastic Recycling Incorporated**

2015 South Pennsylvania Indianapolis, IN 46225 (317) 780-6100 (Accepts CDs, DVDs, compact disk cases, video tapes, and audio cassette tapes for recycling from households or businesses; sender covers shipping expenses.)

#### SwapaDVD and SwapaCD

www.swapadvd.com/index.php (Share CDs and DVDs with community members.)

#### Waste Management, Incorporated Think Green from Home

www.thinkgreenfromhome.com (Purchase a recycling kit to recycle CDs and DVDs.)

#### Law Copy

411 East Canon Perdido Street, Suite 15 Santa Barbara (805) 962-7732

#### **Shred Nations**

UPS Store 27 West Anapamu Street Santa Barbara (805) 259-3337

#### NORTH COUNTY

#### **Box Shop**

740 North "H" Street Lompoc (805) 735-1567 (Provides document shredding services in addition to accepting packing materials for reuse.)

### Outside Santa Barbara County

#### Shred-It

(888) 750-6450 **www.shredit.com** 

#### Total Shredding, LLC

(805) 277-7762 or (888) 986-8668 www.total-shredding.com

## Drywall

See the firms listed under the Construction Waste category on page 48.



# Document Destruction & Recycling/Paper Shredders

#### SOUTH COAST

Complete Document Destruction & Recycling
Santa Barbara
(805) 564-4123



### **Electronics**

Anything with a cord or battery is considered e-waste and does NOT go in the trash. Please save up these materials and bring them in to a collection center.

Common examples: televisions, computers, copiers, printers, and phones.

These items contain toxic materials such as lead and mercury, so if they are thrown into the trash they could potentially contaminate the soil and groundwater.

Use the available resources below to repair, reuse, or recycle electronic equipment.

TIP: Many Waste Collection Facilities listed on pages 16-17 will accept electronics for recycling. Please call ahead to verify acceptability of items.

TIP 2: Many of the Thrift Stores listed on pages 20-21 will accept electronics in good condition for reuse. Please call ahead to verify acceptability of items.

#### SOUTH COAST

#### Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

- City of Carpinteria ABOP Center
- · South Coast Recycling and Transfer Station
- MarBorg Industries

#### Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 18-19.

 MarBorg Industries' Recycling/ **ABOP Center** 

#### **Best Buy**

7090 Marketplace Drive Goleta (805) 571-3999

#### Mac Mechanic

216 East Gutierrez Street Santa Barbara (805) 965-9722 www.macmechanic.com (Provides Apple product troubleshooting and repair.)

#### Office Max

219 East Gutierrez Street Santa Barbara (805) 899-4983 (Accepts laptop computers and printers for recycling. Receive a store credit.)

#### **Santa Barbara Computer Recycling**

5378 Dariesa Street Carpinteria (805) 453-0437

#### www.SBRecycle.com

(For a fee, will pick up electronics and small appliances for recycling.)

#### Santa Barbara PC Tech

903 State Street, #212 Santa Barbara (805) 705-9371

#### www.sbpctech.com

(Provides PC product troubleshooting and repair.)

#### **Staples**

- 7015 Marketplace Drive Goleta (805) 961-8093
- 410 State Street Santa Barbara (805) 965-9577 (Accepts a wide range of electronics for free recycling.)

#### NORTH COUNTY

#### Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

- City of Lompoc Household Hazardous Waste Collection Facility
- City of Lompoc Landfill
- · City of Santa Maria Landfill
- New Cuyama Transfer Station
- Santa Ynez Valley Recycling and Transfer Station
- Ventucopa Transfer Station

#### Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 18-19.

Waste Management locations

#### **Best Buy**

2326 South Bradley Road Santa Maria (805) 922-6195

#### Office Depot

1427 South Bradley Road Santa Maria (805) 349-0173 (Purchase a box at an Office Depot store and place a wide range of electronics into the box to have Office Depot ship the materials for recycling.)

#### Vandenberg Air Force Base Balfour **Beatty Communities Self-Help** Store

(See listing on page 37 for complete information.)

#### Vandenberg Air Force Base Defense **Logistics Agency (DLA) Disposition** Services

(See listing on page 37 for complete information.)

The following local program accepts computers and computer monitors for reuse:

### Santa Barbara County Education Office Computers for Families

(805) 964-4711, ext. 4401

### www.partners.sbceo.org/programs/ computers-for-families/

(Accepts donations of desktop and laptop computers; color computer monitors; and peripherals such as mice, keyboards, and modems and flash drives.)



## GREENSPOT DROPOFF, INC. LOCATIONS

#### **Greenspot Dropoff, Inc.**

4712 West Magnolia Boulevard Burbank, CA 91505 (800) 350-3550

#### www.greenspotdropoff.org

(Free drop off location for electronics. No appliances are accepted.)

#### SOUTH COAST

#### A-American Self-Storage

1 North Calle Cesar Chavez Santa Barbara (805) 284-0459 (Free drop off location for electronics. No appliances are accepted.)

#### **NORTH COUNTY**

#### **Extra Space Storage**

401 Farnel Road Santa Maria (805) 928-7118 (Free drop off location for electronics. No appliances are accepted.)

### Outside Santa Barbara County

#### C.J. Seto Support Services LLC

2300 Knoll Drive, Unit G Ventura (805) 644-1214

#### www.cjseto.com

(Accepts various types of electronic equipment for recycling.)

#### **Direct Fix**

(877) 815-8676 (option 3)

#### www.directfix.com

(Sells electronic parts and accessories to enable consumers to repair these devices themselves.)

#### **EnviroSmart**

(804) 272-3281

#### www.envirosmart.org

(Accepts various types of electronic equipment for recycling.)

#### GreenDisk

(800) 305-3475

#### www.greendisk.com

(Accepts various types of electronic equipment for recycling.)

#### **Recycled Goods.com**

(805) 648-3300, ext. 0

#### www.recycledgoods.com

(Will help sell or recycle used electronic, dental, medical, office, and scientific equipment.)

#### **United States Postal Service**

## www.about.usps.com/what-we-are-doing/green/recycle.htm

(Select post offices will provide free postage paid envelopes to allow consumers to mail back certain electronics for reuse or recycling.)

## Manufacturer and Retailer Take-Back Programs

To learn about the take-back programs of manufacturers and retailers for electronic equipment, please visit the website of the Electronics Take Back Coalition:

#### www.electronicstakeback.com/home

For information on take-back programs of other manufacturers and retailers, visit these websites:

#### **Best Buy**

www.bestbuy.com/recycling (877) 310-4227





## Eyeglasses

Ask your optometrist if they participate in a Lion Club program, which donates eyeglasses to other countries.

In addition, eyeglasses in good condition may be dropped off at the following locations:

#### SOUTH COAST

#### **Eastside Branch Public Library**

(Please see list of Public Libraries on page 22.)

