

RENEWS



Reducing Holiday Food Waste



This holiday season, continue the tradition of sustainability by reducing food waste during holiday meals and gatherings.

- **Plan Ahead:** Make a grocery list to avoid buying more than you need.
- **Use What You Have:** Check your pantry and use ingredients before they expire.
- **Freeze Leftovers:** Freeze or repurpose leftovers for future meals.
- **Compost:** Use your VVS food scrap pail or start a backyard compost.

Safely Dispose of Holiday Waste



Batteries & Light Bulbs:

Household hazardous waste (HHW) should be kept out of trash and recycling carts. **For proper HHW disposal information, visit CleanLA.lacounty.gov/HHW or call (888) CLEAN-LA.**

Electronic Waste (E-Waste):

Keep electronics out of your recycling and trash carts. Have an old TV, phone, or other electronic item? **Schedule a FREE bulky-**

item pickup at

valleyvistaservices.com/bulky-item/ or call (800) 442-6454.



Holiday Tree Recycling



Valley Vista Services will collect and recycle holiday trees placed curbside on your regular collection day from **December 26, 2026 through the second week of January** for FREE. Please follow these guidelines in preparation for recycling your trees.



• **Remove all tree stands, lights, ornaments, tinsel and garland.**

• **Trees must be cut into lengths no longer than 6 ft.**

• **Flocked Trees and Fire Retardant Trees are accepted.**

After this free seasonal service has ended, holiday trees and other foliage must be cut down to fit into the standard 96-gallon green waste container (with the lid closed). If you have any questions, please contact us at valleyvistaservices.com/contact-us.

Upcoming Events

FREE Household Hazardous and Electronic Waste Drive-Thru Collection Events

November 7, 2026 | 9 AM - 3 PM

Royal Oak Middle School
303 Glendora Ave, Covina, CA 91724

December 19, 2026 | 9 AM - 3 PM

Brackett Field
Fairplex Dr. & W. McKinley Ave, La Verne, CA 91750

Christmas Cleanup: What Belongs in the Recycling Cart?

Recyclable Items

Plain paper items that are clean and free of glitter or metallic embellishments:



Gift Tags



Cardboard Boxes
(flattened)



Wrapping
Paper



Paper Gift
Bags

Non-Recyclable Items

Keep these items out of the recycling cart:



Ribbons



Bows



Tinsel



Bubble Wrap

Rainy Season Pickups



During the rainy season, heavy rain can wash debris into streets and waterways. Help prevent pollution from waste and recycling carts by following these tips:

- Watch for stormwater runoff around your property.
- Keep bins at least two feet from the curb, away from runoff areas.
- Bring bins back promptly after collection to avoid them being washed away.

If you are unable to locate your bin after heavy rains, please contact us at valleyvistaservices.com/contact-us.

Scheduling Bulky Item Pickups



To support the cleanliness of the community, Valley Vista Services provides Walnut residents with unlimited FREE bulky item pickups each year.

Three ways to schedule a bulky pickup:

1. Submit a request online at valleyvistaservices.com/bulky-item/.
2. Email an itemized list to vvsbulky@myvvs.com.
3. Contact customer service at (800) 442-6454.

Scan to Schedule



To ensure timely service, please submit your request at least 24 hours prior to your service day.

Holiday Schedule

Collection Service will **not** run on these holidays:

- New Year's Day
- Memorial Day
- Independence Day
- Labor Day
- Thanksgiving Day
- Christmas Day

If your regular collection day falls on or after one of these holidays, pick up will be delayed one day. Excluding holidays, our normal business hours are:

Monday through Friday, 8 a.m.- 5 p.m.
Saturday from 8 a.m.-1 p.m.



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