Drop Off Locations

Some items cannot be placed in the garbage bins, such as electronics, appliances, and household hazardous waste. These items may be taken to different drop off locations throughout the County.

Tracy Material & Recovery Facility (MRF)

30703 MacArthur Dr., Tracy, CA 95377 (209) 832-2355 Hours of Operation: Mon.-Sat. 8 am to 4 pm www.tdswm.com

This facility accepts all items except for household hazardous waste, fees apply.

Household Hazardous Waste Facility

7850 R.A. Bridgeford St., Stockton, CA 95206 (209) 468-3066 Hours of Operation: Thurs.- Sat. 9 am to 3 pm

This facility accepts all household hazardous waste and electronics, free of charge to San Joaquin County residents.

Used Oil Locations

Please visit the City of Tracy GIS Portal website for used oil locations throughout the City, www.ci.tracy.ca.us or call (209) 831-4331.

County Landfills

Please visit the County of San Joaquin's web page at www.sigov.org/solidwaste.

City of Tracy, Public Works Solid Waste and Recycling 520 Tracy Blvd. Tracy, CA 95376 (209) 831-4331 www.RecycleInsideTheTriangle.com

2012 Collection Calendar

Residents **EAST of Tracy Blvd**. have the following collection on the corresponding weeks:

| RECYCLE WEEK | YARD WASTE WEEK |
|--------------------|--------------------|
| January - 9,23 | January - 2,16,30 |
| February - 6,20 | February - 1,13,27 |
| March - 5,19 | March - 1,12,26 |
| April - 2,16,30 | April - 9,23 |
| May - 1,14,28 | May - 7,21 |
| June - 1,11,25 | June - 4,18 |
| July - 9,23 | July - 2,16,30 |
| August - 6,20 | August - 1,13,27 |
| September - 3,17 | September - 10,24 |
| October - 1,15,29 | October - 8,22 |
| November - 1,12,26 | November - 5,19 |
| December - 10,24 | December - 3,17,31 |

Residents **WEST of Tracy Blvd**. have the following collection on the corresponding weeks:

| RECYCLE WEEK | YARD WASTE WEEK |
|--------------------|--------------------|
| January - 2,16,30 | January - 9,23 |
| February - 1,13,27 | February - 6,20 |
| March - 1,12,26 | March - 5,19 |
| April - 9,23 | April - 2,16,30 |
| May - 7,21 | May - 1,14,28 |
| June - 4,18 | June - 1,11,25 |
| July - 2,16,30 | July - 9,23 |
| August - 1,13,27 | August - 6,20 |
| September - 10,24 | September - 3,17 |
| October - 8,22 | October - 1,15,29 |
| November - 5,19 | November - 1,12,26 |
| December - 3,17,31 | December - 10.24 |

**Please note collection days are Monday - Friday. If collection day falls on one of the following recognized holidays, New Year's Day, Thanksgiving Day, and Christmas Day, your collection will be the following day for the remainder of that week.

All bins must be placed behind a gate or at the side of the garage within 24 hours after pickup per Tracy Municipal Code Section 5.20.200.



Garbage & Recycling Services

Recycling today for a cleaner tomorrow!



Garbage Service

The City of Tracy maintains a franchise agreement with Tracy Delta Solid Waste Management, Inc. (Tracy Disposal) for all solid waste services. The RESIDENTIAL program includes waste removal, curbside recycling collection, and yard waste removal. The COMMERCIAL and INDUSTRIAL programs offer a wide variety of debris boxes and compactors for waste removal and custom tailored recycling programs.

Garbage is collected in the **green bin** once a week. Bins must be placed in the street with wheels against the curb by 4 am on your garbage collection day. Lids must be closed.

Please ensure that bins are at least 3 feet away from each other.

The following items <u>are not accepted</u> in your garbage:

- ✓ Household Hazardous Waste ✓ Electronics
- ✓ Construction Debris
 ✓ Dirt/Rocks
- ✓ Computer Systems ✓ Tires

Special Collections

For extra garbage pick up or for bulky item removal, please call Tracy Delta Disposal at (209) 835-0601. Fees apply for all special collections.

For further information regarding upcoming events, please call (209) 831-4331 or visit the City's recycling website at:

 $\underline{www.RecycleInsideTheTriangle.com}.$

Garbage, recycling, and yard waste will not be collected on Thanksgiving, Christmas, and New Year's Day. Instead, collection will take place the following day.

Curbside Recycling

All-in-one, no separation needed!

The **blue recycling bin** should be placed along the curb by 4 am every other week for collection, alternating with the yard waste bin. Blue bins should be placed 3 feet from your garbage bin. Recyclable materials are collected with a different truck than your regular garbage, therefore, it is collected at a different time of day.

Place all the following items directly in your blue recycling bin:

- ✓ Glass bottles and jars
- ✓ Aluminum, steel, and tin cans
- ✓ Plastic containers and bottles
- ✓ Newspaper
- Corrugated cardboard and shoe boxes
- ✓ Polystyrene (#6)
- ✓ Frozen food boxes, cereal boxes, pizza boxes, junk mail, magazines, catalogs, and phone books
- ✓ Colored paper, paper bags, and envelopes
- Computer paper, paper (binder, school, and craft)
- ✓ Wrapping paper without foil

DO NOT place the following in the blue bin:

- ✓ Plastic bags and film
- ✓ Foil lined boxes, paper, or plastics
- ✓ Light bulbs
- Window panes, pyrex glass, mirrors, and drinking glasses
- ✓ Ceramics
- ✓ Motor oil containers
- ✓ Household hazardous waste or electronics.

For more information on recycling visit www.RecycleInsideTheTriangle.com.

HOLIDAY TREE RECYCLING

Trees are picked up curbside beginning December 26th through the first week in January on your regular collection day. No flocking, tinsel, ornaments, nails, or stands.



Yard & Garden Waste

Residential yard and garden debris is collected in the **brown bin**. Yard waste should be placed along the curb by 4 am every other week alternating with the recycling bin. Brown bins should also be placed 3 feet from your garbage bin.

Loosely place your grass clippings, leaves, flowers, weeds, yard trimmings, and small branches in your brown bin. Branches must not be larger than 6 inches in diameter and 3 feet in length. The lid must be closed.

DO NOT place the following in the yard bin:

- ✓ Plastic bags and film
- ✓ Animal waste
- √Gravel, rocks or concrete
- ✓Treated or painted wood
- ✓ Coated wood chips

Composting Operations

Yard and garden waste received from residential and commercial operations in the City of Tracy is taken to the Material Recovery Facility, where it is cleaned and ground up for composting. The composting process takes about 6 to 8 weeks. The finished organic compost is sold to public and private users who mix it with soil completing the "earth-to-earth" cycle.

Leaf Pick Up

Fall and Winter leaf pick up season typically begins the last week of November and continues through the first week of January. Only leaves may be placed at the curb for pickup. For more information, visit:

<u>www.RecycleInsideTheTriangle.com</u> or call (209) 831-4420.

* Brochure available in Spanish upon request



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