#### NORTH COUNTY

#### **Pacific Premier Bank**

1825 South Broadway Santa Maria (805) 332-4512

#### **Lompoc Public Library**

(Please see list of Public Libraries on page 22.)

#### **Mechanics Bank**

519 East Main Street Santa Maria (805) 922-2144

#### **Outside Santa Barbara County**

#### **New Eyes for the Needy**

549 Milburn Avenue P.O. Box 332 Short Hills, NJ 07078 (973) 376-4903

#### www.new-eyes.org

(Accepts donations of eyeglasses and more.)

#### **OneSight—Optical Village**

One Sight Center (for donations) 9924 International Boulevard Cincinnati, OH 45246 (888) 935-4589

#### www.onesight.org

(Accepts donations of eyeglasses and more.)

### Film

### **Outside Santa Barbara County**

#### B.W. Recycling, Inc.

301 West Ansin Boulevard Hallandale, FL 33009 (877) 217-7020

www.xrayfilmsrecycling.com/

(Accepts x-ray film for recycling.)

#### GreenDisk

1988 18th Avenue, NE, Suite B Issaguah, WA 98029 (800) 305-3475 (Accepts black and white photo film negatives, instant film, sheet film, advanced photo system slides, disc film, and motion picture film for recycling.)

## **Flooring**

Also see the Carpeting category on page 43.

#### SOUTH COAST

Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

- South Coast Recycling and Transfer Station
- MarBorg Industries

#### NORTH COUNTY

Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

- City of Lompoc Landfill
- Santa Ynez Valley Recycling and Transfer Station

Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 18-19.

• Bedford Enterprises

Habitat for Humanity of Northern Santa Barbara County ReStore

2053 Preisker Lane, Unit B Santa Maria (805) 928-5399 www.habitatnsbc.org



## Fluorescent Light **Bulbs/Tubes**

Please note that in California. fluorescent lights may NOT be thrown into the trash, since they contain a small amount of mercury.

TIP: If a fluorescent light breaks, visit the United States **Environmental Protection Agency** (USEPA) website that provides information on storing, transporting, and disposing of mercury: www.epa.gov/mercury/ spills/index.htm

#### SOUTH COAST

Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

- City of Carpinteria ABOP Center
- Community Hazardous Waste Collection Center
- · South Coast Recycling and Transfer Station

#### Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 18-19.

- MarBorg Industries
- MarBorg Industries' Recycling/ **ABOP Center**

#### **Home Depot**

6975 Marketplace Drive Goleta (805) 961-4746 (Will accept compact fluorescent light bulbs from households to be recycled.)

#### NORTH COUNTY

Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

• City of Lompoc Household Hazardous Waste Collection Facility

- City of Santa Maria Household Hazardous Waste Facility
- Santa Ynez Valley Recycling and Transfer Station

#### **Home Depot**

- 1701 East Ocean Avenue Lompoc (805) 737-0314
- 2120 South Bradley Road Santa Maria (805) 739-1141

(Will accept compact fluorescent light bulbs from households to be recycled.)

Vandenberg Air Force Base Balfour **Beatty Communities Self Help Store** (See listing on page 37 for complete information.)

Outside Santa Barbara County

#### **Eco Lights Northwest Recycling** Program

(206) 343-7443

#### www.ecolights.com

(Accepts ballasts, compact fluorescent lights, fluorescent tubes, items containing mercury, batteries, electronic equipment, and large appliances for recycling.)

## LampRecycling.com

(888) 640-6700

#### www.lamprecycling.com

(Accepts ballasts, compact fluorescent lights, fluorescent lights, electronic equipment, mercury thermostats, and batteries for recycling.)

#### **Mercury Technologies of** Minnesota Inc.

(800) 864-3821

#### www.mercurytechnologies-mn.com

(Offers a pre-paid recycling program for mercury lamps, as well as HID and incandescent lamps for recycling. Will provide a Certificate of Recycling upon completion of job.)

#### Waste Management, Incorporated Think Green from Home

#### www.thinkgreenfromhome.com

(Through this website, consumers may purchase separate kits to collect fluorescent tubes and light bulbs to be recycled.)

#### Food

In America, an astonishing 40% of our food is landfilled. The waste is generated at each step of the way: at the farm, the store, and at the consumer level. In Santa Barbara County, 20% of what we landfill is food.

TIP 1: Donate your leftover food to reduce the amount of waste entering the landfill. Call first before dropping off food donations.

TIP 2: If you can't donate your food waste to people or animals, you can compost your food waste where you live. Visit page 12 and 13 for information.

#### SOUTH COAST

## Bunnies Urgently Needing Shelter (BUNS)

5743 Overpass Road Santa Barbara (805) 681-5285 (County Animal Shelter Office)

#### www.bunssb.org

(Accepts fresh greens and vegetables.)

#### **Catholic Charities**

941 Walnut Avenue Carpinteria (805) 684-8621 (Accepts donations of unprepared food, such as canned and dry goods.)

#### **Catholic Charities**

609 East Haley Street Santa Barbara (805) 965-7045 (Accepts donations of unprepared food, such as canned and dry goods.)

## Foodbank of Santa Barbara County

4554 Hollister Avenue Santa Barbara (805) 967-5741

#### www.foodbanksbc.org

(Accepts donations of unprepared food in original packaging only.)

#### **Good Shepherd Lutheran Church**

380 North Fairview Avenue Goleta (805) 967-1416

## www.gslcms.org/ministries/food-distribution.html

(Accepts donations of unprepared food in the barrel near the church entrance. Items most needed include canned food, rice, soup, cereals, and soy and rice milk, as well as juice.)

#### **Salvation Army**

4849 Hollister Avenue Santa Barbara (805) 684-8738

#### www.tsahospitalityhouse.org

(Accepts donations of unprepared food in original packaging only, and fresh fruit and vegetables.)

#### Santa Barbara Rescue Mission

535 East Yanonali Street Santa Barbara (805) 966-1316, extension 223 (Accepts prepared and unprepared food that is fresh and not past expiration date.)

#### **Unity Shoppe**

1401 Chapala Street Santa Barbara (805) 965-4122

#### www.unityshoppe.org

(Accepts donations of unprepared food, such as canned and dry goods.)

#### **NORTH COUNTY**

#### **Catholic Charities**

325 North 2nd Street Lompoc (805) 736-6226 (Accepts donations of unprepared food, such as canned and dry goods.)

#### **Catholic Charities**

607 West Main Street
Santa Maria
(805) 922-2059
(Accepts donations of unprepared
food, such as canned and dry goods.
Prepared food accepted around
holidays.)

#### **Central Coast Rescue Mission**

1207 North McClelland Santa Maria (805) 614-0220

#### www.centralcoastrescuemission.org

(Accepts donations of unprepared food, such as canned and dry goods.)

#### **Foodbank of Santa Barbara County**

490 West Foster Road Santa Maria (805) 937-3422

#### www.foodbanksbc.org

(Accepts donations of unprepared food, such as canned and dry goods.

