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Christmas tree recycling locations open in northern Nevada

LAS VEGAS, NV – Since 2001, more than 350,000 trees have been recycled throughout Nevada thanks to the help of several Christmas tree recycling programs, thousands of volunteers and many community sponsors. These programs were established to provide Nevada communities with an easy alternative to landfilling and to prevent illegal dumping of Christmas trees in public open spaces. When chipped into mulch, cut trees become valuable organic material used in landscaping projects that help conserve soil moisture, keep plants healthy and control weeds.

Reno/Sparks:

Christmas tree recycling will be from December 26 to January 7.

The drop off locations are Rancho San Rafael Park, Bartley Ranch Park, Shadow Mountain Sports Complex and the following Truckee Meadows Fire Protection District Stations:

- Stations 16: East Washoe Valley 240 East Lake Blvd., Washoe Valley
- Station 17: Spanish Springs 500 Rockwell Blvd., Spanish Springs
- Station 223: Lemmon Valley: 130 Nectar St.

Incline Village:

Curbside collection week is January 8-12. Clean trees will be collected for recycling on service day at no charge during this week. Trees must be cut to 3 ft. lengths.

Trees may also be dropped off at Preston Field: Dec. 22- Jan. 29.

Carson City:

During the week of January 8-12, either leave your tree (6 ft. sections or smaller) curbside on your regular trash day or drop off at the following locations:

The parking lot of Big Lots at Clearview and South Carson Street

- Public Works Yard at Butti and East Fifth Street
- Bully's parking lot, 3530 North Carson Street
- Waste Management Parking lot at 5560 Sheep Drive

- Carson City Landfill (Green Waste Pile)

After January 6, please take your Christmas tree to the Carson City Landfill for recycling. Trees left curbside after Jan. 6 will be disposed of as garbage and will need to be cut into three foot sections so they will fit into the Waste Management trucks. If you have questions call 775-887-2355 ex. 7376.

Douglas County:

January. 8-12 there is free curbside pick-up on your regular trash pick-up day (6ft. sections or smaller). Douglas Co. residents can also drop off their trees at Lampe Park, 1324 Waterloo Lane in Gardnerville, from Dec. 26 – Jan 26, 2018. Sponsored by the Douglas County Parks Dept. and Bentley Enterprises.

Fernley:

December 26 - January 15. Drop-off at the dirt lot behind the rodeo arena at the Out of Town Park (Farm District Rd & Highway 50A). For more information, call 775-784-9863.

Winnemucca:

December 26 - January 15. Drop-off from 12 p.m. – 3 p.m. at the Community Garden at 151 McArthur St. If you can't make it then, use the drop-off box at the garden. For more information, call 775-623-2333.

Elko:

Curbside pickup is available from January 2 - 5. Anyone wishing to drop off a Christmas tree may bring it to the parking lot on the corner of VFW Drive and Court Street. The area will be designated with a sign. For additional information call 775-777-7241.

For more information about recycling, visit <http://nevadarecycles.nv.gov>.

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