

CALENDAR CONTENTS



This calendar will take you through the steps of recycling in the City of Santa Fe's collections program, from drivers, to carts, to trucks, to smart technology, to the MRF, the manufacturer, and everything else in between.

Welcoming 2021

When we began working on the 2020 Residential Services calendar in late 2019, we could not have imagined the ways the world would change over the course of the year. The COVID-19 global pandemic fundamentally altered many of our activities, not just here in Santa Fe, but around the world.

In what feels like an instant, we went from business as usual, to seeing "social distancing" and "mask up" become common terms. We navigated the bittersweet necessity of canceling gatherings and celebrations for the collective health of our community, and we learned to communicate with each other through a computer screen just as if we were in a room together. As the days went by and the weeks turned into months, we made many sacrifices to protect our family and friends; and to protect our essential workers, who literally keep our community going. Our ESD workers exceeded all expectations, ensuring the trash and recycling was collected in the face of staff shortages, equipment downtimes, and increased residential wastes due to the work- and shop- from home shift.

Now, as we look forward to 2021, there is still much uncertainty. Many of the events on last year's calendar were canceled or reimagined entirely, and we cannot predict when or if our activities will return to "normal" as of the printing of this calendar. Please watch the City's social media and website (p.32) for updates as things become known over the year. However, though we cannot tell what the upcoming year will hold, of the following we are absolutely certain:

Santa Fe is resilient, courageous, and capable. We learn, we adapt, we overcome, and no matter what the world throws our way, we keep moving forward.

We'll see you in 2021.

- The Environmental Services Division









HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE (HHW)



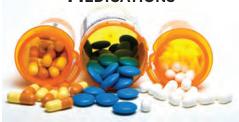
HOUSEHOLD CLEANERS, AUTOMOTIVE PRODUCTS, PAINTS, SOLVENTS, POISONS, FERTILIZERS, POOL CLEANING SUPPLIES, ETC.

ELECTRONICS (E-WASTE)



COMPUTERS, TVs, VCR's, STEREOS, COPIERS, FAX MACHINES, ANYTHING WITH A CORD OR BATTERY

MEDICATIONS

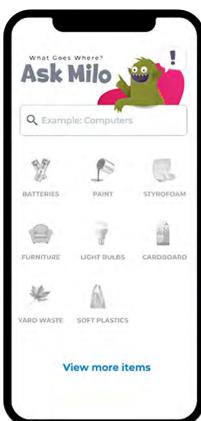


Unused and unwanted medications (prescription OR over-the-counter). Includes pet meds

SPECIAL WASTE HANDLING

Special Wastes (pictured left) contain chemicals, heavy metals and controlled substances that are dangerous to humans and the environment unless disposed of properly.











SMARTPHONE USERS:

Use the Recycle Coach "What Goes Where" Search tool to find out where to take batteries, oil, chemicals, and much more.

Don't Have a Smartphone?

HHW & E-WASTE:

Buckman Road Recycling & Transfer Station (fees apply) 8:00am - 4:45pm

E-Waste: 7 days/week **HHW:** Fri. & Sat. only

MEDICATION:

Santa Fe Police Department 2515 Camino Entrada, M-F 8-5

Santa Fe Fire Department 200 Murales Rd., M-F 8-noon; 1-5

Walgreens Pharmacy

3298 Cerrillos Road, 24/7 (except posted holidays)





Burrt Closures & Free Days

Buckman Road Recycling & Transfer Station | 2600 Buckman Road, 87507 | 8:00am - 4:45pm



FREE TIRE DAYS

FREE TIRE recycling first full weekend of every month (Sat & Sun)!

Limit: Eight (8) passenger tires per day.

January 2nd and 3rd February 6th and 7th March 6th and 7th April 3rd May 1st and 2nd June 5th and 6th July 3rd August 7th and 8th September 4th and 5th October 2nd and 3rd November 6th and 7th December 4th and 5th

No tires accepted from *businesses*



FREE TRASH DAYS (Residential Only)

April 17th

September 18th

Trash, unwanted materials, rubbish, appliances, furniture, mattresses, building materials, carpet, tiles, concrete, bricks, metals.

Trailers only accepted at Caja del Rio Landfill, NOT at BuRRT



FREE HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE DAY

November 6th

Hours: 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Household cleaners, automotive products, paints, solvents, poisons, fertilizers, batteries, pool chemicals and hobby products. No Electronic Waste



FREE ELECTRONIC WASTE DAY

October 2nd

Hours: 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Computers, monitors, printers, televisions, household electronics, and small appliances. No Household Hazardous Waste



FREE GREEN WASTE DAYS

Has your green waste been piling up? Bring it unbagged to BuRRT. FREE on the first weekend of March, April, May and June.