#### Lil' Orphan Hammies

Solvang (call for drop-off address) (805) 693-9953

## www.lilorphanhammies.org/home

(Accepts fresh produce and bread products.)

## Vandenberg Air Force Base Food Pantry

Building 10525, Nebraska Avenue Vandenberg Airforce Base (805) 606-2960 (Donations of unprepared food accepted by anyone with base access.)









### **Furniture**

See the list of Thrift Stores on pages 20-21.



#### Glass

You can recycle glass containers in your curbside blue recycling container.

You can also bring glass to a **Recycling Drop-Off and Buyback** Center (see pages 18-19) or Waste Collection Facility (see pages 16-17).

Unless otherwise noted, the facilities listed below accept glass containers only; no window panes.

#### SOUTH COAST

Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 18-19.

- Marborg Industries' Recycling/ **ABOP Center**
- Santa Barbara Iron and Metal Recyclers

Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

- · South Coast Recycling and Transfer Station
- Marborg Industries

#### NORTH COUNTY

Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 18-19.

- Bedford Enterprises
- City of Lompoc Recycling Drop-Off Facility
- Drive-In Recycling locations
- El Rancho Market
- Waste Management locations

#### Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

- City of Lompoc Landfill
- City of Lompoc Recycling Drop-Off Facility
- City of Santa Maria Landfill
- New Cuyama Transfer Station
- Santa Ynez Valley Recycling and Transfer Station
- Ventucopa Transfer Station

#### Vandenberg Air Force Base Base Exchange (BX)

(See listing on page 37 for complete information.)

### Gravel

See the list of firms under the **Construction Waste category on** page 48.

#### Hair

#### **Locks of Love**

234 Southern Boulevard West Palm Beach, FL 33405 (561) 833-7332

#### www.locksoflove.org

(Accepts donations of unbleached hair in a ponytail or braid (before being cut) at least 10 inches long.)

### Hazardous Waste

See pages 25-27 for a list of facilities that accept hazardous waste.

## **Hearing Aids**

#### **New Eyes for the Needy**

549 Milburn Avenue P.O. Box 332 Short Hills, NJ 07078 (973) 376-4903

#### www.new-eyes.org

(Accepts donations of hearing aids.)

#### Starkey Hearing Foundation

6700 Washington Avenue South Eden Prairie, MN 55344 (866) 354-3254

#### www.starkeyhearingfoundation.org

(Accepts donations of hearing aids.)



## **Holiday Lights**

#### SOUTH COAST

Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 18-19.

 MarBorg Industries' Recycling/ **ABOP Center** 

#### Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

- South Coast Recycling and Transfer Station
- MarBorg Industries

#### NORTH COUNTY

Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 18-19.

Waste Management locations

#### Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

- City of Lompoc Landfill
- New Cuyama Transfer Station
- Santa Ynez Valley Recycling and **Transfer Station**
- Ventucopa Transfer Station

#### Environmental LED Christmas Light Recycling Program www.environmentalled.com/Chr istmas-Light-Recycling-24.html (Accepts Christmas lights for recycling.)

## HolidayLEDS.com Recycling Program

www.holidayleds.com

(Accepts Christmas lights for recycling.)

# Home Improvement Items/Supplies

#### SOUTH COAST

#### Demo2Design

Call to visit studio (805) 886-6865

#### www.demo2design.com

(Sells reclaimed doors, windows, sinks, lights, lumber and hardware for "RE-buildings".)

#### **DiggersList**

#### www.diggerslist.com/sbhabitat

(This website provides free on-line listings to enable property owners, contractors, suppliers, and do-it-yourselfers to buy, sell, trade, or donate construction and home improvement materials.)

#### **Taipan Architectural Salvage**

516 Palm Avenue Carpinteria (805) 896-4458

#### www.taipanarchitecturalsalvage.com

(Sells home improvement items from homes in the Santa Barbara and Goleta areas that are typically vacant during remodeling or demolition jobs.)

#### **NORTH COUNTY**

## Please see the list of Thrift Stores on pages 20-21.

- Vandenberg Air Force Base Airman's Attic
- Vandenberg Air Force Base Thrift Shop

## Habitat for Humanity of Northern Santa Barbara County ReStore

2039 Preisker Lane, Unit E Santa Maria (805) 928-5399 www.habitatnsbc.org

#### Outside Santa Barbara County

### The Reuse People — Los Angeles Warehouse

(888) 588-9490

## www.deconstructionlosangeles.com/

(Salvages building materials and distributes them for reuse throughout California.)

#### The Reuse People

(510) 383-1983

#### www.thereusepeople.org

(Salvages building materials and distributes them for reuse throughout California.)

## Household Goods

See the list of Thrift Stores on pages 20-21.

See the Recycled Content Product section on pages 32-35.



#### REUSE:

Recent magazines in good condition can be donated to libraries. See page 22.

#### RECYCLING:

Magazines can also be recycled in your blue recycling container, or taken to a Waste Collection Facility (see pages 16-17) or Recycling Drop-Off Buyback Center (see page 18-19).

#### SOUTH COAST

## Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 18-19.

 MarBorg Industries' Recycling/ ABOP Center

## Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

- South Coast Recycling and Transfer Station
- MarBorg Industries

## Friends of the Carpinteria Library Used Book Store

5103 Carpinteria Avenue Carpinteria

www.friendsofcarpinterialibrary.org (Accepts magazines in good condition with no tears, marks, or stains.)

#### NORTH COUNTY

## Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 18-19.

Waste Management locations

## Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

- City of Lompoc Recycling Drop-Off Facility
- City of Santa Maria Landfill
- New Cuyama Transfer Station
- Santa Ynez Valley Recycling and Transfer Station
- Ventucopa Transfer Station

### Outside Santa Barbara County Waste Management, Inc. **Think Green from Home** www.thinkgreenfromhome.com

(Waste Management sells a "single-stream" recycling kit that enables consumers to collect paper for recycling.)

### **Mattresses**

Starting in 2016, the Mattress Recycling Council began a program called Bye Bye Mattress, which is funded through a recycling fee collected on the sale of each new or renovated mattress and box spring. Funds are used to provide free mattress collection, transportation, and recycling services. Call (888) 646-6815 or visit www.mattressrecycling council.org/resources

#### SOUTH COAST

Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

- South Coast Recycling and Transfer Station
- Marborg Industries

#### **NORTH COUNTY**

Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

- City of Lompoc Landfill
- City of Santa Maria Landfill

Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 18-19.

Waste Management locations

**Cleaner Earth Company** 

504 S. Western Avenue Santa Maria (805) 459-6185 www.cleanerearthcompany.com

## Medical Supplies & Equipment

#### AL & S, Incorporated

101 South H Street Lompoc (805) 617-0122

#### www.assetliquidation.net

(Will buy and sell used and new medical supplies and equipment.)

