



# City of Camarillo

## Refuse & Recycling Services

The City of Camarillo is pleased to offer our customers multiple refuse service levels, with corresponding volume-based charges. Curbside recycling is an integral part of each service level. Yard waste recycling is provided with both Standard and High Volume Service. Please select a service option based on your disposal habits.

All customers should place refuse in **green** barrels, curbside recyclables in **blue** barrels and yard debris and wood waste in **tan** barrels (except for minimum service customers). Refuse and yard debris are collected weekly. Refuse placed outside the **green** barrel or yard waste outside of the **tan** barrel will **NOT** be picked up! Recyclables are collected bi-weekly. Recyclables that don't fit in the **blue** barrel will be picked up free of charge by calling E.J. Harrison & Sons at (805) 647-1414 prior to a recycling day. You will receive the collection schedule for your neighborhood when starting services.

For more information, please call Customer Service at (805) 388-5325.

### STANDARD SERVICE - \$28.89 per month

Most Camarillo residents subscribe to this service option.

- 96-gallon, **green** refuse barrel, and
- 96-gallon, **tan** yard debris barrel, and
- 96-gallon, **blue** recycling barrel.

Upon request, a smaller 64- or 32-gallon refuse barrel will be provided for the **same monthly rate**.



Weekly refuse



Weekly yard debris



Bi-weekly recycle

### HIGH VOLUME SERVICE - \$36.26 per month

For customers with large amounts of refuse or yard debris. Two barrel configurations are offered.

- **Two green** refuse barrels—one 96-gallon and one 64-gallon (160 gallons), and
- **One** 96-gallon, **tan** yard debris barrel, and
- 96-gallon, **blue** recycling barrel.



Weekly refuse



Weekly yard debris



Bi-weekly recycle

—OR—

- **One** 96-gallon, **green** refuse barrel, and
- **Two** 96-gallon, **tan** yard debris barrels (192 gallons), and
- 96-gallon, **blue** recycling barrel.



Weekly refuse



Weekly yard debris



Bi-weekly recycle

### MINIMUM SERVICE - \$25.13 per month

Customers with small amounts of refuse and yard debris.

- 32-gallon, **green** refuse barrel, and
- 96-gallon, **blue** recycling barrel.
- Yard debris barrel **NOT** supplied.

All refuse, **including** yard debris, must fit **inside** the 32-gallon refuse barrel!



Weekly refuse



Bi-weekly recycle

### Collection Services

Refuse and yard debris barrels are emptied weekly; curbside recyclables bi-weekly. Trucks may arrive any time between 7 A.M. and 5 P.M. on collection day. Barrels must be at the curb by 6:30 A.M. and removed from public view by 12 midnight on collection day or be subject to a \$50 fine. Barrels must weigh **less than 100 pounds** or a service fee will be charged. Refuse and yard debris must fit inside the appropriate barrel or display an "extra service" tag. To report a **missed collection** call E.J. Harrison at **647-1414**.

For occasional extra refuse, service tags are available for purchase at City Hall, 601 Carmen Drive. Each \$5 tag may be used to discard an extra bag of refuse. Call 388-5325 for more information.

### Holidays

Refuse, curbside recycling and yard debris will not be collected on the following holidays:

- New Year's Day
- Memorial Day
- Independence Day
- Labor Day
- Thanksgiving Day
- Christmas Day

Pick up will be one day late following a holiday that occurs during the week, with Friday collections made on Saturday. If the holiday falls on a weekend, refuse will be picked up on the regularly scheduled day.

## Collection Services—Cont.

### Subscription Level Adjustments

Service levels may be adjusted one time in a 12 month period **FREE** of charge. Additional changes will incur a \$25 charge.

### Bulky Item Collection Program

E.J. Harrison & Sons will collect two bulky items per calendar year—**free of charge**—(not including special disposal fees). Accepted items include mattresses, dishwashers, water heaters, furniture, etc., and tree stumps that weigh less than 50 pounds.

