HAVE YOU BEEN RECYCLING? **IBIN Recycling!** 

WITH MY IN-APARTMENT RECYCLING BIN

Plastic Containers

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Tin, Steel and Aluminum Cans, Foil and Lids

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The iBIN is the property of the City of Davis Recycling Program, but it is yours to borrow while you stay at this community. **When you move, please leave your iBIN behind for the next resident.** 



Magazines, Newspapers, Junk Mail, Gift Wrap, and Misc. Paper



Cereal Boxes, Paper Towel Tubes, Egg Cartons

Cardboard



Flatten and stack next to the recycling carts

The iBIN Recycling Program is funded by a grant from the California Department of Conservation.

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# **Waste Reduction and Recycling**

Part of being a good neighbor is reducing the amount of garbage you produce. California's goal is to eventually achieve zero waste—recycling virtually everything with nothing going into landfills. In order to make that happen, we need to start reducing how much waste we produce. The following waste reduction tips should help you decrease the amount of waste you produce.

## WASTE REDUCTION TIPS

- Use your plastic grocery bags to line small garbage cans.
- 2) Select products with the least wasteful packaging.
- Use a cloth napkin instead of a paper napkin.
- Use washable mugs at work or school instead of paper cups.
- 5) Use both sides of a sheet of paper and then recycle it.
- 6) Use reusable containers for snacks and a washable bag or plastic container for sandwiches.

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- 7) Pack your lunch in a reusable cloth bag or lunchbox.
- 8) Use sturdy, washable utensils and dishes for picnics, outdoor parties and BBQs.
- 9) Use a sponge or dishcloth instead of a paper towel.
- 10) Use rechargeable batteries or an AC adaptor whenever possible.
- 11) Buy fresh produce without packaging whenever spoilage won't be a problem.
- 12) Buy and maintain durable products.
- 13) Check into repair and warranty options before throwing a product away.
- 14) Buy concentrates and products in bulk.

## **GOT PLASTICS?**

Davis Waste Removal (DWR) is now accepting rigid plastics #3, #5, #6, and #7 for free drop-off at the Recycling Center, 2727 2nd Street.

These plastics include toys, laundry baskets, crates, buckets, plastic flower pots, nursery trays, garbage cans, gas cans, ice chests, plastic furniture, and other household items.

Look for these symbols and bring these plastics to the DWR Recycling Center for free drop-off 24/7. Please remember that only #1 and #2 plastic containers should go into recycling carts.



## MOVING GUIDE

To continue being a good neighbor even as you move, we would appreciate it if you try to minimize the amount of trash you throw away. We know it can be challenging when you are packing and moving to deal with all that "extra stuff." Please recycle and reuse all that you possibly can.

Do you have unwanted furniture, clothes, or other household goods? Instead of throwing it away, please donate it to a local non-profit. Check out the Davis Recyclopedia at **www.davisrecycling.org** for reuse and recycling options for over 150 different items.

## PACKING MATERIALS



Be a good neighbor and help us reduce waste; reuse and recycle your unwanted packing materials.

> Moving Boxes Recycle: Flatten and stack next to the recycling carts at your community's recycling area.

Styrofoam Peanuts and Bubble Wrap Reuse: Bag peanuts securely and take peanuts and bubble wrap to **The UPS** Store (1411 W. Covell Blvd. and 140 B St.), Parcel Dispatch PDQ (216 F St.), Postmark's (417 Mace Blvd.) or **Pak Mail** (1520 E Covell Blvd.). Do not place these items in the recycling cart.

Newspaper and Packing Paper

*Recycle*: Place in the paper recycling cart at your community's recycling area.

## **CRV REDEMPTION CENTERS**

Turn your bottles and cans into nickles and dimes! Bring your plastic, aluminum and and glass CRV beverage containers to one of these locations:

Davis Waste Removal, 2727 Second St., Mon-Fri 9:30am- 2:00pm, Sat 8:00am- 4:00pm. TOMRA Pacific Inc. at Save Mart, 1900 Anderson Rd., hours vary.

**Please note:** It is a violation of City Municipal Code to remove recycling from the Davis Waste Removal recycling carts (City of Davis Municipal Code 32.01.060).

For more information about the CRV program or buyback locations, call the Department of Conservation at 1-800-RECYCLE or visit www.bottlesandcans.com.

For more recycling and waste reduction information, visit <u>www.davisrecycling.org.</u>

