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**Contact Us**

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**Free Collection Events: September**

When	What	Who	Where
Everyday!	<b>E-Waste Collection</b> Now accepted every day  <i>No quantity limit</i>	Tehama County Residents and Businesses	Tehama County/ Red Bluff Landfill <i>19995 Plymire Road Red Bluff, CA</i>
Saturday, September 10 <sup>th</sup>  8AM-12PM	<b>Household Hazardous Waste Collection</b>  <i>Maximum of 15 gallons or 50 pounds per load</i>	Tehama County Residents  Businesses: Small fee(s) apply Call 528-1103 for more information	Tehama County/ Red Bluff Landfill <i>19995 Plymire Road Red Bluff, CA</i>
Saturday, September 17 <sup>th</sup>  8AM-12PM	<b>Household Hazardous Waste Collection</b>  <i>Maximum of 15 gallons or 50 pounds per load</i>	Tehama County Residents  Businesses: Small fee(s) apply Call 528-1103 for more information	Corning Disposal (HHW Facility) <i>3281 Highway 99W Corning, CA</i>
Saturday, September 24 <sup>th</sup>  8AM-12PM	<b>Household Hazardous Waste Collection</b>  <i>Maximum of 15 gallons or 50 pounds per load</i>	Tehama County Residents  Businesses: Small fee(s) apply Call 528-1103 for more information	Tehama County/ Red Bluff Landfill <i>19995 Plymire Road Red Bluff, CA</i>
Saturday, September 24 <sup>th</sup>  8AM-12PM	<b>E-Waste Collection</b> <i>No quantity limit</i>	Tehama County Residents and Businesses	Tehama County Dept. of Social Services <i>310 S. Main Street Red Bluff</i>  Corning Park & Ride <i>Corner of Third Street &amp; Solano Street</i>

See [Upcoming Events](#) for this Spring's collection events.

**DID YOU KNOW?**

Americans purchase nearly 3 billion dry-cell batteries every year to power radios, toys, cellular phones, watches, laptop computers, and portable power tools.

Inside a battery, heavy metals react with chemical electrolyte to produce the battery's power.

Wet-cell batteries, which contain a liquid electrolyte, commonly power automobiles, boats, or motorcycles.

Nearly 99 million wet-cell lead-acid car batteries are manufactured each year.

Batteries contain heavy metals such as mercury, lead, cadmium, and nickel, which can contaminate the environment when batteries are improperly disposed of. When incinerated, certain metals might be released into the air or can concentrate in the ash produced by the combustion process.



One way to reduce the number of batteries in the waste stream is to purchase rechargeable batteries. Nearly one in five dry-cell batteries purchased in the United States is rechargeable. **Over its useful life, each rechargeable battery may substitute for hundreds of single-use batteries.**

Recycling batteries is another way to keep the heavy metals contained in batteries out of landfills and the air. Recycling saves resources because recovered plastic and metals can be used to make new batteries. There are several locations throughout Tehama County to recycle your used batteries for free. All of which can be found through the information provided below.

**Please be aware that it is illegal to discard batteries in the trash!**



For more information on what is recyclable in Tehama County or other programs available to Tehama County businesses and residents, visit [www.tehamacountylandfill.com](http://www.tehamacountylandfill.com) or call 528-1103.

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## **BEVERAGE CONTAINER RECYCLING... DONE RIGHT**

No matter how you recycle, the County thanks you for your efforts. Here's a tip to maximize your recycling efforts the next time you finish a refreshing, cold beverage:

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- Take your aluminum, glass and plastic beverage containers to your local recycling center for a **cash refund** (5 ¢ for containers less than 24 oz. and 10 ¢ for containers 24 oz. or larger).
- Toss your rinsed beverage containers into your **blue curbside recycling cart** with your other recyclables.

No matter what, you'll be conserving precious resources. For more information on beverage containers eligible for a cash refund, please visit <http://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/BevContainer/Consumers/StartProgram.htm>.

### Questions?

Please call the Tehama County Solid Waste Management Agency at 528-1103, visit <http://www.tehamacountylandfill.com> or email us at [tehamacountyrecycles@co.tehama.ca.us](mailto:tehamacountyrecycles@co.tehama.ca.us).

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

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