#### Outside Santa Barbara County

#### **Globus Relief**

1775 West 1500 South Salt Lake City, UT 84104 (801) 977-0444

#### www.globusrelief.org/

(Accepts medical equipment donations.)

#### Recycled Goods.com

3820 North Ventura Avenue Ventura, CA 93001 (805) 648-3300, ext. 0 www.recycledgoods.com (Will buy and sell used and new

medical supplies and equipment.)

## Medications

See the Pharmaceutical Waste category on pages 60-61.

## Mercury

For broken mercury-containing products, please follow the steps listed here: www.epa.gov/ mercury/spills/index.htm

#### SOUTH COAST

Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

- City of Carpinteria ABOP Center
- Community Hazardous Waste Collection Center
- MarBorg Industries

#### Safety Kleen

5310 Overpass Road Santa Barbara (805) 967-1448

#### NORTH COUNTY

Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

- City of Lompoc Household Hazardous Waste Collection Facility
- City of Santa Maria Household Hazardous Waste Facility

#### Outside Santa Barbara County

Clean Harbors, Inc. (805) 987-0217 www.cleanharbors.com

**Eco Lights Northwest Recycling** Program

(206) 343-7443 or (888) 214-2327 www.ecolights.com

LampRecycling.com (888) 640-6700 www.lamprecycling.com

**Mercury Technologies of** Minnesota Inc. (800) 864-3821

www.mercurytechnologiesmn.com

## Metal (Scrap)

See the firms listed under the **Construction Waste category on** page 48.

See the list of Waste Collection Facilities on pages 16-17.

See the list of Recycling Drop-Off and Buyback Centers on pages 18-19.

#### SOUTH COAST

#### **Explore Ecology**

Art from Scrap Reuse Store 302 East Cota Street Santa Barbara (805) 884-0459

#### www.exploreecology.org

(Accepts a wide variety of scrap materials from households and businesses [e.g. tiles, tape, paper, picture frames, fabric, film reels, beads, bags] for use in environmental education and art discovery programs.)

#### ReuseSB.com

A program of Explore Ecology to sell and buy vintage and used goods.

#### NORTH COUNTY

#### AL & S, Incorporated

209 West Central Avenue, Suite A Lompoc (805) 617-0122

#### www.assetliquidation.net

(Buys and sells used and new electronic, medical, office, scientific, dental, and industrial equipment, as well as retail store fixtures and overstock.)

#### Outside Santa Barbara County

#### **Craigslist**

#### www.craigslist.org

(Craigslist is a listing of local classified ads and forums that encompasses over 700 sites and 70 countries.)

#### E-Bay

#### www.ebay.com

(E-Bay is a forum for the buying and selling of items on a local, national, and international basis.)

#### Earth911.com

#### www.earth911.com

(This website provides comprehensive information on how and where to recycle materials.)

#### **Freecycle**

#### www.freecycle.org

(Membership network enables people to give and receive materials for free to encourage reuse of those materials.)

## **Hi-Cone Ringleader Program** (630) 438-5300 or (800) 965-7464

#### www.ringleader.com

(Schools and other groups join the Ring Leader Recycling Program and are sent a kit for collecting the sixpack rings and plastic multi-pack carriers for recycling.)

#### **Junk Recyclers**

(800) GOT- JUNK

#### www.1800gotjunk.com

(Will pick up all types of materials from households and businesses.)

#### Swap.com

#### www.swap.com

(This company accepts a large variety of items to be bought or traded.)

#### **TerraCycle**

(609) 393-4252

#### www.terracycle.net

(This organization partners with businesses, schools, and organizations that join a "brigade" to collect their used containers, packaging, and products. The company recycles and converts this potential waste into new materials and products that are made available on-line and through major retailers.)

### **Motor Oil**

See the list of Used Motor Oil Drop-Off locations on pages 28-29.

See the list of Household Hazardous Waste Collection Facilities on pages 25-27.



## Newspapers

Newspapers are recyclable in your blue recycling container.

Please see list of Recycling Drop-Off and Buyback Centers on pages 18-19.

Please see list of Public Libraries on page 22.

## Outside Santa Barbara County

# Waste Management, Inc. Think Green from Home www.thinkgreenfromhome.com

(Waste Management sells a "single-stream" recycling kit that enables consumers to collect newspaper.)

## **Packaging Materials**

Many businesses accept clean packaging materials for reuse. The following businesses accept Styrofoam peanuts, bubble wrap, and/or air packs for reuse.

#### SOUTH COAST

#### **Copyright Printing**

5708 Hollister Avenue Goleta (805) 685-2277

#### The Mailbox

5142 Hollister Avenue Santa Barbara (805) 967-8037

#### Mail Box Express

133 East De La Guerra Street Santa Barbara (805) 963-3180

#### Montecito Executive Services aka **UPS Authorized Shipper**

1482 East Valley Road, No. 42 Montecito (805) 969-7753

#### The Packaging Store

4281 State Street, Unit A Santa Barbara (805) 965-3344

#### Santa Barbara Pack and Post

3463 State Street Santa Barbara (805) 682-7940

#### **UPS Store**

- 1187 Coast Village Road Santa Barbara (805) 969-5888
- 5662 Calle Real Goleta (805) 967-2933
- 7127 Hollister Avenue, Suite 25A Goleta (805) 562-8212
- 3905 State Street, Suite 7 Santa Barbara (805) 898-0011
- 315 Meigs Road, Suite A Santa Barbara (805) 962-8874

#### NORTH COUNTY

#### **Box Shop**

740 North "H" Street Lompoc (805) 735-1567

#### **UPS Store**

- 1305 North "H" Street, Suite A Lompoc (805) 736-0555
- 1130 East Clark Avenue, Suite 150 Orcutt (805) 937-6371
- 237 Town Center West Santa Maria (805) 922-8987

### Outside Santa Barbara County

#### **Home for Foam**

Foam Fabricators, Inc. 1810 South Santa Fe Avenue Compton, CA 90221 (310) 537-5760

#### www.homeforfoam.com

(Has a mail-back program for the acceptance of foam packaging.)

### Paint

#### Do NOT place paint in the trash.

Paint can easily be reused or recycled at many convenient locations.



**Under the California Paint** Stewardship Program, PaintCare Products are accepted for FREE at drop off sites.

Visit www.paintcare.org or call (855) 724-6809 to find your nearest drop-off site.

- Interior and exterior architectural paints
- Deck coatings, floor paints
- Primers, sealers, undercoats
- Shellacs, lacquers, varnishes, urethanes
- Metal coatings
- Waterproofing coatings
- Field and lawn paints

#### SOUTH COAST

Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

- City of Carpinteria ABOP Center
- Community Hazardous Waste Collection Center

#### Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 18-19.

 MarBorg Industries' Recycling/ **ABOP Centers** 

#### NORTH COUNTY

Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

- City of Lompoc Household Hazardous Waste Collection Facility
- City of Santa Maria Household Hazardous Waste Facility
- Santa Ynez Valley Recycling and Transfer Station

Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 18-19.