March 6th and 7th

April 3rd

May 1st and 2nd

June 5th and 6th



CLOSURES

January 1st

April 4th

May 31st

July 4th

September 6th

November 25th

December 25th

Free Waste Days are for residents only. No waste accepted from businesses.

Materials will NOT be accepted at the Santa Fe County Convenience Centers.

These dates are subject to change. Check current info: www.sfswma.org | (505) 424-1850, ext. 150

Santa Fe BEAUTIFUL

A Keep America Beautiful Affiliate

TOP 2020 ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

 The design and installation of the city's first official Welcome Sign, funded by a grant from the New Mexico Tourism Department and KSFB.

 Revisions to the city-wide Adopt-a-Median program that resulted in the transformation and beautification of many medians in the downtown area and Old Pecos Trail.

 New KSFB Board members, including the appointment of a new community outreach coordinator, school outreach coordinator, and a new development coordinator

Continued partnership with the MASTER's Program Early College Charter High School to educate students and improve public lands

 Collection and disposal of more than 2.5 tons of litter during the annual Toss No Mas cleanup days

 Graffiti removal in more than 100 sites Keep Santa Fe Beautiful (KSFB) is a 501(c)3 non-profit that partners with the City of Santa Fe on environmental education, litter awareness/prevention and beautification projects.

MISSION: Leading the community to keep Santa Fe clean, green and beautiful

VISION: A community of inspired, active and passionate stewards of our beautiful city



LEARN MORE:

www.keepsantafebeautiful.org

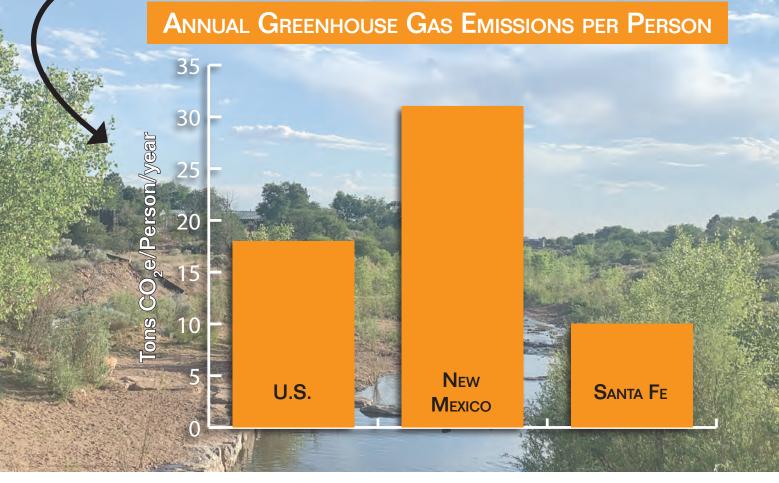


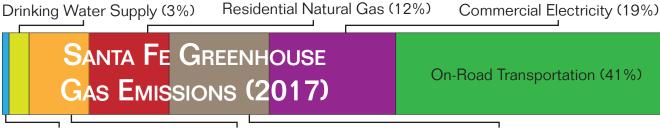
SANTA FE WAS CERTIFIED AS A LEED GOLD CITY UNDER THE NEW, MORE STRINGENT V4.1 RATING SYSTEM FROM THE U.S. GREEN BUILDING COUNCIL. AT THE TIME OF CERTIFICATION, IT WAS ONLY THE SECOND CITY IN THE WORLD TO HAVE ACHIEVED THE RATING.

THE RATING APPLIES TO EVERYTHING WITHIN CITY LIMITS! FOR EXAMPLE, WHEN YOU CHOOSE TO TAKE THE BUS INSTEAD OF A CAR, OUR SCORE INCREASED DUE TO A REDUCTION IN SINGLE-OCCUPANCY VEHICLE TRAVEL.



Sustainability





Aviation Travel (1%)

Commercial Natural Gas (9%)

Residential Electricity (15%)

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JANUARY 2021









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Did you know you can recycle your (real) Christmas tree? Just bring it to Franklin Myles Park during the first two weeks of January – it's FREE! No fake trees, and be sure to remove all decorations and lights before dropping off your tree.



