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REUSE & RECYCLING GUIDE

Manage Your Waste

One person's trash isn't always another person's treasure



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Do Your Part!

Report Illegal Dumping

If you see someone dumping trash on the side of the road or in our creeks - Call your local Police or Sheriff
 If illegally dumped material is in the public right-of-way, including roads - Call 1-800-NO-DUMPING
 For illegally dumped material on private property - Call your City or County Code Enforcement Office

Use the index to learn about local options to Reuse, Recycle & Dispose



Unpermitted haulers significantly contribute to the illegal dumping problem.

Do not pay for garbage hauling services provided by anyone other than your garbage company.

Lack of adequate garbage collection significantly contributes to illegal dumping.

Use your recyclables, yard waste AND on-call clean-up services that are generally provided to garbage collection customers at no additional cost.

Use this Guide to find out how to properly manage and dispose of items not collected through your curbside recycling or garbage service.

If you need to discard materials not collected by your garbage company, take them to local recycling and disposal facilities to assure they are properly managed.