Waste Management locations

Vandenberg Air Force Base Balfour **Beatty Communities Self-Help Store** (See listing on page 37 for complete *information.*)

## Pallets (Wooden)

#### SOUTH COAST

Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

- South Coast Recycling and Transfer Station
- MarBora Industries

Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 18-19.

• MarBorg Industries Recycling/ **ABOP Centers** 

#### Agri-Chip

132 Garden Street Santa Barbara (805) 965-2045 www.progressiveinds.com

#### NORTH COUNTY

Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

- City of Lompoc Landfill
- City of Santa Maria Landfill
- New Cuyama Transfer Station
- Santa Ynez Valley Recycling and Transfer Station
- Ventucopa Transfer Station

## Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 18-19.

- Bedford Enterprises
- Waste Management locations

## Vandenberg Air Force Base Materials Diversion Center

(See listing on page 37 for complete information.)

## **Paper**

**Compost** wet or food-soiled paper. **See page 13** for more information.

Clean paper can be placed in your blue recycling bin.

#### SOUTH COAST

## Please see list of Waste Collection Facilities on pages 16-17.

- Marborg Industries
- South Coast Recycling and Transfer Station

## Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 18-19.

 Marborg Industries Recycling/ ABOP Centers

## Complete Document Destruction & Recycling

(805) 564-4123

## **Explore Ecology Art from Scrap Store**

302 East Cota Street Santa Barbara (805) 884-0459 (Accepts all types of paper for reuse.)

#### NORTH COUNTY

## Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

- City of Lompoc Recycling Drop-Off Facility
- City of Santa Maria Landfill
- New Cuyama Transfer Station
- Santa Ynez Valley Recycling and Transfer Station
- Ventucopa Transfer Station

## Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 18-19.

Waste Management locations

### **Outside Santa Barbara County**

# Waste Management, Inc. Think Green from Home www.thinkgreenfromhome.com

(Waste Management sells recycling kit that enables consumers to collect paper and other recyclables.)

## Paper Shredders

See the firms listed under the Document Destruction & Recycling category on page 50.

# Pharmaceutical Waste (Medications)



NO! Traditionally, consumers have thrown unwanted medicines or pharmaceutical waste into their trash containers, have poured them down their sinks, or have flushed them down their toilets.



YES! The best option for households to dispose of their pharmaceuticals is to take them to an approved drop-off facility.



In June 2016, the County of Santa Barbara Board of Supervisors passed an ordinance that requires pharmaceutical manufacturers to establish and fund a collection program for unwanted household medications sold in the county. In early 2018, new collection kiosks were installed at pharmacies, clinics, and law enforcement sites throughout the county (see list below). Residents can deposit prescription and overthe-counter medications in the kiosks, free of charge. Details about the program are available at www.Med-Project.org

The following locations accept expired and unwanted medications from households only:

#### SOUTH COAST

#### City of Santa Barbara Police Department

215 E. Figueroa Street Santa Barbara (805) 897-2300

#### **CVS Pharmacy**

- 1036 Casitas Pass Road Carpinteria (805) 684-2784
- 5875 Calle Real Goleta (805) 964-6991
- 189 S. Turnpike Road Goleta (805) 967-4525
- 3939 State Street Santa Barbara (805) 681-8288
- 1109 State Street Santa Barbara 805) 564-3267
- 1835 Cliff Drive Santa Barbara (805) 962-8709
- 2973 State Street Santa Barbara (805) 682-3761
- 222 W. Carrillo Street Santa Barbara (805) 965-9632

**Medicine Shoppe** 3605 State Street Santa Barbara (805) 687-1376



#### **Sansum Clinic**

317 W. Pueblo Street Santa Barbara (805) 682-6507

#### **Santa Barbara County Public Health Pharmacy**

345 Camino del Remedio Santa Barbara (805) 681-5300

#### Santa Barbara County Sheriff's **Headquarters**

4434 Calle Real Santa Barbara (805) 681-4100

#### Santa Barbara County Sheriff's Office, Isla Vista Substation

6504 Trigo Road Isla Vista (805) 681-4179

#### Santa Barbara County Jail

4436 Calle Real Santa Barbara (805) 681-4100

#### San Ysidro Pharmacy

1498 East Valley Road Montecito (805) 969-2284

#### NORTH COUNTY

#### **City of Lompoc Household Hazardous Waste Collection Facility**

(non-controlled substance only); see facility information on pages 16-17.

#### **CVS Pharmacy**

- 218 E. Highway 246 Buellton (805) 693-0013
- 733 E. Main Street Santa Maria (805) 922-2040
- 4852 S. Bradley Road Santa Maria (805) 938-9994

- 1830 N. Broadway Santa Maria (805) 348-3555
- 2116 S. Broadway Santa Maria (805) 922-7934

#### **Hometown LTC Pharmacy**

1450 W. McCoy Lane Santa Maria (805) 928-2200

#### La Joya Pharmacy

1115 W. Main Street Santa Maria (805) 922-3996

#### **Lompoc Valley Medical Center**

1515 E. Ocean Avenue Lompoc (805) 737-3300

#### Santa Barbara County **Public Health Pharmacy**

- 2115 S. Centerpointe Parkway Santa Maria (805) 346-7297
- 301 N. R Street Lompoc (805) 737-6400

#### Santa Barbara County Sheriff's Office

- Buellton Substation 140 W. Highway 246 Buellton (805) 686-8150
- Lompoc Substation 3500 Harris Grade Lompoc (805) 737-7737
- Santa Maria Substation 812-A W. Foster Road Santa Maria (805) 934-6150
- Solvang Substation 1745 Mission Drive Solvang (805) 686-5000

#### Stars Pharmacy

830 Guadalupe Street Guadalupe (805) 219-0770

#### Vandenberg Air Force Base AAFES **Gas Station**

- Building 14400, Utah Avenue (805) 605-2474
- Vandenberg Air Force Base Clinic Building 13850
- Vandenberg Air Force Base (805) 606-6726 (Accepts medications and controlled substances from military family housing residents.)

#### Vandenberg Air Force Base Base **Exchange**

(See listing on page 37 for complete information.)

### Phone Books

Please visit page 23 to learn how to stop receiving phone books.

Place unwanted phone books in your blue recycling container. You can also take to a Recycling Drop-Off and Buyback Center. (See pages 18-19.)

## **Photochemicals**

See the list of Household **Hazardous Waste Collection** Facilities on pages 25-27.

### **Plastics**

#### Plastics currently accepted in your curbside recycling program:

- Any beverage container #1 and #2
- Any rigid container that once held a liquid
- Any rigid container larger than a

See page 6 for more information.

#### SOUTH COAST

#### Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

 South Coast Recycling and Transfer Station

#### Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 18-19.

