



# Islando Recycling

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## On-Call Clean Up

Residents of single-family and multi-plex buildings (with 4 or fewer units) have the opportunity to schedule an On-Call Clean Up service once every 12 months at no charge. Through the On-Call Clean Up program, ACI will collect:

- Up to 2 cubic yards of unwanted household items
- Properly contained latex paint
- Household batteries
- Up to 3 bulky items like sofas, large appliances, mattresses, etc.

For more information or to schedule your On-Call Clean Up, visit [www.AlamedaCountyIndustries.com](http://www.AlamedaCountyIndustries.com) or call (510) 483-1400.



## Be Green When You Spring Clean!

Recycle the stuff you don't want! Make sure your unwanted but usable items (like pots, tools, etc.) are not recycled or landfilled prematurely. Sell these items at a local consignment shop, post them on [FreeCycle.org](http://FreeCycle.org) or Craigslist, or consider donating them to one of these charities:

- Goodwill Industries  
[EastBayGoodwill.org](http://EastBayGoodwill.org) or (510) 698-7200
- Oakland Museum Women's Board  
[WhiteElephantSale.org](http://WhiteElephantSale.org) or (510) 839-5919
- Salvation Army  
[SATruck.org](http://SATruck.org) or (800) SA-TRUCK
- St. Vincent de Paul  
[SVDP-Alameda.org](http://SVDP-Alameda.org) or (510) 638-7600
- Changing Gears Bike Shop (*bikes and bike parts only*)  
[ChangingGearsBikes.org](http://ChangingGearsBikes.org) or (510) 995-1478



## ACI Provides Service on Memorial Day and July 4<sup>th</sup>

There are **NO** changes to the collection schedule during the weeks of Memorial Day or July 4<sup>th</sup>. Please remember to place your carts at the curb prior to 6:00 a.m. on your regular service day.





## Don't Forget to Take Care of Your Carts!

Keep your carts clean and functional by wiping them down every few weeks. Take care to use only as much water as necessary and to drain used water over a landscaped area.

And please be sure to scoop up and bag or box residue before placing in the appropriate cart!

Have a damaged cart? Report it to ACI and a repair or replacement will be scheduled for your next service day. You can reach us through the "Contact Us" page on [AlamedaCountyIndustries.com](http://AlamedaCountyIndustries.com) or by phone at 510-483-1400.

After service, store carts out of sight and off the street. Keep the lids closed to prevent water or critters from getting inside.



### Sorting Tips:

**Shredded Paper:** Contain in a paper bag or box and secure with a staple or tape. Place in your blue Recyclables cart.

**Packaging Peanuts:** Contain peanuts in a sealed bag or box. Place in your gray Garbage cart or donate to a mailing store.

**Plastic Bags:** Put bags in your gray Garbage cart. Avoid single-use disposable bags whenever possible. Invest in reusable bags.



## Save the Dates

### Mayor's Annual 4<sup>th</sup> of July Parade

Monday  
July 4<sup>th</sup>

### Park Street Art & Wine Faire

Saturday & Sunday  
July 30<sup>th</sup> & 31<sup>th</sup>

Visit [www.AlamedaCountyIndustries.com](http://www.AlamedaCountyIndustries.com) for more information on these and other exciting events.



**Office Hours:**  
Monday - Friday  
7:00AM to 6:00PM



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