Recycling Options in Santa Fe

THE CITY OPERATES BOTH A CURBSIDE RECYCLING COLLECTION PROGRAM, AND DROP-OFF SITES FOR GLASS (AND ALL OTHER MATERIALS THAT ARE ACCEPTED CURBSIDE).

The Recycle Coach app is free to residents, and is full of information about recycling in Santa Fe!







Once you've emptied that bottle, opened that package, or cleaned out that jar, the next step is placing the item into a recycling container. Be sure it's empty, dry, or flattened.

Did you know? Singlestream recycling (where you have one cart for everything) was first introduced in the U.S. in 1992!



February 2021









SUNDAY	Monday	Tuesday	WEDNESDAY	Thursday	FRIDAY	Saturday
		GROUNDHOG DAY	3	4	5	FREE TIRE DAY @ BURRT
FREE TIRE DAY @ BURRT	8	9	10	11	12 LINCOLN'S BIRTHDAY	13
14 Valentine's Day	President's Day	16	17 961	18	19	20
21	Washington's Birthday	23	24	25	26	27
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Sustainability Tip: Did you know that there are hundreds of miles of arroyos in the Santa Fe River Watershed? Dumping yard clippings and household waste into arroyos is against the law; not only does it lead to flooding and costly infrastructure damage, but it can harm our water quality too. Take advantage of the Green Waste FREE Days at BuRRT in March, April, May and June to recycle your yard trimmings instead (p. 5).

A Day In the Life:

Alex arrives at the ESD offices on Siler Road at 7:30 AM.

After clocking in, he grabs a phone programmed with RUBICONSMARTCITYTM technology (see pg. 16) and uses the app to complete a pre-trip inspection of the truck, making sure everything is safe for the road!

Once the truck is cleared, he'll open the day's route in the Rubicon app, climb into the driver's seat, and head to his first stop.

Throughout the day, he'll pick up the recycling from approximately 1,000 houses. When the truck gets full – twice a day – he'll stop by the transfer station on Buckman Road to unload.

At the end of the day, he'll head back to the Siler yard. There, he'll wash the truck, complete a post-trip inspection, plug the truck in for refueling at the CNG station* and clock out!

*Compressed Natural Gas

Behind the Scenes

TOGETHER, OUR OPERATORS
TRAVEL AN AVERAGE OF 520
MILES PER DAY ON THEIR
ROUTES ALL OVER THE CITY!



March 2021









SUNDAY	Monday	Tuesday	WEDNESDAY	Thursday	FRIDAY	Saturday
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Rubicon: Smart Technology, Smarter Recycling



EFFICIENT, EFFECTIVE, AND SUSTAINABLE COLLECTIONS OPERATIONS!

OPERATORS

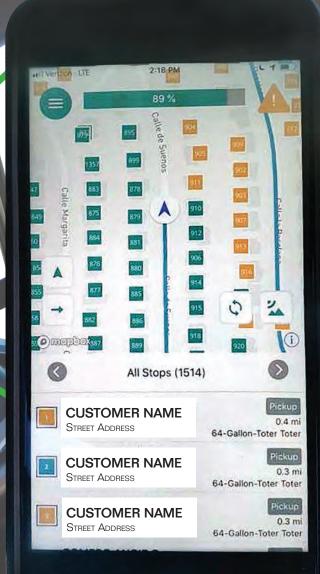
Operators use Rubicon to navigate routes and track collections. They can take pictures to show blocked carts. carts not out, and contaminated recycling.

SUPERVISORS

Supervisors can track truck progress on routes in real time, and access safety information like speeding, hard stops, and engine status.

CUSTOMER SERVICE

The customer service team can access information uploaded by drivers to aid complaint resolution and enter/track work orders for residents.



May 2021

MEMORIAL DAY

BuRRT Closed

SUNDAY	Monday	Tuesday	WEDNESDAY	Thursday	FRIDAY	Saturday			
save up to \$10	Sustainability Tip: May is National Bike Month! Switch to a bicycle commute, and you can save up to \$10,000 a year by not paying for automotive expenses. Visit the Santa Fe Metropolitan Planning Organization's website for a Bikeways and Trails map to plan a safe route to school, to work, to anywhere (santafempo.org).								
2 FREE TIRE DAY & GREEN WASTE DAY @ BURRT	3	4	5 National Bike to School Day	6	7	8			
9 Mother's Day	10	11	12	13	14	15			
16	17	18	19	20	21 National Bike to Work Day	22			
23	24	25	26	27	28	29			
30	CARTS OUT 31	Collections 7	Fip: Make sure yo	our recycling and t	rash carts are pla	ced on the			

street for pickup by 7 AM on your collection day (you can place them curbside starting at 6 PM the previous day). Leave 3ft of space between carts and other

objects so the driver has room to maneuver the automated arm.

