

# City of Los Altos Hills

## Garbage and Recycling Services Fact Sheet

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**CUSTOMER SERVICE INFORMATION:** Contact the applicable hauler regarding bin, billing, or other issues pertaining to curbside services. Large item pick-up available by calling (408) 283-4800.

<u>CITY CONTACT(S)</u>	<u>GARBAGE HAULER(S)</u>	<u>RECYCLING HAULER(S)</u>	<u>YARD TRIMMINGS</u>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Pak Lin</b>            Administrative Services Director            26397 Fremont Road            Los Altos Hills, CA 94022  <a href="mailto:plin@losaltoshills.ca.gov">plin@losaltoshills.ca.gov</a>            (650) 947-2515            Fax: (650) 941-3160  <a href="http://www.losaltoshills.ca.gov">www.losaltoshills.ca.gov</a></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>GreenWaste Recovery</b>            1500 Berger Dr.            San Jose, CA 95122            (408) 283-4800            Fax: (408) 287-3108</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">GreenWaste Recovery            1500 Berger Dr.            San Jose, CA 95122            (408) 283-4800            Fax: (408) 287-3108</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Green Waste Recovery</b>            1500 Berger Dr.            San Jose, CA 95112            (408) 293 – 4800            Fax: (408) 283 – 3108  <a href="http://www.greenwaste.com">www.greenwaste.com</a></p>

Hauler Website: [www.greenwaste.com/residential-services/los-altos-hills](http://www.greenwaste.com/residential-services/los-altos-hills)

### GARBAGE/RECYCLING PROGRAM INFORMATION

<b>PROGRAM ESTABLISHED</b>	July 1990.
<b>COLLECTION SCHEDULE</b>	Service every other week; call hauler for details.
<b>CONTAINER ISSUED</b>	<b>SFD:</b> Two commingle recycling bin.

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<b>MISCELLANEOUS</b>	
<b>CLEAN-UP EVENT/GARAGE SALE/SWAP MEET</b>	Two town-wide cleanup days (4 drop off areas). Call Town Hall: (650) 941-7222
<b>COMMERCIAL FRANCHISE AGREEMENT</b>	The Town of Los Altos Hills has a commercial franchise agreement with Green Waste Recovery Inc., which has the right to all recyclable materials. An independent recycler may only provide service for source-separated materials.
<b>YARD TRIMMINGS</b>	Free drop-off at no charge for yard trimmings and brush only. No wood, trees, lumber, rocks, sand, dirt, sod. Drop-off at Foothill Community College in the parking lot. Held 3 <sup>rd</sup> Saturday of each month from 9am-6pm. Call: (650) 949-7777.
<b>DEBRIS BOX INFORMATION</b>	The use of any debris box or roll-off service is allowed.
<b>HOLIDAY TREE REMOVAL</b>	Please contact GreenWaste Recovery at (408) 283-4800 for information.
<b>HOME COMPOSTING WORKSHOPS</b>	Call the Rotline at (408) 918-4640 or visit <a href="http://www.reducewaste.org">www.reducewaste.org</a> for information on upcoming composting workshops.
<b>HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE</b>	Call (408) 299-7300 or visit <a href="http://www.hhw.org">www.hhw.org</a> to schedule a drop-off.
<b>RECOMMENDED LANDFILLS</b>	The following landfills are available to the residents of Los Altos Hills:  Zanker Recycling 705 Los Esteros Road San Jose, CA 95134 (408) 263-2384
<b>SOLID WASTE ENFORCEMENT</b>	<b>Illegal Dumping</b> Los Altos Sherriff Department (Non-Emergency) (408) 299-3233  <b>Recycling Theft</b> Los Altos Sherriff Department (Non-Emergency) (408) 299-3233

For more information please contact the County of Santa Clara Recycling Hotline  
(800) 533-8414 or visit [www.RecycleStuff.org](http://www.RecycleStuff.org)

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<b>SINGLE FAMILY RATE INFORMATION</b>					
TYPE	FEE	SERVICE		COMMENTS	
		Front Yard	Back Yard		
<b>Garbage</b>	Refuse, 20-gallon	\$26.82	X		Fee for 0-100 ft from curb. Call GreenWaste for rate of a farther distance.
	Refuse, 35-gallon	\$37.41	X		Fee for 0-100 ft from curb. Call GreenWaste for rate of a farther distance.
	Refuse, 65-gallon	\$74.81	X		Fee for 0-100 ft from curb. Call GreenWaste for rate of a farther distance.
	Refuse, 95-gallon	\$112.21	X		Fee for 0-100 ft from curb. Call GreenWaste for rate of a farther distance.
	Refuse, Extra Can	\$8.57	X		Cost per additional 32 gallon
	Extra Garbage Tags	\$8.57	X		Per tag
<b>Recycling</b>			X		Included in garbage rates
<b>Yard Trimblings</b>			X		Included in garbage rates

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MATERIALS	COLLECTION		PREPARATION AND SORTING REQUIREMENTS
	Yes	No	
Aseptic Containers	X		Juice boxes accepted; place in commingle container.
Large Item Pick-Up	X		Two free clean up days a year are available: \$25.00 fee after that. Call GreenWaste for appointment.
Cans	X		Aluminum, tin, bi-metal and steel cans accepted; rinse and place in commingle container. <sup>1</sup>
Cardboard	X		Curbside Collection.
Household Batteries	X		Place in clear plastic bag on top of the recycling container.
Glass	X		Glass and food beverage containers; rinse and remove lids; place in commingle container. <sup>1</sup>
Newspaper	X		Must be bundled or placed in a paper bag; white paper, stationary and photocopies may be placed with newspaper; set adjacent to commingle container.
Magazines	X		Magazines and mixed paper are collected in a commingle container.
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Metals, Other		X	
Metals, Scrap		X	
Oil	X		Call GreenWaste for FREE oil jug. Place filled oil jug on curb near recycling cart for curbside collection.
Oil Filters	X		Call GreenWaste for FREE filter bag. Place filter bag on curb near recycling cart for curbside collection.
Plastics (#1-#7)	X		Place in commingle container. Place all plastic bags in single bag and tie.
Polystyrene (Plastic #6)		X	Place blocks in clear plastic bag and set next to recycling bin. NO "PEANUTS".
Yard Trimmings	X		Curbside Collection.

**FOOTNOTES**

<sup>1</sup> Metal cans, glass, and PETE plastic are mixed together in a commingle container for collection.