 MarBorg Industries' Recycling/ **ABOP Center** 

#### NORTH COUNTY

#### Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

- City of Lompoc Recycling Drop-Off Facility
- City of Santa Maria Landfill
- New Cuyama Transfer Station
- Santa Ynez Valley Recycling and Transfer Station
- Ventucopa Transfer Station

#### Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 18-19.

- Bedford Enterprises
- Chumash Casino Resort
- Waste Management locations

## Plastic bags go in the trash!

Please **DO NOT** place them in your blue bin.

Bring your reusable bags when shopping to limit use of plastic bags.

#### **Outside Santa Barbara County**

#### **Preserve Gimme 5**

(888) 354-7296

#### www.preserveproducts.com

(Accepts clean #5 stamped plastic for recycling.)

#### Waste Management. Incorporated Think Green from Home

#### www.thinkgreenfromhome.com

(Waste Management sells a recycling kit that enables consumers to collect plastic containers for recycling.)

## **Propane Tanks**

#### **AmeriGas Cyclinder Exchange Program**

Bring an empty, used propane tank of any brand to a participating location in exchange for the purchase of a new AmeriGas propane tank at a discounted price. www.amerigas.com/exchange/ consumer

#### Many of the following locations participate in this program:

#### SOUTH COAST

#### Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

- Community Hazardous Waste Collection Center
- South Coast Recycling and Transfer Station

#### **Albertsons**

- 7127 Hollister Avenue (805) 968-3558
- 5801 Calle Real Goleta (805) 964-2318

#### **BS Mack Montecito Chevron**

401 West Montecito Street Santa Barbara (805) 969-1400

#### **Coast Village Chevron**

1085 Coast Village Road Montecito (805) 969-1400

#### **Home Depot**

6975 Marketplace Drive Goleta (805) 961-4746

#### **Pacific Convenience and Fuel**

200 South Milpas Street Santa Barbara (805) 962-9182

#### Risdon's 76 Service

4401 North Via Real (805) 684-7676

#### Winchester 76

20 Winchester Canyon Goleta (805) 685-0201

#### NORTH COUNTY

#### Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

- City of Lompoc Household Hazardous Waste Collection Facility
- City of Lompoc Landfill
- City of Santa Maria Household Hazardous Waste Facility

#### **Albertsons**

- 222 East Highway 246 Buellton (805) 693-1069
- 1120 East Clark Avenue Santa Maria (805) 934-4472
- 2320 South Broadway Santa Maria (805) 346-2077

#### **Amerigas**

912 West Betteravia Road Santa Maria (805) 922-7855

#### **Anita's Spirit 76**

- 1611 South Broadway Santa Maria (805) 925-8415
- 3705 Constellation Road Lompoc (805) 733-9063

#### **CVS Pharmacy**

1830 North Broadway Santa Maria (805) 348-3555

#### **Collins Market**

290 Bell Street Los Alamos (805) 344-6755

#### **Conserve Fuel**

89 East Highway 246 **Buellton** 

#### El Rancho Market

2886 Mission Drive Solvang (805) 688-4300

#### **Farm Supply**

- 700 McMurray Road Buellton (805) 688-8101
- 1920 North Broadway Santa Maria (805) 922-2737

#### **Gray Lift**

1205 South Blosser Road Santa Maria (805) 922-1767

#### **Home Depot**

- 1701 East Ocean Avenue Lompoc (805) 737-0314
- 2120 South Bradley Road Santa Maria (805) 739-1141

#### John's Chevron

3595 Sagunto Street Santa Ynez (805) 688-5716

#### Matheson Tri Gas 776

423 West Betteravia Road Santa Maria (805) 349-8869

#### **Mobil Station**

1038 East Main Street Santa Maria (805) 925-6841

#### Napht, Inc. AM/PM

1611 South Blosser Road Santa Maria (805) 416-1907

#### **Old Town Market**

405 East Clark Avenue Orcutt (805) 937-5619

#### Santa Maria Petroleum

2404 South Broadway Santa Maria (805) 349-0937

#### 7 Eleven

- 1104 South Blosser Road Santa Maria (805) 925-2887
- 804 West Cook Street Santa Maria (805) 925-6966

#### **Sunshine Market & Gas**

719 West Laurel Avenue Lompoc (805) 736-7588

#### **United Rentals**

1935 North Preisker Lane Santa Maria (805) 922-2155

#### **USA Petroleum**

1027 East Stowell Santa Maria

#### Vandenberg Air Force Base Balfour **Beatty Communities Self-Help Store**

(See listing on page 37 for complete information.)

#### Village Market, Inc.

3734 Constellation Road Lompoc (805) 479-1094

#### Walmart

- 701 West Central Avenue Lompoc (805) 735-9088
- 2220 South Bradley Road Santa Maria (805) 349-7885
- 500 South Blosser Road Santa Maria (805) 863-9145

#### **Western Propane Service**

2326 Meredith Lane Santa Maria (805) 922-8017

#### YK Market

751 Guadalupe Street Guadalupe (805) 343-2566

### **Razor Handles** (Preserve Brand Only)

#### **Preserve Gimme 5**

(888) 354-7296

#### www.preserveproducts.com/recycle

(Accepts Preserve razor handles for recycling.)

- · City of Lompoc Landfill
- New Cuyama Transfer Station
- · Santa Ynez Valley Recycling and Transfer Station
- Ventucopa Transfer Station

#### Sand

See list of firms under Construction Waste category on page 48.

## Scientific Equipment

#### NORTH COUNTY

#### AL & S, Incorporated

209 West Central Avenue, Suite A Lompoc (805) 617-0122

#### www.assetliquidation.net

(Asset liquidation company that buys and sells used and new scientific equipment.)

### Outside Santa Barbara County

#### Recycled Goods.com

3820 North Ventura Avenue Ventura, CA 93001 (805) 648-3300, ext. 0

#### www.recycledgoods.com

(Will help sell or recycle used electronic, dental, medical, office, and scientific equipment.)



### Shoes

Please see list of Thrift Stores on pages 20-21.

#### SOUTH COAST

#### **Happy Little Hippo**

2919 De La Vina Street Santa Barbara (805) 845-5179

#### www.happylittlehippo.com

(Store buys and sells newborn through size 10 used shoes.)

#### NORTH COUNTY

#### **Textile Waste Solutions**

439 Arrovo Road Santa Barbara (805) 277-0742

#### www.twaste.com

(Accepts shoes from thrift stores that will be shipped to less developed countries for reuse.)

#### Outside Santa Barbara County

#### **Give Back Box**

#### www.givebackbox.com

(Print a free shipping label and donate a box of shoes and clothing to charity.)

#### Soles4Souls

319 Martingale Drive Old Hickory TN, 37138 (866) 521-SHOE

#### www.soles4souls.org

(Organization that provides "gently worn" shoes to those in need around the world.)

### **Smoke Detectors**

#### Do NOT place smoke detectors in the trash.

Return smoke detectors to the manufacturer/distributor for safe disposal with a note indicating that it is intended for disposal.