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DOES THE CITY RECYCLE GLASS?

Yes, the City recycles glass! Glass is accepted at all City drop-off locations, and at the Buckman Road Recycling and Transfer Station.

Close Up: All About Glass

WHERE DOES THE GLASS GO FOR RECYCLING?

The glass collected at the drop-offs in Santa Fe is shipped to Momentum Recycling, a glass recycling plant in Colorado. Visit their website (colorado.momentumrecycling.com) to learn more.

WHY CAN'T I PUT GLASS INTO MY RECYCLING CART?

Single-stream recycling – where all the items are mixed together in one cart and collected by an automated truck – increases recycling rates and is much safer than the old hand-collection system. When the City made this switch in 2017, curbside glass collection was no longer physically possible or economically viable because the City's MRF does not have the equipment to sort glass from the other materials in the carts.

How do I prepare glass for recycling?

Glass taken to a drop-off location should be emptied of any food/liquid. Remove plastic and metal caps; wrappers and labels can be left on.

WHAT IF I CAN'T TRANSPORT MY GLASS TO A DROP-OFF LOCATION?

If you can't make it to a drop-off site to recycle your glass, it's okay to place it in your green trash cart.

Glass and metal can be recycled infinitely – the material doesn't degrade during the recycling process!

JUNE 2021









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JULY 2021









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Contamination, like plastic bags, food, clothing/textiles, and wires, ropes or hoses (tanglers), is a big problem for a recycling operation. These items get caught in the equipment at the MRF and cause damage that requires expensive repairs.







You can easily find out if an item should be recycled using the FREE Recycle Coach app!

AUGUST 2021









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Close Up: The Food Issue

FOOD WASTE DOES NOT BELONG IN YOUR RECYCLING CART. BUT, YOU CAN STILL REDUCE THE AMOUNT OF WASTE GOING TO THE LANDFILL BY SEPARATING FOOD FROM THE REST OF YOUR GARBAGE.





For further instructions on composting, scan the corresponding QR code above with your smartphone's camera!

