



# Bay View Refuse & Recycling Service, Inc.

## Residential Newsletter

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As your service provider, Bay View Refuse understands the critical role our service provides in relation to maintaining a safe and healthy community,

### SAVE THE DATE! Compost Giveaway

Saturday, June 8th, 10am to 2pm

Kensington Community Center parking lot  
Bring your own cans/bags.

### Shredded Paper, Blue Cart or Green Cart?

Your Green Cart can actually be the best option for shredded paper. It mixes well with other organics to make good compost. Adding shredded paper helps to absorb moisture in the Green Cart. You can also add shredded paper to the bottom of your kitchen pail to help with the "ick" factor.



Shredded paper can also be recycled if placed in a brown paper bag and securely closed before placing in the Blue Cart. Why bag it? Shredding a piece of paper shortens its fibers, which limits its recycling potential and making it difficult to process at the recycling facility.



Questions? Contact Us!



### Call Us For Proper Disposal

**Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) and Electronics (e-waste)** is the unused

or leftover portion of any hazardous chemicals or materials. Any leftover household product that is labeled with DANGER, WARNING, TOXIC, CAUTION, POISON, FLAMMABLE, CORROSIVE, or REACTIVE is considered a household hazardous waste. We all know it HHW is a hazard and illegal to dispose of in the Garbage, Landfill, or down Sinks, Sewers or Storm drains. **A call to Bay View Refuse and Recycling can help you with proper disposal.** No need to load up your car and make a trip to the HHW Center, Bay View can pick it up from you at no additional cost. Why call us? So we can help with evaluating the material you have and schedule collection.

#### Examples of HHW\* are listed below:

- Aerosol Cans
- Automotive Fluids
- Batteries (auto, household, & rechargeable)
- Computer, Monitors, Televisions, Laptops, Printers and cellphones
- Fertilizers
- Fluorescent Lamps – including tubes and Compact Fluorescent Lamps (CFLs)
- Household Cleaners
- Mercury Items (including thermometers & thermostats)
- Motor Oil & Oil Filters
- Paint & Stains (latex & oil)
- Pesticides
- Propane Tanks
- Solvent

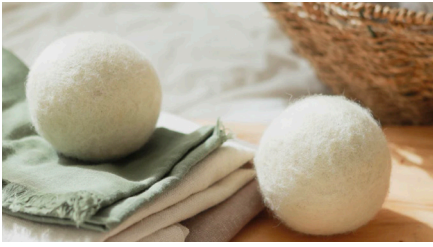
**\*Containers must be clearly marked with original labels.**

For more information visit our [website](#) or scan QR the code >

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# RECYCLING TIDBITS



Replace disposable dryer sheets with wool dryer balls. This will reduce wrinkles, static cling, and will help you sensibly reduce drying time without chemicals.



Bring your own coffee mug/tumbler to the coffee shop. Look for shops that sell everyday products in REFILLABLE containers.



Cloth Produce Bags will protect your purchases and prevent more plastic from ending up in the ocean.

Visit our website for a variety of recycling, landfill and composting information [www.BayViewRefuse.com](http://www.BayViewRefuse.com)



Clip & Save for Future Use!



## ORGANICS



**NO PLASTIC BAGS  
NO PET WASTE**



- BIO BAGS OK!
- NO PLASTIC BAGS
- NO HAZARDOUS WASTE
- NO PET LITTER
- NO WASTE
- NO DIRT OR ROCKS
- NO BAMBOO OR PALM FRONDS

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## RECYCLABLES



**NO LOOSE PLASTIC BAGS  
NO PET WASTE**



- NO WAX LINED BOXES
- NO PLASTIC COATED BOXES
- NO STYROFOAM
- NO PLASTIC BAGS
- NO COMPOSTABLE BAGS

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## LANDFILL/ GARBAGE



**PET WASTE OK**



- NO PAINT
- NO HAZARDOUS WASTE
- NO LIGHT BULBS
- NO HOUSEHOLD BATTERIES

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