

Here are some common items we encounter during the holidays – and throughout the year: Where does it go? Recycling, Compost/Organics, Trash/Landfill or Special Handling?

Ribbons and Bows	Reuse is best but <b>Trash/Landfill</b> if you must.	Christmas Tree	<ul> <li>Boy Scouts of America, San Ramon Annual Fundraiser- Tree Pickup Day is Saturday, January 6, 2018. For a \$10 donation, local Boy Scouts will pick up your tree. Visit www.sanramonscouts.org, e-mail Trees@ sanramonscouts.org.</li> <li>Waste Management Yard Trimmings/Green Waste Cart- Cut tree into lengths that will easily fit into cart and allow lid to completely close. Place tree pieces into cart any time after holidays.</li> <li>Special One - Time Tree Pickup - Week of January 8, 2018 - Set out tree at curb for pickup by a special truck. Cut larger trees into lengths of 6 feet or less. Clean trees only. *Residents in multi-family buildings, please contact your property manager for disposal instructions.</li> </ul>
Broken Ornament	Trash/Landfill.	Cardboard Box & Bubble Wrap/Peanuts	<b>Recycle</b> cardboard boxes (always flatten to fit in cart) and Reuse bubble wrap, take to packaging store for reuse or <b>Trash/</b> <b>Landfill</b> if you must.
String of Lights	<b>Trash/Landfill</b> . Some home improvement retailers collect for recycling.	Polystyrene Foam	Trash/Landfill.
Poinsettia	Potted plants, cut flowers and wreaths can be <b>Composted</b> without their pots, florist foam or wire frames.	Loose Plastic Bags	Reuse is best but <b>Trash/Landfill</b> if you must.
Pie Tin	<b>Recycle</b> after wiping clean. Put paper towel in <b>Compost/Organics</b> .	Broken Dish or Glass	Trash/Landfill
Champagne Cork	<b>Compost/Organics</b> if real cork. Plastic corks are <b>Trash/Landfill</b> .	Holiday Card & Envelope	<b>Recycle</b> all envelopes and paper-only cards (no glitter, foil or photos).
Drumstick	<b>Compost/Organics</b> along with food scraps from meal prep and clean up.	gift Gift Cards	Trash/Landfill. Plastic gift and credit cards are not recycled.
Gift Box & Bag	Reuse is best but <b>Recycle</b> if beyond reuse.	Batteries	Do not place inside Trash/Landfill or Recycling containers. Seal batteries in a clear plastic bag and place on top of recycling cart.
Wrapping Paper	Foil and cellophane wrap are <b>Trash/</b> Landfill. Paper wrap (no glitter) can be <b>Recycled.</b>	Electronics & HHW	Do not place in Trash/Landfill or recycling containers. On-call collection of electronics, chemicals, paint, fluorescent lights, batteries, & needles from your doorstep at no additional charge. Call At Your Door Special Collection at 1-800-449-7587 or visit www.wmatyourdoor.com/ for program details.

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