

**MEDIA ADVISORY FOR JANUARY 18, 2014**

## **Coast Waste Management and the City of Del Mar to Host “2014 Del Mar Recycles” Drop Off Event for City Residents and Businesses**

**FOR MORE INFORMATION**

**Waste Management**

**Jamilah Lang**  
310-486-5183  
[Jlang2@wm.com](mailto:Jlang2@wm.com)

**Eloisa Orozco**  
619-778-6303  
[eorozco1@wm.com](mailto:eorozco1@wm.com)

*Event to Make it Easy for Residents and Businesses to Recycle and Dispose of Common Household Items in an Environmentally Safe Manner*

**WHAT:** In an effort to facilitate responsible disposal and recycling, Coast Waste Management and the City of Del Mar will be hosting the **2014 Del Mar Recycles** drop off event to provide City of Del Mar residents and businesses with the opportunity to more easily dispose of common household items in an environmentally safe manner. The event will offer on-site document shredding and the safe collection of non-controlled medications, sharps, compact fluorescent bulbs (CFL's), household batteries and cell phones. Please note, sharps and non-controlled medication drop off is limited to residents only.

**WHO:** This free event is open to City of Del Mar residents and businesses only.

**WHEN:** January 18, 2014 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

**WHERE:** City of Del Mar (upper parking lot)  
1050 Camino Del Mar  
Del Mar, CA 92014

**WHY:** By properly disposing of items, residents and businesses can help keep protect the environment by keeping those items away from the landfill and water streams.

**HOW:** Residents and businesses can bring any of the approved items to the drop off location. Limits are per person or business, per event.

### **Document Shredding**

- Limited to 3 standard office storage boxes

### **Compacted Fluorescent Bulbs**

- Tubes or bulbs
- Limited to 12 bulbs or tubes

### **Used Batteries**

- AA, AAA, C, D, 9-volt, Alkaline, Rechargeable, Lithium and coin cells, and small button size
- No limit

### **Sharps**

- Syringes, lancets or needles
- No limit
- For residents only, businesses are excluded

### **Medications**



**THINK GREEN.®**

- Non-controlled medications only
- No limit
- **For residents only, businesses are excluded**

#### **ABOUT WASTE MANAGEMENT**

Waste Management, Inc., based in Houston, Texas, is the leading provider of comprehensive waste management services in North America. Through its subsidiaries, the company provides collection, transfer, recycling and resource recovery, and disposal services. It is also a leading developer, operator and owner of waste-to-energy and landfill gas-to-energy facilities in the United States. The company's customers include residential, commercial, industrial, and municipal customers throughout North America. To learn more information about Waste Management visit [www.wm.com](http://www.wm.com) or [www.thinkgreen.com](http://www.thinkgreen.com).

###



**THINK GREEN.®**