

Tehama County's

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Collection Event Information

What is Household Hazardous Waste (HHW)?

E-Waste

What is Electronic Waste (e-waste)?

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Free Collection Events: October

When	What	Who	Where
Everyday!	E-Waste Collection Now accepted every day	Tehama County Residents and Businesses	Tehama County/ Red Bluff Landfill 19995 Plymire Road Red Bluff, CA
Saturday, October 13 th 8AM-12PM	No quantity limit Household Hazardous Waste Collection Maximum of 15 gallons or 50 pounds per load	Tehama County Residents Businesses: Small fee(s) apply Call 528- 1103 for more information	Tehama County/ Red Bluff Landfill 19995 Plymire Road Red Bluff, CA
Saturday, October 13 th 9:30AM- 11AM	Free Compost Class and Landfill Tour Learn to make your own compost and tour the landfill	Tehama County Residents and Businesses	Tehama County Solid Waste Management Agency Office 20000 Plymire Road Red Bluff, CA
Saturday, October 27 th 8AM-12PM	Household Hazardous Waste Collection Maximum of 15 gallons or 50 pounds per load	Tehama County Residents Businesses: Small fee(s) apply <i>Call 528-</i> 1103 for more information	Corning Disposal (HHW Facility) 3281 Highway 99W Corning, CA
Saturday, October 27 th 8AM-12PM	E-Waste Collection No quantity limit	Tehama County Residents and Businesses	Tehama County Dept. of Social Services 310 S. Main Street Red Bluff Corning Park & Ride Corner of Third Street & Solano Street

See **Upcoming Events** for this Fall's collection events.

DID YOU KNOW?

The beauty of fall brings with it the reality of having to deal with the debris left behind from our favorite shade providing friends. The question then becomes, "What should I do with all of these leaves?" Here are a few tips to help you deal with this annual chore:

Mulch them!

Leaves, when left to decay in the street, will release phosphorous, which can find its way into storm drains and waterways—<u>better to shred them finely with a mulching mower and let them fertilize the lawn</u>. Or rake choppings under shrubs and onto flower and vegetable beds as mulch.

Compost them!

Decaying leaves also generate carbon, which helps turn food scraps into "black gold"—good for gardening. In a mixed pile, keep the ratio of dead leaves to grass clippings at about 2-to-1. Spread the leaves on top so they can soak up the moisture in food scraps and help keep a lid on odors; turn over regularly to discourage pests. Or just compost the leaves alone in a pile to make a nutrient rich leaf mold to add to your garden.

For more information on recycling yard waste in Tehama County or other programs available to Tehama County businesses and residents, visit www.tehamacountylandfill.com or call 528-1103.

As always, please **do not forget to recycle**! It's good for the County and good for the wallet.