



GreenWaste of Palo Alto

Palo Alto's new contractor for waste collection, transportation and processing services.



New Truck – Same Faces

- All PASCO employees were hired on by GreenWaste
- New trucks, new services, but the same people



New Services

- Expanded recycling collection
- Commercial compostables collection (i.e., businesses, nonprofits, schools, multi-unit complexes)
- Annual Commercial Clean-up Day
- Increased Construction and Demolition (C&D) diversion
- GreenWaste Environmental Outreach Coordinators



Expanded Recycling Collection

Put more in your blue cart or bin

- More plastics
 - Rigid plastics (e.g., buckets, broken toys, lawn furniture, shelving)
 - Plastic bags and film plastics (e.g., packaging wrap from toilet paper, napkin and paper towel, pallet/shrink wrap). Please "bag" your bags
- Hardcover books
- Scrap metal
- Cell phones
- Electronics (e.g., laptops, game systems, computer CPUs, printers, keyboards, and peripherals)



Commercial Compostables Collection

Receive a green cart or bin to collect:

- Food scraps (e.g., meat, bones, breads, pasta, coffee grounds, dairy products, vegetables and fruits)
- Food-soiled paper (e.g., paper plates, napkins)
- Waxed cardboard
- Milk and juice cartons
- Landscape debris
- Compostable plastics



Annual Commercial Clean-up Day

- This new service is focused on reuse and recycling and includes collection of excess containerized recyclables and yard trimmings, and up to four bulky items.
- Bulky items collected include, but are not limited to:
 - Mattresses
 - Furniture
 - large and small appliances
 - Toilets
 - Sinks
 - Toys
 - Electronics
- No garbage



Increased C&D Debris Diversion

- All debris boxes will be sent to Zanker Road Landfill which will sort the material to recycle C&D debris.



Environmental Outreach Coordinators

- GreenWaste has 3 employees dedicated to working with the commercial sector to substantially increase recycling and composting levels through technical assistance and personalized help



Available Materials

- Guides
- Posters
- Stickers
- Detailed list of accepted materials



GreenWaste Contact Information

- Service Information
- Technical Assistance

GreenWaste of Palo Alto

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Zero Waste Contact Information

- Zero Waste basics
- Resources to help our community make Zero Waste a way of life

Zero Waste Palo Alto

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