



Westlake Village Recycling News

Spring 2023

Earth Day 2023 - Invest in Our Planet



All over the world, Earth Day is celebrated on April 22; however, at WM, Earth Day is truly every day. This year's theme is "Invest In Our Planet" and our WM team members are continuously working together for a more sustainable tomorrow to show how they can make a difference to help the environment at home and at the workplace.

You too can step up to live sustainably by making small changes; such as, flipping the switch in every room, walking to work, using less water, or planting a tree. What will you do today, for tomorrow?

Free Shred Events

Westlake Village residents are invited to safely and securely shred confidential documents during free document shredding events on Saturday, April 29 and Saturday, October 28 from 9am - 1pm at the at the Westlake Village Civic Center located at 31200 Oak Crest Dr. (enter at upper level parking lot driveway). Please place all papers in boxes or paper bags. Limit is four (4) boxes/bags per vehicle.



Bulky Item Pickup

Residents may request two free pickups per calendar year, with a combined maximum of six (6) items or 10 32-gallon bags per year. Typical bulky items include washer, dryer, couch, desk, electronic waste, etc. Additional bulky item pickups are available for a fee. Sign up or log in to your My WM account to conveniently schedule a bulky item pickup online.



Free Landfill Days

Westlake Village residents are invited to bring up to two (2) loads of unwanted materials free of charge to the Simi Valley Landfill and Recycling Center on any of the following Sundays from 10am - 4pm: April 16, July 16, and September 17. Must bring ID. For more information visit home.wm.com/westlake-village.

Senior Discount

A 10% Senior Discount is available to residents who meet the following criteria:

- 62 years of age or older
- Service account holder
- Head of household and occupant at the residence
- Does not participate in the Low-Income Discount Program.

To apply for a senior discount, please visit the website to download the application form. You can also visit our local neighborhood WM G.I. office at 195 W. Los Angeles Ave. in Simi Valley, Monday – Friday from 8:00 am – 4:30 pm.

Kitchen Food Waste Pail and Home Compost Bin

Visit the website to order a complimentary kitchen pail or home compost bin.



What Goes in the Organics Cart:

Ensure food scraps are placed in a plastic bag or paper bag before placing in your organics cart.



FOOD WASTE &
FOOD SOILED PAPER



YARD WASTE



PRODUCE



MEAT, FISH, & POULTRY



DAIRY



BREAD, PASTA, RICE,
GRAINS, COFFEE GROUND,
& FOOD SOILED PAPER



DO NOT INCLUDE:
FATS, OILS, OR GREASES
SERVEWARE/UTENSILS
PLASTIC CONTAINERS
FOAM CONTAINERS
HAZARDOUS WASTE
ELECTRONICS

What Goes in the Recycling Cart:

Place recyclables directly into your recycling cart -
Don't bag your recycling materials.



PLASTIC BOTTLES &
CONTAINERS



FOOD & BEVERAGE
CANS



GLASS BOTTLES &
CONTAINERS



FOOD & BEVERAGE
CARTONS



PAPER



FLATTENED CARDBOARD
& PAPERBOARD



DO NOT INCLUDE:
YARD WASTE
FOOD OR LIQUIDS
PLASTIC BAGS OR FILM
FOAM CONTAINERS
CLOTHING, FURNITURE
OR CARPET
BATTERIES
ELECTRONICS
HAZARDOUS WASTE

What Goes in the Trash Cart:

Trash may be contained in plastic bags.



FOAM CUPS &
CONTAINERS



GARDEN HOSE



BROKEN CERAMIC
DISHES & POTS



CANDY, SNACK, &
FOOD WRAPPERS



PLASTIC BAGS
OR FILM



DIAPERS



PET WASTE



CLOTHING &
TEXTILES



DO NOT INCLUDE:
FOOD OR LIQUIDS
RECYCLABLES
YARD WASTE
HAZARDOUS WASTE
ELECTRONICS
BATTERIES, TIRES, OR PAINT
FLAMMABLE MATERIAL