<ul> <li>cans must be empty</li> <li>paper labels are okay</li> <li>containers must be empty</li> <li>remove caps and lids</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Remove all packing materials such as</li> </ul>	Staples and glassine
<ul> <li>aluminum cans</li> <li>tin/steel cans</li> <li>aluminum foil</li> <li>empty aerosol and paint cans</li> <li>pie plates</li> <li>cake pans</li> <li>metal lids and caps</li> <li><i>NO</i></li> <li>scrap metals (use the DWR drop-off facility at 2727 Second St., open 24 hours a day)</li> <li>(metal ones OK to recycle</li> <li>paper labels are okay</li> <li>food jars</li> <li>beverage glass bottles</li> <li>all colors are okay</li> <li><i>NO</i></li> <li>auto glass</li> <li>fluorescent lights</li> <li>window glass</li> <li>Pyrex dishes</li> <li>porcelain</li> <li>ceramic</li> <li>light bulbs</li> <li>mirrors</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>polystyrene peanuts.</li> <li>Flatten large cardboard boxes and stack outside of the recycling cart.</li> <li>Place small cardboard pieces in the cart.</li> <li><i>NO</i></li> <li>waxed cardboard</li> <li>packing materials</li> <li>unflattened boxes</li> <li>pizza boxes with food stuck to them</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Staples and glassine windows are okay</li> <li>Please remove paper clips and clasps</li> <li><i>YES</i></li> <li>junk mail</li> <li>magazines</li> <li>catalogs</li> <li>cereal boxes</li> <li>shoe boxes</li> <li>phone books</li> <li>paper bags</li> <li>newspaper</li> <li>paper towel tubes</li> <li>egg cartons</li> <li>white paper</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Plastic</li> <li>containers must be empty</li> <li>discard plastic lids and caps</li> <li>all #1 and #2 plastic containers (look for the symbols on the bottom of the container)</li> <li>NO</li> <li>film</li> <li>wrap</li> <li>plastic bags</li> </ul>	PLACE TRASH IN THE RECYCLING CARTS!	<ul> <li>colored paper</li> <li>computer and notebook paper</li> <li>mylar paper</li> <li>carbon paper</li> <li>thermal fax paper</li> </ul>

### These items cannot be thrown away in the trash. They can be recycled for FREE at the locations listed below.

## **Batteries**

Residents can recycle alkaline, rechargeable and lithium household batteries at these collection sites:

- Davis Senior Center, 646 A St.
- Longs Drug Store, 1550 E. Covell Blvd. and 1741 W. Covell Blvd.
- Rite Aid, 655 Russell Blvd, and 2135 Cowell Blvd.
- Hibbert Lumber, 5th & G Sts.
- Davis Ace Hardware, 3rd & G Sts.

These sites collect rechargeable batteries ONLY:

- Kragen Auto Parts, 1681 Research Park
- City Hall, Finance Department, 23 Russell Blvd.
- Radio Shack, 634 G St.
- Cingular Wireless, 500 1st St.

#### Please sort all batteries by type (alkaline, lithium and rechargeable) into SEPARATE plastic bags BEFORE bringing them to be recycled.







Alkaline Batteries Batteries

Rechargeable Batteries

Visit www.davisrecycling.org for more recycling information.

Lithium

## **Electronics**

Electronics, such as TV and computer monitors, cannot be put in the trash. The Yolo County Central Landfill will accept these items at no charge\* during normal business hours. Acceptable items include:



\*a fee is required for disposal of appliances

## **Cell Phones**

Cellular phones can be recycled at any cell phone store and many non-profits collect them for recycling to raise money. Visit www.call2recycle.org for locations where both cell phones and rechargeable batteries are accepted.

## **Printer Cartridges**

Printer cartridges can be recycled at most Davis Joint Unified Schools and at some non-profits and charities.



computer monitors

fax machines

televisions

keyboards

 printers microwaves

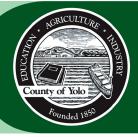
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• VCR's

• CPU's

toasters





# **2009 Yolo County Household Hazardous Waste Drop Off Days**

The Yolo County Planning and Public Works Department sponsors free household hazardous waste (HHW) collection events for Yolo County residents at the Yolo County Central Landfill (YCCL). Phone: (530) 666-8729 (www.yolocounty.org)

#### **Monthly Dates** Open 9:00 am-2:00 pm

July 10 & 11
August 7 & 8
September 11 & 12
October 9 & 10
November 13 & 14
December 11 & 12

#### Acceptable Items Please do not mix wastes together

Acids	F
Antifreeze	Μ
Automotive products	Ρ
Batteries	Ρ
Brake/transmission fluid	Ρ
Cooking oils	Ρ
Fire extinguishers	Ρ
Floor & furniture cleaners	S
Fluorescent bulbs/tubes	S
Gasoline & flammables	ι

Household cleaners Mercury thermometers Paint, oil/latex Pesticides & herbicides Pharmaceuticals(non-controlled) Poisons Pool chemicals Solvents Syringes (containerized) Jsed motor oil/filter

*Limit of 125 pounds or 15 gallons due to* Department of Transportation Regulations.

**Electronic waste (e-waste)** is recycled at the Yolo County Central Landfill at no cost **everyday**. This includes: batteries, televisions, monitors, computer components, microwaves and other small electronics.

## **Unacceptable Items**

\* Explosives & Fireworks (Call the Yolo County Sheriff's Dispatch at (530)666-8282)

\* Medical or Infectious Waste (non-needle/syringe) (Call Environmental Health at (530)666-8646)

\* Agricultural Waste (Call the Yolo County Landfill at (530)666-8856)



## Small Business

Small Businesses with no more than 220 lbs. or 27 gal. of hazardous waste:

<u>STEP 1:</u> Call (916) 324-1781 to obtain an EPA ID # if one does not already exist.

STEP 2: Call 1-(866) 714-8470 to schedule an appointment.

### **Other HHW Recycling Options**

If you can't wait for the next HHW event, you may take your materials to the City of Sacramento's Recycling and Transfer Station. Call (916) 379-0500 for details.

**Reusable products** will be available for free during the monthly HHW drop-off days, from 9am-2pm. After dropping off your HHW, check out the free products available.

## Senior/Disabled Pickup Services

Please call for more information about this free program. Yolo County (530) 666-8729