

CartSMART

*Weekly
Services Start
January 3, 2011*

How to Use Your New Carts Starting January 3, 2011:

Starting the week of January 3, 2011, your Recycle, Compost and Garbage Carts will be picked up **EVERY** week, on the same day as your garbage. **Every week will be recycling week!**

RECYCLE CART: *Remember – no more sorting! Continue to mix all of your recyclables together, including newspaper, junkmail, cardboard and other paper products with your plastic, metal and glass containers.*

COMPOST CART: *Your green cart will officially be your Compost Cart starting the week of January 3, 2011! You can then start putting food scraps and food- and beverage-soiled paper products in with your yard trimmings. Things like leftovers, meat and bones, dairy, produce, pizza boxes, and paper plates, napkins and paper cups can now be mixed with the grass clippings, branches and yard trimmings. (No change for San Carlos residents, the program continues as it was.)*

GARBAGE CART: *Basically anything that doesn't go in the Recycle and Compost Carts will go into this cart.*

**Hillsborough residents will continue to use their existing green Yard Trimmings Carts, and only receive new Recycle and Garbage Carts.*



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PLEASE KEEP THIS CARD FOR REFERENCE

Your New Kitchen Pail Has Arrived!

This kitchen pail for in-home use is a convenient way to collect your food scraps for composting. Place food scraps and food-soiled paper items in the pail, then empty the contents of the pail into your large Compost Cart for weekly collection. **Please DO NOT set the kitchen pail out at the curb for service.**

You can line the pail with newspaper or paper bags, but please **NO plastic bags**. You can also use compostable items like paper bags,

newspaper, or paper take-out cartons to collect your food scraps in, and then place them into the Compost Cart.



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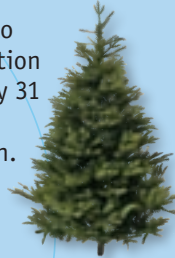
Beyond the Cart

The CartSMART program includes many more services than just what is accepted in the carts. Other recycling programs and services include:

HOLIDAY TREE COLLECTION

Please leave your tree next to your Compost Cart for collection between December 26-January 31 on your collection day. Trees may be up to 8 feet in length.

Please cut them if they are longer than 8 feet and leave the pieces next to your Compost Cart. Please remove all lights, ornaments, tinsel, stands and other decorations. Flocked trees are accepted.



BATTERIES & CELL PHONES

Please put household batteries (no auto batteries) and cell phones in a zip-type plastic bag and place on the lid of your blue Recycle Cart for recycling on your collection day. Tape button-type batteries individually and wrap cell phones in paper before placing in the zip-type bag.



USED MOTOR OIL & OIL FILTER RECYCLING

Beginning January 3, 2011, you can contact Recology for containers to collect and recycle your used motor oil and oil filters. You can also continue to use your own one-gallon clear plastic container for recycling your used motor oil and a zip-type plastic bag for your oil filter. Place the motor oil and oil filters on the street next to your Recycle Cart.



ON-CALL BULKY ITEM COLLECTION PROGRAM

You can schedule two On-Call Bulky Item pick ups annually with Recology for such items as old appliances, furniture, E-Scrap, organic material and garbage. Visit RecycleWorks.org for additional reuse or recycling options.



Visit RecologySanMateoCounty.com or RethinkWaste.org for instructional videos, program information and guidelines for these and other services.

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YES... Put these in your GREEN COMPOST CART

NO...
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**Food Scraps, Meat,
Poultry, Fish, Bones, Fruit,
Vegetables, Dairy**



**Food & Beverage
Soiled Paper**



Yard Trimmings

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NO... These items cannot go in your
GREEN COMPOST CART



- Plastics & Plastic Bags
- Aluminum & Metal
- Glass & Ceramics
- Garbage
- Animal Waste
- Sod, Dirt & Rocks
- Plywood
- Treated & Painted Wood
- Concrete, Stones & Bricks
- Household Hazardous Waste & Chemicals
- Palm Fronds

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RECYCLE

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YES... Put these in your BLUE RECYCLE CART

All containers must be empty. Rinsing not necessary.



