



TRASH FLASH

CHANNEL ISLANDS BEACH
COMMUNITY SERVICES DISTRICT

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RECYCLING NEWS FOR CHANNEL ISLANDS
BEACH COMMUNITY SERVICES DISTRICT RESIDENTS



Food, Yard Waste Recycling Coming to Channel Islands

Food and yard waste recycling is slated to begin this fall in the Channel Islands community.

Working with the Channel Islands Beach Community Services District, Harrison Industries will launch recycling of organic waste around October for commercial and residential customers. Residents will be delivered organics waste carts before October.

“We are excited to offer organics collection services in the Channel Islands Beach Community Services District,” said Harrison Contract Compliance Manager Daniel Harrison. “Residents will now be able to comply with SB 1383 by recycling their food and yard waste.”

Recycling food and other organic waste into compost, animal feed and other natural products is not only good environmental and economic policy but also required under state law.

California Senate Bill 1383, signed into law in 2016, added food materials to the list of landscaping, agricultural and other green waste that should be recycled, effective Jan. 1. The goal is to cut by 75 percent the amount of organic waste ending up in landfills by 2025 (with the 2014 amount as the baseline), thereby reducing methane gas emissions from landfills.

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Community Cleanup Returns in September

The Channel Islands Beach Community Services District’s community cleanup will return this September, after a postponement last year due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

The Community Clean-Up & Household Paper Shred Event will be held Saturday, Sept. 10, at Harbor Boulevard and Cabezone Way. Signs will guide residents to the location, district officials said.

From 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., the district will offer collection of residential yard waste; household and garage items, including large furniture and appliances; home-repair debris; and electronic waste. And for the first time at the event, Ventura County will offer collection of household hazardous waste.

The district also will offer shredding of household documents from 9 a.m. to noon.

All of the services will be free, and no appointment will be needed.

For more information on the event, residents should check for fliers in district billing, as well as banners that will be set up on the beaches.

Also remember that the district offers one free pickup of up to two bulky items per year. The pickups are offered every Tuesday, but district staff needs at least 24 hours’ notice. For more information, call the district at 805-985-6021.



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Skip the Rinse when Recycling

Despite some late-season rain, January and February were historically dry in California, leading us to an apparent third year of drought. Water conservation has become a necessity here, and one way you can help is to not waste water rinsing out your recyclables before putting them in your blue cart.

It is not necessary for you to rinse empty jars and other food containers before tossing them into your recycling cart. With advanced processing systems, E.J. Harrison & Sons and partner Gold Coast Recycling ask only that you empty containers of food. The rule is: "Empty but not rinsed."

Also, please do not bag your blue-cart recyclables. They should be loose when tossed into your blue cart.

Materials that should be recycled include plastics 1-7, aluminum or metal, glass containers, paper and junk mail, newspapers and magazines, cartons, flattened cardboard, and cardboard food or shoe boxes.

Items not accepted include plastic bags and wrap, hoses, diapers, shredded paper and Styrofoam. For more recycling information, visit ejharrison.com and goldcoastrecycling.com.

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Residents will be asked to collect food waste in paper or plastic bags, then secure those bags before placing them in their organics waste carts, along with loose yard and other green waste. The waste will then be separated and processed into organic fertilizer and other products by our partners Gold Coast Recycling and Agromin.

You'll be receiving more information on this in the coming months, but in the meantime, you can learn more online about the food waste program at ejharrison.com/food-waste and more about yard waste collection at ejharrison.com/yard-waste.

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Recycling Guidelines

Keep your recyclables clean and loose!
Clean = NO contamination; Loose = DO NOT put in plastic bags



YES



NO



Trash Guidelines - What goes in the Trash?

Hopefully, very little. After you have recycled, composted, filled the yard waste cart or bin, donated old clothing and goods, and done all of those good things and more — most of the rest can go in the trash.



YES



NO



For information on how to dispose of items not accepted in the trash, please call 805-985-6021.

E-waste Recycling: If you have one or two items only, you can drop those off at the District Office, 353 Santa Monica Drive. Available Monday-Friday, 7:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Please check in with the District Office.

Bulky Items Picked Up for Free

E.J. Harrison & Sons offers Channel Islands Beach Community Service District residents one free pickup per year of up to two bulky items that are too big for your trash cart. To arrange collection, call the CIBCSD office at 805-985-6021.

