



HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE (HHW) and ELECTRONICS/COMPUTER (E- WASTE) DISPOSAL

You have two options for the disposal of your unwanted electronics waste and household hazardous waste. (For exact list, scroll down to page 2)

1. HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE (HHW) & ELECTRONICS WASTE (E-Waste):

Weekly Disposal Opportunity: There is a convenient and free weekly option for the proper disposal of HHW/E-Waste. There is a local permanent household hazardous waste and electronics waste collection facility open to all LA County residents. It is located in the neighboring City of San Pedro.

Gaffey SAFE Collection Center
1400 N. Gaffey Street, San Pedro
Open every Saturday and Sunday
(It is closed on weekdays)
From 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

For a Map of the Location, [Click Here](#)

Direction: The collection facility is located on Gaffey Street, close to the 110 Freeway. Opposite the DMV, by the railroad tracks. It is close to the new Target store. It is between Capital Dr. and Channel St., next to a smog check shop. Drive slowly. It has a small sign and it's easy to pass by and miss it!

Annual Disposal Opportunity: The City hosts annual roundups at the RPV City Hall/ City Yard facility located at 30940 Hawthorne Blvd. in Fall of each year. The PV Peninsula's next Annual Household Hazardous Waste /Electronics Waste Roundup is on:

**Saturday, May 5, 2012
9 am to 3 pm
RPV City Hall/ City Yard
30940 Hawthorne Blvd.**

Clean out your garage and/or gardener's shed, and help the environment. If you can not make it to this roundup, the Gaffey SAFE center is open every week.

Additionally, LA County organizes HHW/E-Waste events every Saturday throughout LA County. Please call 1-888-CLEANLA, or check: www.CleanLA.com or www.lacsd.org for another convenient roundup location.

2. ELECTRONIC WASTE (E-Waste) ONLY:

EDCO and Universal Waste Systems (the City's two residential trash haulers) pickup unwanted electronics waste at curbside free of charge. The acceptable items include TV's, computer monitors, CPUs, printers, etc. However, you **must** call their customer service first and schedule an electronic/bulky item pickup. The e-waste gets collected by a separate truck (not the regular trash truck), so your items will not be picked up unless you call in advance and schedule a collection. Pickup is typically scheduled on your next pickup day. There is a limit of four free collections per year (and each time up to 4 items can be collected). No household hazardous waste is accepted.

EDCO: (310) 540-2977

Universal Waste Systems: (800) 631-7016

If your item is in usable condition, please first contact a charity. There are several charitable organizations that could use your unwanted items. For example the Salvation Army (800) 958-7825, Goodwill (562) 435-7741, United Cancer Research Society (800) 443-4224, or St. Vincent de Paul (800) 974-3571, etc. Not only will your unwanted items help a needy person or a good cause, but it will also help the City meet State mandates by reducing the trash going to landfills. Your donation could also be tax deductible.

LIST OF ACCEPTABLE AND UNACCEPTABLE ITEMS

✓ ACCEPTABLE E-WASTE ITEMS:

Computer Monitors, CPU's, Printers, Network Equipment, Cables, Telephones, TV's, Microwave Ovens, Video Games, Cell Phones and batteries, Radios, Stereos, VCRs & DVD Players, Answering Machines, Printers & Fax Machines, and Electronic Toys. They can be in working or non-working condition. The electronic waste cannot be from businesses. A limit of 3 CRT's per household/ per vehicle.

X NOT-ACCEPTABLE E-WASTE ITEMS:

No Appliances (refrigerators, washing machines, ovens), No Furniture, No paper, No Computer Software. If you have unwanted appliances, first contact a charitable organization (see list and phone numbers above). If the item is not wanted, then contact your waste hauler for a free bulky item pickup.

✓ ACCEPTABLE HHW ITEMS:

Paint and Solvents, Used Motor Oil and Filters, Anti-Freeze and other Automotive Fluids, Cleaning Products, Pool and Garden Chemicals, Aerosol Cans, Herbicides & Pesticides, Fluorescent Lights, Asbestos, Old Medicine, sharps/Needles (in secure container), Household and Car Batteries, Mercury thermometers and Propane Tanks. Limit of 15 gallons or 125 pounds per vehicle.

X NOT-ACCEPTABLE HHW ITEMS:

No waste from Businesses, No Ammunition, No Explosives, No Radioactive Material, No Biological Waste, No Tires, and no Trash.

NOTE: There is no charge for the Acceptable Items. If your items are small, just put them in a box, preferably in their original container. You do not need to unload anything. Just sit in your car and trained workers will remove the items from your vehicle.

CONTACT INFORMATION: For additional information visit the County website www.lacsd.org, www.CleanLA.com for more information, or call 1-888-CleanLA, or 1-800-238-0172.

Thank you for recycling.

RPV Public Works

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