

Waste Management reminds Santa Barbara County customers of Independence Day holiday schedule, Offers tips to go “Red, White and Green” this Fourth of July

Trash and recycling services delayed one day in observance of Independence Day

Santa Barbara County, Calif.- June 20, 2013 - Waste Management Health Sanitation Service’s curbside residential trash and recycling pick-up schedule in Santa Barbara County will be delayed by one day beginning Thursday, July 4 and through the remainder of the week in observance of Independence Day.

This means customers in the following cities/unincorporated county areas who receive service on Thursdays and Fridays should place their carts out for pick-up one day later than usual this week:

- Unincorporated Northern Santa Barbara County
- City of Solvang
- City of Guadalupe

All local Waste Management operations will be closed on Thursday, July 4, with normal operations resuming on Friday, July 5.

With Fourth of July party planning underway, Waste Management would like to share a few eco-friendly party tips to go red, white, and green this Independence Day:

1. Become independent of disposable plates, cups and utensils and bring reusable party ware. This is not only good for the environment, but also saves money in the long run.
2. Set up a specially marked recycling container to collect aluminum cans and plastic bottles so that they don’t end up in the trash.
3. Try petroleum-free charcoal starter, which is available purchase at many household discount and hardware stores.
4. Use aluminum foil instead of plastic wrap to cover and store food. Clean foil can be cleaned and reused, or crumpled up and tossed into the recycling cart, making it the better option.

Customer service is available at 805-922-2121.

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 the largest residential recycler and also a leading developer, operator and owner of waste-to-energy and landfill gas-to-energy facilities in the United States. The

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