#### SOUTH COAST

Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

 Community Hazardous Waste Collection Center

#### NORTH COUNTY

Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

 City of Santa Maria Household Hazardous Waste Facility

## Soap/Bottled **Amenities**

#### NORTH COUNTY

#### **Central Coast Rescue Mission**

1207 North McClelland Santa Maria (805) 614-0220

#### www.centralcoastrescuemission.org

(Accepts donations of soap, shampoo, lotion, toothbrushes, toothpaste, combs/brushes, disposable razors, deodorant, and other amenities.)

#### Outside Santa Barbara County

#### Clean the World

3111 South Valley View Boulevard Suite L-115 Las Vegas (702) 221-8777 www.cleantheworld.org

### Soil

See list of firms under Construction Waste category on page 48.

## **Sporting Goods**

Please see the list of Thrift Stores on pages 20-21.

#### SOUTH COAST

#### **Channel Island Surfboards**

36 Anacapa Street Santa Barbara (805) 966-7213 (Buy a new surfboard and the store will accept a used surfboard on consignment.)

#### **Play It Again Sports**

4850 Hollister Avenue Santa Barbara (805) 967-9889

#### NORTH COUNTY

#### **Play It Again Sports**

2530 South Broadway Santa Maria (805) 614-0072

### Outside Santa Barbara County

#### **Berkley - Fishing Line Recycling Program**

1900 18th Street Spirit Lake, IA 51360 (800) 237-5539

www.berkley- fishing.com/ **Berkely-Recycling** 

(Accepts fishing line for recycling.)

#### Skichair.com

4 Abbot Place Millbury, MA 01527 (508) 335-2202 or (508) 752-5997 www.skichair.com

(Accepts skis, snowboards, hockey sticks, baseball bats, and golf clubs for reuse and recycling.)



## Tapes (Video and Audio)

Please see Thrift Stores on pages 20-21.

Some Public Libraries will accept tapes — please call your local branch found on page 22.

#### NORTH COUNTY

Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

• City of Lompoc Landfill

### Outside Santa Barbara County

#### GreenDisk

(800) 305-3475

www.greendisk.com

**Plastic Recycling Incorporated** (317) 780-6100

www.plastic-recycling.net

#### Tennis Balls

#### Reuse suggestions:

- Use to muffle the sounds of bare metal legs hitting hard surfaces
- Use to improve the grip on canes and walkers
- Use as a play toy for dogs

### Outside Santa Barbara County

reBounces, LLC www.rebounces.com/recycle/ (Accepts tennis balls for recycling.)

#### Tiles

#### NORTH COUNTY

See Waste Collection Facilities on pages 16-17.

- City of Lompoc Landfill
- City of Santa Maria Landfill

#### Tires

#### SOUTH COAST

Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

- · South Coast Recycling and Transfer Station
- Marborg Industries

#### NORTH COUNTY

Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.



- City of Lompoc Landfill
- City of Santa Maria Landfill
- New Cuyama Transfer Station
- Santa Ynez Valley Recycling and Transfer Station
- Ventucopa Transfer Station

#### Vandenberg Air Force Base Balfour Beatty Communities Self-Help Store

(See listing on page 37 for complete information.)

Outside Santa Barbara County

Junk Recyclers (800) GOT-JUNK www.1800gotjunk.com (Will pick-up all types of materials.)

### Toothbrushes (Preserve Brand Only)

Preserve Gimme 5 (888) 354-7296 www.preserveproducts.com (Accepts Preserve toothbrushes for recycling.)



Please see list of Thrift Stores on pages 20-21.

#### SOUTH COAST

Happy Little Hippo 2919 De La Vina Street Santa Barbara (805) 845-5179

www.happylittlehippo.com

(Store buys and sells toys for reuse.)

## Kid Concoctions Company, Inc. www.kidconcoctions.com

(Instructions on how to create own toys from reused materials.)

# Trophies/Plaques / Medals/Sculptures

Outside Santa Barbara County

Lamb Awards and Engraving (800) 877-1448

www.lambawards.com/recycle.

(Accepts trophies, medals, plaques, and sculptures for reuse or recycling.)

## **Vacuums**

Please see list of Thrift Stores on pages 20-21.

#### SOUTH COAST

Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

- City of Carpinteria ABOP Center
- South Coast Recycling and Transfer Station
- MarBorg Industries

Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 18-19.

 MarBorg Industries' Recycling/ ABOP Centers

#### **Best Buy**

7090 Marketplace Drive Goleta (805) 571-3999

Santa Barbara Computer Recycling

5378 Dariesa Street Carpinteria (805) 453-0437 www.SBRecycle.com

#### NORTH COUNTY

Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

- City of Lompoc Household Hazardous Waste Collection Facility
- City of Lompoc Landfill
- City of Santa Maria Landfill
- New Cuyama Transfer Station
- Santa Ynez Valley Recycling and Transfer Station
- Ventucopa Transfer Station

Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 18-19.

• Waste Management locations

Vandenberg Air Force Base Balfour Beatty Communities Self-Help Store (See listing on page 37 for complete information.)

Vandenberg Air Force Base Defense Logistics Agency (DLA) Disposition Services

(See listing on page 37 for complete information.

## **Vehicles**

#### SOUTH COAST

Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

MarBorg Industries

**A&G Auto Wrecking** 

5939 Placencia Street Goleta (805) 964-4858

(Accepts vehicles and vehicular parts for reuse or recycling.)



#### **Steelhead Auto Recyclers**

891 South Kellogg Avenue (805) 683-8557

#### www.steel-head.com

(Accepts vehicles and vehicular parts for reuse or recycling.)

#### NORTH COUNTY

#### Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

• City of Lompoc Landfill

#### **Black Road Auto**

1500 South Black Road Santa Maria (805) 346-2770

#### www.BlackRoadAuto.us

(Accepts vehicles and vehicular parts for reuse or recycling.)

#### **Central Coast Auto Parts and** Salvage

1400 South Black Road Santa Maria (805) 922-3513

#### **Central Valley Auto Dismantlers**

613 Avalon Lompoc (805) 736-6719

#### **Rudy's Auto Dismantling**

700 West Fesler Santa Maria (805) 925-4561

#### www.rudysautodismantling.com

(Accepts automotive parts for reuse or recycling.)

### Water Filters (Brita brand only)

#### **Preserve Gimme 5**

(888) 354-7296

#### www.preserveproducts.com/ recycling/

(Accepts Brita plastic water filters for recycling.)



### Wood/Yard Waste

Recycle yard waste in your green container — see page 14 for more information about what to put into your bin.

#### SOUTH COAST

#### Feed animals at the Santa Barbara Zoo.

#### sbzoo.org/browse

(Donations by appointment only.) 500 Ninos Drive Santa Barbara (805) 403-5303

#### Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 18-19.

