



# Greening Our Community

News from Waste Management of Nevada County



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## Lose the Bag!

### Please do not place plastic bags in recycling.

Did you know that plastic bags and plastic film cannot be recycled through a single-stream recycling program?

Items such as air bags for packaging, plastic wrap, plastic take out bags and trash bags should never be placed in your recycling cart or bin.

Not only will those items end up in the trash, they could also end up costing you a contamination surcharge.

Please take plastic bags and film to a big-box store for recycling where accepted.



### Holiday Reminders

There will be no collection service on the following holidays:

- November 28 (Thursday)
- December 25 (Wednesday)
- January, 1 2020 (Wednesday)

Collections following a holiday will be delayed one day for the rest of the week. For example, if a holiday occurs on a Wednesday, Wednesday collection will occur Thursday, Thursday collection will occur Friday and Friday collection will occur Saturday.

### Waste Management

13083 Grass Valley Rd.  
Grass Valley, CA 95945

### Customer Service

530-7274-3090  
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**NO  
LOOSE BAGS**



**DO NOT BAG  
RECYCLABLES**



**NO PLASTIC FILM  
OR PACKAGING**

## Please Keep Cart Lids Closed

Materials must fit inside a container with the lid shut for regular service. Keeping lids closed and material inside containers helps:

- Minimize Service Delays
- Decrease Litter
- Prevent Rodents and Other Animal Scavengers
- Reduce Equipment Failure
- Eliminate Safety Risks
- Reduce Truck Fires



### Service Reminder:

#### McCourtney Road Transfer Station Hours

McCourtney Road Transfer station is open to the public during the following hours and days:

**Wednesday to Sunday  
8 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.**

Be sure to visit Nevada County's webpage ([www.mynevadacounty.com/1447/Solid-Waste](http://www.mynevadacounty.com/1447/Solid-Waste)) for up-to-date information and to view a live video of the gate area to determine wait times.

# Recycle Right!<sup>SM</sup>

## NOT ALL PLASTIC IS THE SAME.

Plastic objects from toys to water bottles are made with different materials that are not all recyclable. If the plastic isn't a bottle or container, place it in the trash.



**PLACE PLASTIC BAGS, FILM/WRAP IN TRASH**



**PLACE OTHER PLASTIC ITEMS IN TRASH**



**PLACE PLASTIC BOTTLES AND JUGS IN RECYCLING**



Recycle only empty plastic bottles/containers, glass jars/bottles, metal/aluminum cans and clean paper and cardboard.

## Recycling Calendar: Available Online!



Did you lose your collection calendar? You can find it online by visiting [nevadacounty.wm.com](http://nevadacounty.wm.com). Just scroll to the bottom of the page and click the link under the heading "What's My Collection Calendar?" Enter your address and a downloadable calendar will appear. If you don't have access to a computer, call customer service at 530-274-3090.

## Recycle Right. Here's How:



### RECYCLING



Recycle only empty plastic, metal and aluminum bottles/containers, empty glass jars/bottles, and clean paper and cardboard. Keep lid closed to avoid paper getting wet.



No plastic bags. Place recyclables directly into your container.



Keep food and liquids out of the recycling.



### GREEN WASTE



Place only grass clippings, leaves, flowers, wood branches and untreated lumber in your yard waste in your yard waste cart.



No plastic bags. Place recyclables directly into your container.



No plastic, glass, metal, treated wood, hazardous or pet waste.