Plastic Containers
Numbered ♻️ 1-7



Glass Bottles
& Jars



Metal Cans,
Aluminum Foil,
Small Scrap Metal



Paper, Cardboard, Milk
& Juice Cartons, Paper
Egg Cartons, Newspaper,
Magazines, Junk Mail

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NO... These items cannot go in your **BLUE RECYCLE CART**

- Garbage
- Food
- Plastic Bags & Plastic Film
- Styrofoam Packaging, Food Containers & Packing Peanuts
- Toys
- Ceramics, Glassware, Mirrors, Window Glass & Light Bulbs
- Nursery Plant Containers
- Plastic Buckets & Baskets
- Automotive Parts
- Small Household Appliances
- Wires, Banding, Chains & Cables
- Hand Tools
- Batteries & Cell Phones
- Household Hazardous Waste & Chemicals
- Bubble Wrap
- Black Plastic

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NO... These items cannot go in your **BLACK GARBAGE CART**

- Recyclable Glass, Cardboard, Metal, Paper & Plastic
- Food Scraps & Food Soiled Paper*
- Yard Trimmings*
- TVs, Computers, Music Players & Other Electronics
- Medicines
- Sharps
- Batteries & Cell Phones
- Fluorescent Lights, Tubes & CFLs
- Liquids
- Motor Oil & Filters
- Sod, Dirt & Rocks
- Concrete, Stones & Bricks
- Household Hazardous Waste & Chemicals

**Place these in your Compost Cart starting, January 3rd.*

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*Your New
Carts Have
Arrived!*

How to Use Your New Carts NOW until December 31, 2010:

You can begin using your new CartSMART carts immediately on your current collection schedule. Recycling and yard trimmings (except for San Carlos) will continue to be collected **every other week** until January 3, 2011.

RECYCLE CART: *No more sorting! With single-stream recycling, you can mix your newspaper, junk mail, cardboard and other paper products with your plastic, metal and glass containers.*

COMPOST CART: *Use your new green Compost Cart the same way as you have been using your current green Yard Trimmings* Cart by placing only materials that come from your yard. (No change for San Carlos residents. Continue to put food scraps in with your yard trimmings for weekly collection.)*

GARBAGE CART: *Basically anything that doesn't go in the Recycle or Compost Cart will go in this cart now instead of your old garbage can.*



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Beyond the Cart

In addition to what's accepted in your new carts, we are continuing other recycling programs and services. These include curbside used motor oil collection and cell phone and household battery recycling. Bags with batteries and cell phones must now be placed **on the lid** of your new blue Recycle Cart.

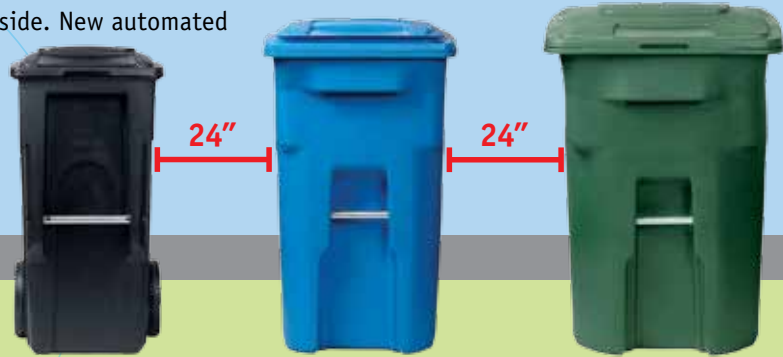
The twice-a-year **Bulky Collection Program** will also continue.

Visit www.RethinkWaste for more information.

TAKE ME

Proper Cart Placement for Collection

ALL THREE OF YOUR NEW CARTS must be placed curbside (in the street) with the wheels against the curb and the arrows on the lid pointing toward the street (with the handle facing away from the street), with about 24 inches between each cart. If you live on a street without a curb, place them roadside. New automated collection trucks will be used to pick up all three carts with a mechanical arm requiring proper placement for collection.



CURB OR ROADSIDE

**What
to Do**

with Your Old Cans, Tubs and Cart

Now that your new carts have arrived, here is what to do with your old Yard Trimmings Cart, recycling tubs and garbage cans. Allied Waste crews will pick up your old Yard Trimmings Cart* (except for those who purchased them directly from Allied Waste and wish to keep them) on your collection day immediately following the delivery of your new carts. Please make sure to set the old green cart out. You can choose to keep your recycling tubs if you like, but if you want them taken away simply place them upside down next to your new carts during a recycling collection week. You can also keep your old garbage can(s) that you purchased, but if you want it taken away, simply affix one of the "Take Me" stickers that are included on this information ring. You can set out your recycling tubs and garbage cans for Allied Waste to pick up on your collection day through December 31, 2010.

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