

QUARTERLY April - June 2017 NEWSLETTER

COMMUNITY UPDATE

TIRE APPOINTMENTS FOR FREE DROP OFF AVAILABLE, 876-3340.



10 YR ANNIVERSARY OF DEPOT

Gold Nugget Museum to hold Parade Party at the Community Park Depot at Pearson & Black Olive, Saturday April 29th 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Live music by Stillwater Savage, beer /wine bar, food trucks & artisan fair. For more information call Gold Nugget Museum at 872-8722 or stop by Wed -Sun Noon to 4 p.m.

PROPER DISPOSAL: TEXTILES, FOAM, & MEDICAL WASTE



Clothes, shoes, hats, purses etc. are not allowed into the recycling bin. There are many creative reuse ideas available on our website, or you can donate them to a

local thrift store. If a recycling container is contaminated with textiles your can/bin will not be serviced until the contaminants are removed.

Styrofoam (Foam #6) is not allowed into your

recycling



cart/bin. The NRWS recycling Center does have a drop off program set up to reuse Styrofoam food service and block foam. Food service containers include drink cups, food trays and clamshell containers. Food service foam containers must be in recyclable condition. Coffee and soda cups do not need to be rinsed; however, containers used for food need to be wiped or rinsed. Block foam has to be clean and free of tape etc.

Additional Foam types: Used for fill,

types: Used for fill, packing, shipping, mattress topper, dog beds, costumes etc. is not recyclable and must be placed into the trash/ landfill.

Medical Waste Disposal

It is never okay to dispose of medical waste into your recycling. Containers found to have these materials will not be collected until such materials are removed. Examples include, tubing, catheters, intravenous sets, needles, syringes, scalpels, blades, glass etc.

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intravenous sets must be baged and can go into the garbage.



Syringes, scalpels, blades

or glass and medicines all must go to a Household Hazardous Waste Facility. For additional bio-hazardous material, like catheters, you will need to contact your local health care provider or Butte County Environmental Health (530-538-7281) to determine the proper disposal options for your subjective Bio-Medical Waste needs.

Notice of Public Hearing



Recently all NRWS customers received a packet of information relating to a joint proposal between NRWS and the Town of Paradise. The proposal consists of a 10-year extension of the existing NRWS franchise agreement to continue serving the Town of Paradise as the solid waste, vegetative waste and recycling collection company. The proposal also asks Paradise residents to consider **new** services for street sweeping **all** publicly owned and maintained Town roadways. Street sweeping will help keep the streets safe by collecting debris and pine needles while reducing local flooding from clogged culverts. More information relating to the street sweeping details can be found at <u>www.townofparadise.com</u>. Public Hearing on April 11, 2017 at 6:00 PM (located at 5555 Skyway). If you have any questions, please contact the Town of Paradise at (530) 872-6291 x125.

RECYCLING DOS AND DON'TS



Plastic bags and bagged recycling Diapers Food wrappers Light Bulbs Polystyrene Pyrex Batteries

For the last 10 years The Town of Paradise had been a leader in Butte County recycling efforts. All our efforts have lead to millions of lbs. of resources being recycled/ reused, reducing air and water pollution and saving enough energy to run over 11K households every year. Continued success requires continuous diligence of our recycling efforts. Please make sure to review what can and cannot go into the recycling bin with your family and/or co-workers to insure a clean stream of material.

Plastic bags are a particular concern, our mixed material goes to a MRF (material recovery facility) and if recyclables come in bags it is difficult for the line workers to get the material out. In addition, the bags get caught in the machinery causing delays. Please visit our website for a video on the MRF and how the process works, www.NorthernRecycling.biz. If you would like help recycling at home and/or at work please contact us for a site visit at 876-3340.

*Styrofoam (clean, no tape, no peanuts) and Batteries can be dropped of at the NRWS Recycling Center Monday through Saturday 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Lights can be dropped of at the Household Hazardous Waste Facility, see adjacent calendar for drop off dates.

CORRECT CART PLACEMENT

Carts are 2-3 feet apart, lid opening is facing the street and the carts are not next to any other obstructions. **Once serviced, carts need to be pulled in from the street within 24 hours.** Failure to bring in your carts is a Town code violation and is subject to fines.



*Please note: that this is an example picture only, recycling and yard waste carts are not serviced together.

FREE YARD WASTE DAYS



The Town of Paradise Yard Waste Facility will be open April 11th through the 15th for FREE drop off of all yard waste material. Regular hours and rules apply.

HHW = Household Hazardous Waste Facility Open 9 to 1.
RC= Reuse Center Open 9 to 1.
Memorial Day: Office & Recycling Center Closed no change to pickup.
July 4th= Closed; no pickup.
Tues - Sat pickup delayed one day.

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