

Sharp Solution!

Customers who use hypodermic needles, syringes or lancets as part of their medical care will be pleased to know that **Recology Vallejo** and the City of Vallejo now host a convenient disposal option for these used materials at the Household Hazardous Waste Center, 2021 Broadway. The Center now accepts sharps from Thursday through Saturday, 8 AM until 4PM. Just secure



Recology Vallejo now offers free Sharps Disposal Service at the Household Hazardous Waste Center. A free sharps container will be given to the first 50 customers who come in and ask for one. Stop by today for yours!

your sharps in a sturdy container and bring them to the Center for disposal.

"It is illegal to dispose of sharps in the trash," explains **Recology Vallejo** General Manager, Ed Farewell. "We are glad that we can provide a safe and legal disposal option."

The City of Vallejo's Recycling Division has also located disposal containers at the Christian Help Center, 2166 Sacramento Street (553-8192); Florence Douglas Senior Center, 333 Amador Street (643-1044); Area Agency on Aging, 575 Sacramento Street (643-1798) and VALCORE Recycling, 38 Sheridan Street (645-8258).

"As a special incentive," said Farewell, "we are giving a free sharps disposal container to the first 50 customers who come in and ask for one. We are glad that we can provide this important service to customers."

Bulky Item Collection

Residential customers may schedule up to two Bulky Item Collections

each calendar year. Call **Recology Vallejo** at 552-3110 at least one day before your regular collection day to schedule your Bulky Item Collection. Two cubic yards of material may be set out for each collection. Two cubic yards equal about ten 33-gallon bags, a couch, refrigerator, or other large item. E-waste may be included in the two yards. Customers with a large amount of materials may combine their two Bulky Item Collection days into a single collection of four yards.

Dead Animals

Recology Vallejo will dispose of dead animals that are in public areas. Just call 552-3110 during office hours or 552-0221 after hours.

Curbside E-Waste Collection

Bring E-Waste to the **Recology** Recycling Facility at 2021 Broadway, Thursday through Saturday from 8AM until 4PM.

Most electronics with an electrical cord are accepted. There is a limit of

four computer monitors or four televisions per trip, and customers must unload their items. We will also collect E-waste at the curbside for a fee. Call us at 552-3110 to schedule an E-waste collection. Only **Recology Vallejo** is permitted to collect curbside E-waste in Vallejo. Other companies or individuals are doing so illegally.



Employees of **Recology Vallejo** hosted a rummage sale on May 1. All proceeds from the sale were donated to Vallejo's Relay for Life. This was a great way to raise funds for a worthy cause while keeping usable items from going to the landfill.

Vallejo Views

Important Updates!

Landlords should check the account status of all their rental property. In Vallejo it is the property owner, not the tenant, who is responsible for the payment of garbage bills. Notices of overdue accounts will be mailed out in September, but it is best to periodically check the account status of all rental property. Unpaid bills, along with additional penalties, can result in liens against your property. Customers can avoid these issues by checking their accounts. Please call 552-3110 to check your account status.

Coastal Cleanup in Vallejo

Join thousands of Americans around the nation who will help clean trash and debris from America's coastal areas, including local waterways in Vallejo. The Annual Coastal Cleanup Day will be held on Saturday, September 25.

Vallejo's Coastal Cleanup Day is sponsored by Vallejo Sanitation & Flood Control District, VALCORE, the City of Vallejo, the Greater Vallejo Recreation District, Solano County, and **Recology Vallejo**. Register by calling 55-EARTH or clicking on www.Recycle-Guide.com.



Recology is changing everything! It is not just the company that is getting a new look—many of our trucks are also proudly displaying Recology's new company colors and logo. Trucks are painted periodically, so look for our freshly painted ones in your neighborhood!

CARE Discount Rate

Customers who are enrolled in PG&E's CARE (California Alternative Rates for Energy) program qualify for discounted garbage rates. Just bring or mail a copy of your PG&E bill to our main office on Broadway Street, and we will apply the discount to your garbage rates.

Have You Been Missed?

Call us by noon if drivers miss your collection, and we will return the same day. If you call after noon, we will return on the following day to collect your materials. At least three trucks collect yardwaste, recyclables, and trash. These trucks do not all come at the same time, so some carts remain full until all trucks have visited your street.

Hello, Farewell!

Ed Farewell may be new to Vallejo, but he is no stranger to the **Recology** family of companies. Ed has taken the top spot as General Manager of **Recology Vallejo** and **Recology American Canyon**. He is the former General Manager of **Recology Vacaville Solano** and **Recology Dixon**.



Ed Farewell
General Manager

Ed worked with **Recology** while attending high school and earning his degree in Business Administration from Sacramento State. Ed became the Operations Supervisor in Vacaville in 1990. In 1994 he was promoted to the position of General Manager for an affiliated **Recology** company in Del Norte, California. Ed then returned to Vacaville as the General Manager in 1997.

Ed is carrying out the **Recology** tradition of giving back to the community here in Vallejo. He is already active with numerous community groups. Ed was a key member of **Recology's** Volunteer Committee when the group coordinated the recent landscaping project at the Continentals of Omega Boys and Girls Club in Vallejo.

Ed lives in Dixon with his wife, Alexis. Their son, Eddie, begins Vallejo's Maritime Academy this fall while daughter Lindsay enters high school in Dixon.

Thousands of visitors enjoyed the annual Pista Sa Nasyon festival celebrating Filipino culture and independence that was held on the Vallejo waterfront in June. **Recology Vallejo** was proud to be a sponsor of the event and to provide disposal and recycling services. **Recology** supports countless community events each year in Vallejo.



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