Harrison will bill customers separately for freon removal (refrigerators, freezers, window air conditioners), Cathode Ray Tube (CRT) handling (computer monitors and televisions) and other items that require special handling such as tires. Call **647-1414** to arrange for this service.

### Vacancy Exemption

If refuse has not been generated for the previous sixty days, and the property will continue to be vacant for the foreseeable future, a resident may apply for a vacancy exemption. If a vacancy exemption is approved a \$25 fee will be assessed when barrels are removed. For more information, call Customer Service at 388-5325.

## Special Services

### Refuse Bin Rental

3- and 4-cubic yard refuse bins and large roll-off containers may be rented for those big clean-up projects. Call E.J. Harrison at **647-1414** to arrange for bin rental. Harrison will bill you directly for these services.

### Household Hazardous Waste Program

Household hazardous wastes (HHW) like paint, solvents, pesticides, pool chemicals, household cleaners, batteries, fluorescent light tubes, etc., must **NOT** be discarded in refuse or recycling barrels. The city's HHW drop-off center is open the second Friday and Saturday of each month. Please call **987-0717** to schedule an appointment or online at [www.cityofcamarillo.org](http://www.cityofcamarillo.org).

Used motor oil and oil filters may be recycled at State-certified oil recycling centers. Call **1-800-CLEANUP** for locations.

### Electronic Waste Recycling Program

Televisions and monitors must **NOT** be discarded in landfills because they may contain toxic materials. Recycle electronic wastes, free of charge, at Gold Coast Recycling, 5275 Colt Street, Ventura, **642-9236**. Proof of residency is required. For other locations, visit [www.cityofcamarillo.org](http://www.cityofcamarillo.org).



## RESIDENTIAL CURBSIDE RECYCLING PROGRAM

Recycle the following materials in the **blue** recycling barrel. Collection is **bi-weekly**. Recyclables that don't fit in the **blue** barrel will be picked up free of charge by calling E.J. Harrison & Sons at 647-1414 prior to a recycling day. Put extras in cans, bags or boxes next to the **blue** barrel for collection.

### Metal Containers



All aluminum, tin and steel beverage and food cans. All aluminum foil.

### Plastics (1 through 7)



All hard plastics including nursery pots, yogurt containers & toys are recyclable.



Do **NOT** put Styrofoam™, plastic film, bubble wrap, and plastic bags in your blue barrel.

Call 388-5392 for information.



### Paper & Cardboard



Newspapers, magazines, catalogs, "junk" mail & envelopes, paper bags, cardboard (flattened, cut to 4' by 4'), phone books, paper board such as cereal-type boxes, egg cartons, juice boxes, and milk cartons.

Do **NOT** put used paper towels, tissue, clothing rags, and soiled pizza boxes in your blue barrel.

### Glass Containers



All colors of food & beverage containers. (Lids & labels okay.)

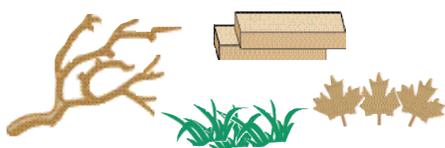
Do **NOT** put ceramics, glassware, mirrors, window glass, food waste, and diapers in your blue barrel.

## YARD & WOOD WASTE COLLECTION PROGRAM

Yard debris and wood wastes are collected **every week** on your regular trash day. All yard waste must fit **inside** the **tan** barrel. To maximize efficiency, please wait until the barrel is full before placing it out for collection.

### Acceptable Materials

- Grass
- Leaves, Pine Needles
- Yard Trimmings
- Small Branches (4' long by 4" diameter)
- Wood, Lumber
- Christmas Trees



### Unacceptable Materials

- **PLASTIC BAGS**
- Stumps
- Yucca, Palm, Iceplant
- Animal Waste/Manure
- Sod, Dirt, Rocks
- Trash



Place these materials in a **green** refuse barrel for disposal. Fully-loaded barrels must weigh **less than 100 pounds**.