• MarBorg Industries Recycling/ **ABOP Center** 

#### Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

- South Coast Recycling and Transfer Station
- MarBorg Industries

#### Agri-Chip

132 Garden Street Santa Barbara (805) 962-7005

### www.progressiveinds.com/santa barbara landscape/index.html

(Accepts wood and yard waste to be made into various garden products.)

#### NORTH COUNTY

#### Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 18-19.

- Bedford Enterprises
- Waste Management

#### Please see contact information for facilities below on pages 16-17.

- City of Lompoc Landfill
- City of Santa Maria Landfill
- New Cuyama Transfer Station
- Santa Ynez Valley Recycling and Transfer Station
- Ventucopa Transfer Station

#### Engel and Gray, Inc.

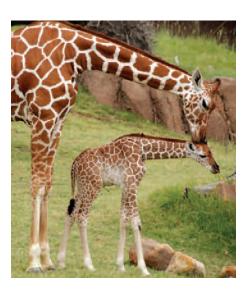
745 West Betteravia Road Santa Maria Tel: (805) 925-2771

#### www.engelandgray.com

(Accepts green waste from commercial customers.)

#### **Vandenberg Air Force Base Materials Diversion Center**

(See listing on page 37 for complete information.)



## More Information







#### California Air Resources Board (800) 242-4450

#### www.arb.ca.gov/homepage.htm

Information about the following: air pollutants, air toxics, asbestos, bicycles, consumer products, diesel topics, energy, fuels, general topics, health, indoor air quality, marine engines, permitting activities/certifications, seminars, small off-road engines, and vehicles.

#### California Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery (CalRecycle) (916) 322-4027

#### www.calrecycle.ca.gov

CalRecycle's mission is to protect public health and the environment by effectively and efficiently managing California's waste disposal and recycling efforts. CalRecycle's website contains resources to help people reduce, reuse, and recycle.



#### (800) 424-9346 or (866) 372-9378

#### Visit www.epa.gov/ and search: Consumer **Handbook for Reducing Solid Waste**

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency publishes a Consumer Handbook for Reducing Solid Waste that offers tips on the following four principles:

**REDUCE** the amount of trash discarded;

**REUSE** containers and products;

RECYCLE materials, use recycled materials, and purchase products containing recycled content; and

**RESPOND** to the solid waste problem by avoiding waste generating activities and expressing preferences for less waste.

#### FOR BUSINESSES

See Business and Multi-Family Housing on page 36.

#### Governor's Office of Business and Economic **Development (GO-BIZ)** (877) 345-4633

#### www.business.ca.gov/Home.aspx

This office serves as a one-stop shop for businesses by offering such services as attraction, retention and expansion services, site selection, permit streamlining, clearing of regulatory hurdles, small business assistance, international trade development, assistance with state government, and more.

#### FOR RESIDENCES

#### **California Department of Toxic Substances Control** (DTSC)

(916) 322-0476

#### www.dtsc.ca.gov

The Department of Toxic Substances Control (DTSC) regulates hazardous waste, cleans up existing contamination, and looks for ways to reduce the hazardous waste produced in California.

### Californians Against Waste (CAW) (916) 443-5422,

#### www.cawrecycles.org

Californians Against Waste (CAW) is dedicated to conserving resources, preventing pollution, and protecting California's environment through waste reduction and recycling policies and programs.





## Key Terms

ABOP is an acronym for Antifreeze, Batteries, Oil, and Latex Paint. An ABOP center is a facility that only accepts these types of household hazardous waste and oil filters.

Aseptic Packaging refers to products containing a mix of paper (70%), plastic (24%), and aluminum (6%), commonly used for soup and juice products. Aseptic packaging is not recyclable in the curbside collection program.

Biodegradable refers to a product that can be broken down by bacteria and returned to the natural environment.

**Buyback Centers** are facilities that will buy or accept for free certain common recyclable materials.

**Certified Redemption Centers** are located at many supermarkets and accept recyclable glass, plastic, and aluminum beverage containers marked with California Redemption Value (CRV).

Closing the Loop is when consumers buy a product that contains recycled-content material.

Compost is the product resulting from the controlled decomposition of organic debris which is then used as a soil amendment. Materials that can be composted include: leaves, grass clippings, fruit and vegetable trimmings, and other organic materials commonly found in municipal waste.

**Construction & Demolition Debris** 

(C&D) is material generated during construction or demolition activities that is mostly recyclable. Common materials include concrete, drywall, and wood.

**Curbside Collection** is the process whereby waste materials are collected curbside for eventual disposal or processing.

Electronic Waste (E-waste) is an item that either plugs in or contains batteries, and should NOT be thrown in the trash.

Grass Cycling is when grass clippings are left on the lawn when mowing, returning valuable nutrients to the soil.

#### **Household Hazardous Waste**

(HHW) does NOT belong in the trash as it is flammable, corrosive, reactive, and/or poisonous. Examples of HHW include paint, motor oil, cleaning products, and insecticides.

Landfill is a place to dispose of municipal solid waste by burying it in a series of compacted layers, alternating dirt and waste up to a permitted amount.

**Mulch** is a soil covering made of organic materials such as yard trimmings and is commonly placed around plants to retain soil moisture, control weeds, prevent erosion, help maintain even soil temperature, and enrich the soil.

Recyclable means that a given material can be processed into a new product.

**Recycled-Content** is the portion of a product's or package's weight that is composed of materials that have been recovered from waste: this may include pre-consumer or post-consumer materials.

Source Reduction is the design, manufacture, purchase or use of materials and products to reduce the amount or toxicity of what is eventually thrown away.

Transfer Station is a facility where trash and recyclables are unloaded from collection vehicles and then subsequently reloaded onto larger long-distance transport vehicles for shipment to landfills, recycling facilities, or other treatment or disposal facilities.

Universal Waste refers to hazardous waste that is generated by a large percentage of the population and should NOT go in the trash. Examples include: batteries, thermostats, fluorescent bulbs, cathode ray tubes, electronic devices, and non-empty aerosol cans.

**Vermicomposting** is the process whereby worms feed on slowly decomposing materials (vegetable and fruit scraps) in a controlled environment to produce a nutrientrich soil amendment. This is the ideal way to produce high quality compost indoors.











## Notes


## Solid Waste Collection Contacts

Depending on the location, solid waste collection companies will collect recyclables, greenwaste, and trash. To subscribe for service, or to learn more about available services, please contact your local hauler.

#### FRANCHISE WASTE HAULERS

MarBorg Industries	(805) 963-1852
Waste Management	(805) 242-7937

#### **CITIES**

City of Buellton
City of Carpinteria
City of Goleta(805) 961-7500
City of Guadalupe
City of Lompoc
City of Santa Barbara
City of Santa Maria
City of Solvang (805) 688-5575
Vandenberg Air Force Base (805) 606-2359 or (805) 605-1143

### **UNINCORPORATED AREAS**

County of Santa Barbara, Public Works Department
Resource Recovery and Waste Management Division......(805) 882-3600







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