



Yard Waste Service (Every Other Week)

GREEN CART

OK FOR YARD WASTE RECYCLING

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| Brush | Shrubby |
| Cactus | Straw |
| Flower cuttings | Tree limbs up to 3 inches in diameter should be cut to 2-foot lengths |
| Flowers | Tree branches up to 6 inches in diameter should be cut to 1-foot lengths |
| Fruit | Vegetables |
| Garden trimmings | Weeds |
| Hay | Wood chips |
| House plants | |
| Lawn clippings | |
| Leaves | |
| Prunings | |



COMPOSTING AS AN OPTION

Free composting workshops are held periodically at a variety of locations throughout East and Central Contra Costa County.

For information about workshops in Brentwood call the City's Solid Waste Division at (925) 516-6090 or visit the City website at www.ci.brentwood.ca.us, click on "Operations/Maintenance" under Public Works in City Departments, then click on "Garbage and Recycling" in the Operations window. In the next window, under Recycling, click on "Compost Workshops."

To find free workshops offered throughout the county and other information about composting, grasscycling and gardening, visit www.cccrecycle.org and click on "Composting & Grasscycling."

NOT ACCEPTABLE FOR YARD WASTE RECYCLING

- Plastic bags or pots
- Rocks and concrete
- Sod and dirt
- Large tree trunks and stumps greater than 6 inches in diameter or more than 2 feet in length
- Palm fronds/bamboo
- Pet waste

AUTUMN LEAF BAG PROGRAM

The City's free leaf bag program helps beautify the City as well as assisting street sweeping efforts which keep storm drains free of debris and prevent flooding during the rainy season.

Operating from October 1 through the end of January, the program provides residents free leaf bags which can be picked up at City Hall, 708 Third St.

After filling your existing green cart(s) with leaves, fill the bags and place them curbside to the side of your carts, not in front of the carts. They will be collected on your yard waste pickup day at no additional charge. Only these bags will be collected at no additional charge.

A Friendly REMINDER ...



Place carts at curbside by 5 a.m. or the night before & remove by 10 p.m. of your pickup day. Leave 3 feet of space between carts.

HELPFUL HINTS

- Yard waste collections are **every other week** on the same day as your garbage service.
- Be sure all materials fit inside the cart with lid closed.
- No garbage or inorganic materials including recyclables like plastics, glass, metal and paper.