Why Recycle?

- Beginning July 1, 2012, California State Law requires that all businesses that generate 4 or more yards of waste per week and apartments with 5 units or more must incorporate recycling as part of solid waste services.
- Recycling helps conserve resources and creates a healthier environment for our community and future generations.
- Providing recycling helps promote your business as environmentally friendly.

How to get started.

It's easy to recycle.

- Use the information on the inside of this brochure to learn what items are recyclable.
- To increase recycling efforts, make sure to separate your garbage from recyclable items.
- Place all garbage in a sealable trash bag. Place the sealed bag into the bin. The sealed bag will keep the recyclable materials cleaner.
- All recyclables are placed loosely into the bin.
- Once the bin is delivered to the Materials Recovery Facility, the bagged garbage is pulled out of the sorting line and sent to the landfill. The recyclable materials are sorted and separated and sent to processors for reuse.

Where to go for more information.

For more information on services, please call:

South Tulare RICHGROVE Refuse, Inc. STRR

210 Richgrove Drive, Richgrove, CA 93261

(661) 725-0265 . . .www.STRRinc.com

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Other Recycling Solutions...

BUILDING MATERIAL AND HOUSEHOLD GOODS

Habit for Humanity - 734-4040, www.hfhtc.org
637 S. Lovers Lane, Visalia. Accepts donations of gently used and new building materials and household goods.
Deliveries: Tues-Fri...9am-4:30pm, Sat...9am-3:30pm
Open: Tues-Fri...9am-5pm, Sat...9am-4pm

ELECTRONIC WASTE

- **South Tulare Richgrove Refuse, Inc. (661) 725-0265**
  210 Richgrove Drive, Richgrove, CA 93261
  Open: Monday - Friday...8am-5pm
- **Tulare County Recycling:** 741-1766
  26951 Road 140, Tulare
  (Lovers Lane, south of Ave 272)
  Fees for large copiers, printers, servers, etc.
  Open: Tues-Sat...8am-4pm

FLUORESCENT TUBES & BULBS

Tulare County Recycling: 741-1766
26951 Road 140 (Lovers Lane, south of Ave 272)

IRON & STEEL

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POLYSTYRENE (*Styrofoam, etc.*)

Tempo Plastic - 651-7711... *Clean polystyrene only.*
1227 N. Miller Park Ct., Visalia

ROAD AGGREGATE

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TIRES

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TREATED WOOD *(Railroad ties, telephone poles, etc.)*

Kings Waste & Recycling Authority: 583-8829
7803 Hanford-Armona Road, Hanford
Open: Mon-Fri...7am-4pm, Sat...7am-3pm, Sun...8am-12noon

USED PALLETS

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What Businesses and Apartments Need To Know About

RECYCLING

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RECYCLING REQUIREMENTS FOR BUSINESSES & APARTMENTS

Recycling helps conserve resources and creates a healthy environment for our community and future generations. Garbage materials are place into a bag. Seal the bag and placed into the tan bin. Recyclable materials are placed loosely into the same tan bin. **For more information, please visit www.STRRinc.com or call (661) 725-0265.**

GARBAGE

Place all of these items in the garbage:

- Aluminum Foil - contaminated with food scraps
- Candy Wrappers
- Cardboard Roll/Box with Plastic Wrap attached
  Or, remove the plastic wrap, and place in recycling.
- Ceramics
- Clothes
- Diapers - clean or dirty
- Dryer Lint and Dryer Sheets
- Fabric
- Juice Boxes and Foil or Coated-Paper Drink Pouches
  (Flavored drinks, Hi-C, Juicy Juice, or Capri Sun)
  Made of two different materials, not recyclable.
- Mirrors
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- Old Shoes
- Plastic Grocery Bags - dirty
- Plastic Toys - Made of two different materials, not recyclable.
- Porcelain and China - Made of clay/glazing.
- Potato Chip or Foil Cookie Bags
  Made with Mylar, not recyclable.
- Resealable Storage Bags - *(Ziploc, sandwich, storage, etc.)*
- Polystyrene/Foam - place pellets into bag & seal
- Glass Windows
- Palms, Bamboo, or Yucca
  (cut to smaller portions, container lid must close)
- Meats, Poultry Fish, Seafood, Dairy etc.

RECYCLE

Place all of these items loosely into the recycling bin.

PAPER - *Exception: paper with a waxy or foil coating.*

- Office Paper
  Staples are okay...REMOVE paper clips.
- Cardboard, Cereal, Gift, and Shoe Boxes
  Flatten boxes
- Catalogs, Junk Mail, Magazines, Newspapers
- Chipboard Boxes
  (cracker, cereal, crayon, detergent boxes, etc.)
  Flatten boxes
- Wrapping Paper
- **Milk Cartons**
- Paper Bags - *place dirty bags in yard waste*
- Paper Egg Cartons
- Pizza Boxes - *must be clean, used boxes-place in yard waste*
- Post-It Notes, Shredded Paper - *place into bags and seal*
- Poster Board
- Telephone Books

CANS - rinse, dry containers

- Aluminum Cans, Steel/Tin Cans
  (soup, vegetable, fruit, or pet-food cans, etc.)
- Aluminum Foil - Clean only

GLASS - remove lids and rinse containers

- Glass Bottles, Jars & Lids-remove lid and rinse
  (applesauce, pasta sauce, juice, tea, beer, wine, colored-glass bottles, etc.)

PLASTIC - rinse, dry containers or bags

- Plastic Cups (not foam), knives, forks, spoons
- Dry-Cleaning Bags
- Plastic Bottles & Containers, Lids - remove lids
  (milk, juice, bleach, liquid detergent, shampoo, soda bottles, etc.)
- Clean Plastic Grocery or Yard Waste Bags

GLASS or PLASTIC Bottles with "CRV"

- "CA Redemption Value", or "CA-Refund" on the label. Any plastic with the following recycling symbols:

1 2 3 4 5 7

Place Recyclables Loosely into Tan Bin

Recyclables

Recyclables - Loose

Place Garbage in a Bag

Tie the Garbage Bag

Place Tied Bag inside Blue Bin

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