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Earth Day 2026

Join the Global Movement to Protect Our Planet

Earth Day is almost here! On Wednesday, April 22, 2026, people around the world will come together to take impactful steps towards protecting our planet. Earth Day highlights the importance of embracing sustainable practices and advancing clean energy initiatives in the fight against climate change.

Here's how you can participate:

- Go Green: Commit to reducing waste, using renewable energy, and supporting sustainable brands.
- Plant a Tree: Help reforest the planet by planting trees in your community.
- Host a Cleanup: Organize a group to clean up a local park, beach, or neighborhood.



Calendar of Events:

Holiday Collection Schedule

Valley Vista Services

observes the following holiday:

Memorial Day

Monday, May 25, 2026

Residential collection will be delayed by one day due to holiday.

Friendly Reminder: Correct Cart Placement



To ensure on-time collection service, please arrange your trash, recycling, and organics carts as follows:

- Place at the set-out site no earlier than 5 p.m. on the day before the scheduled collection, and place carts back on your property by 8 p.m. on the day of collection, or within two hours after collection, whichever is later.
- Set out carts with wheels against the curb. Place carts side by side, spaced about one (1) foot apart and at least three (3) feet from parked vehicles or other objects.
- Lids should fully close and remove any excess materials, if necessary.
- Ensure carts are not blocked as collection trucks require unobstructed access.
- Carts cannot block the normal movement of vehicles or pedestrians.

Keep Bike Lanes Clear

Residents with bike lanes in front of their homes should place carts on the sidewalk, not in the lanes for cyclists' safety. Carts will be retrieved from the sidewalk. Carts should also be placed back on your property after trash service.



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Spring Into Clean

Free Additional Services to Help You Declutter

Spring cleaning is the perfect time to declutter by getting rid of unwanted items and excess waste. Residential customers can schedule up to four (4) free pickups per year for the following items:

- **Bulky Items:** Unlimited number of small appliances, furniture, mattresses, etc.
- **Excess Green Waste:** Maximum of 10 bags/bundles per pickup. Bundles must be bound and less than four feet in length.
- **Excess Trash:** Maximum of five bags or disposable containers per pickup. Loose trash will not be collected.
- **Unwanted Clothing:** An unlimited number of bags of clothing per pickup.
- **Construction Demolition:** Two containers/bundles under 70 pounds each, per pickup.



Contact Valley Vista Services at (800) 442-6454 to schedule a bulky item pickup.

Too Toxic to Trash

The Los Angeles County Household Hazardous and Electronic Waste (HHW/e-Waste) Collection Program offers FREE and convenient ways to responsibly dispose of items that are too toxic and hazardous to go in the regular trash.

If combined with regular trash, HHW and e-waste items, such as lithium batteries, may cause fires and serious damage to the environment.

For more information or to find a HHW/e-Waste collection event or drop-off location in your area, please call (888) CLEAN-LA, Monday -Thursday, 7 a.m. - 5 p.m, or visit CleanLA.com



Take a Stand Against Illegal Dumping

Please help keep our communities clean by reporting illegal dumping in unincorporated Los Angeles County. Here's how you can take action:

- By phone: Call **(888) CLEAN-LA (253-2652)**
- By email: Send an email to dumping@pw.lacounty.gov
- By mobile app: Download the free **The Works** app on your iPhone or android to file a report



TAKE OUR SURVEY!



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Los Angeles County Public Works provides trash collection and recycling services for your community. To ensure you are receiving the highest level of service, we invite you to participate in a short survey. Scan the QR code to begin. If you need assistance with the survey, please call (888) CLEAN-LA.

For additional information, please call Valley Vista at (800) 442-6454, Monday - Friday, 8 a.m. - 5 p.m., or Los Angeles County Public Works at (888) CLEAN-LA, Monday -Thursday, 7 a.m. - 5 p.m.