(1) Compost At Home

(2) Bring Green Waste to BuRRT

(3) Compost with Community Partners

SEPTEMBER 2021

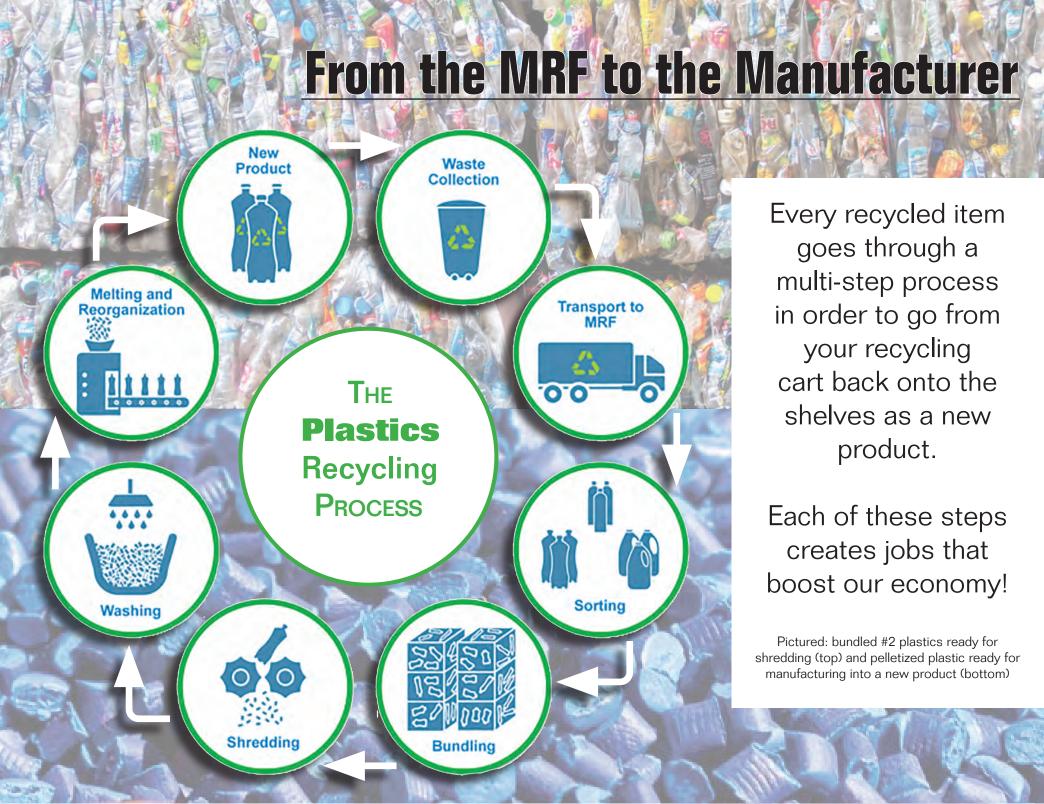








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26	27	28	29	30	Volunteer for the K Beautiful Toss No (Sept. 18th) and Santa Fe more be keepsantafebe	Mas Cleanup help make autiful for all!











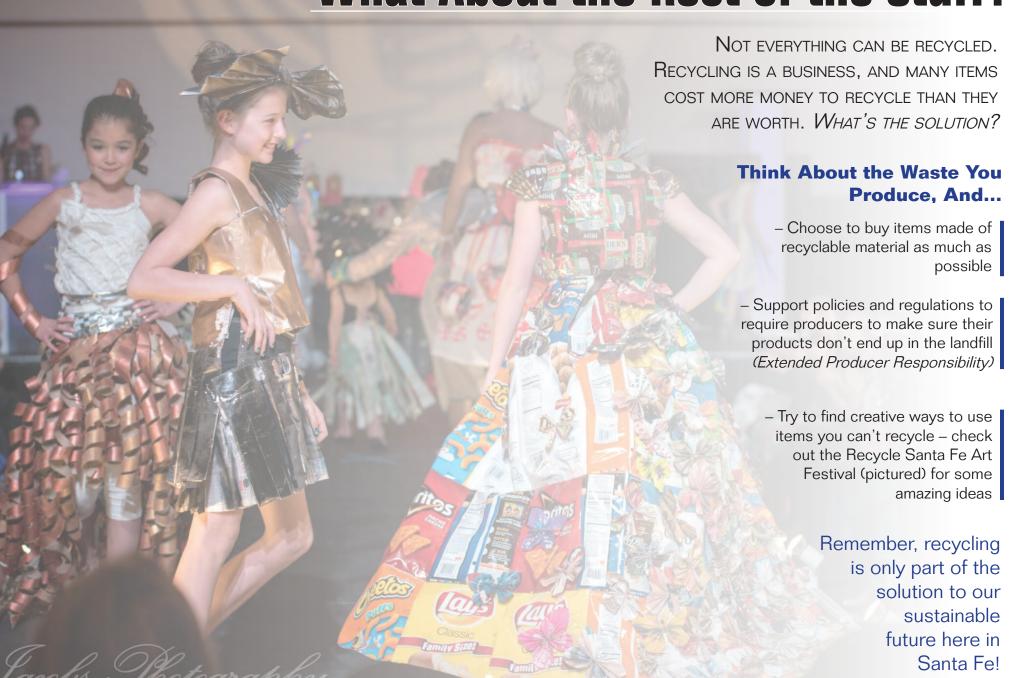


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Did you know the Environmental Services Division has pink recycling carts?

You can request a pink cart to demonstrate your support for those fighting breast cancer by contacting our customer service team (p. 32) – we'll schedule a time to come replace your blue cart with a pink one instead.

What About the Rest of the Stuff?



November 2021









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Back to the Shelves



THANK YOU FOR RECYCLING! - THE ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES DIVISION

DECEMBER 2021









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12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21 FIRST DAY OF WINTER	22	23	24 CHRISTMAS EVE	CHRISTMAS BuRRT Closed
26	27	28	29	30	31 New Year's Eve	31

SOLID WASTE COLLECTION SCHEDULE & RECYCLING DROP OFF CENTERS* 1. 2950 Agua Fria (by Fire Station #5) 2. 4009 Lucia Lane (Just off of Airport Road) Tuesday 3. 2600 Buckman Road (BuRRT) Mon - Sun | 8:00 am -Wednesday 4:45pm Thursday Friday *Drop-off openings subject to change. Visit our website for the most current information.

Contact Us

Environmental Services Division



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SANTAFENM.GOV

Constituent Services

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TRANSFER STATION (BURRT)
AND SANTA FE SOLID WASTE
MANAGEMENT AGENCY

2600 BUCKMAN ROAD SANTA FE, NM (505) 424-1850 EXT. 400

BUCKMAN DIRECT DIVERSION WATER TREATMENT PLANT

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