



CITY OF REDWOOD CITY

Building Inspection & Code Enforcement Services

Redwood City, California, Municipal Code of Ordinances, Chapter 14, Article II

PLACEMENT OF GARBAGE, RECYCLABLE AND YARD WASTE CONTAINERS

The City of Redwood City is always concerned about making our town a better place to live. The Code Enforcement Team receives numerous complaints regarding the placement of waste containers. The early set of garbage, recyclable, and yard waste containers not only creates a visual blight in a neighborhood, but if knocked over, may block storm drains or create a hazard to pedestrians and vehicles. The early placement can also attract health nuisances such as flies and rodents. City Codes prohibit the placement of waste containers at the curb before twelve o'clock (12:00) **noon on the day prior** to the scheduled collection day, and require that the same containers be put back by twelve o'clock (12:00) **noon on the day following** the scheduled collection.



Garbage, recyclable and yard waste containers **must not be visible** from any public street, sidewalk, or place after the collection date has passed. All waste containers must be stored as to not create a public nuisance.

All waste containers must remain watertight. Lids must be on and remain in place at all times.

The City of Redwood City thanks you for your help



Code Enforcement Mission Statement



It shall be the Code Enforcement staff's mission to provide residents and businesses of Redwood City with professional and courteous community service they can count on at all times.

We will always endeavor to protect and preserve the public safety, welfare, and quality of life of all our residents by investigation violations and enforcing city ordinances without prejudice or bias.

We recognize that teamwork is essential in any organization and will continuously strive to work in partnership with residents, businesses, neighborhood associations, public service agencies and other city departments to make Redwood City a great place to live.



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