

COLLECTION SERVICES

Commercial properties in the Belvedere GDD are entitled to receive the collection services listed below for waste generated on-site.

WASTE COLLECTION

Collection of trash, green waste, and recyclables.

ORGANIC WASTE COLLECTION

Collection of green waste and food waste.

RECYCLING COLLECTION

Collection of dry recyclable materials such as cans, bottles, and paper products.

BULKY ITEM PICK-UP

Bulky items (e.g., refrigerators, couches, etc.) and old electronics (e.g., computers, monitors, copiers, cellphones).

CONSTRUCTION DEBRIS

Up to two 70-pound bags or bundles of construction and demolition debris, not more than four feet in length.

OTHER SERVICES

PUBLIC RECEPTACLES

Collection of trash containers at public right-of-ways twice per day, six days per week.

SIDEWALKS, PARKWAYS, AND ALLEYS

Routine removal of abandoned waste from public right-of-ways including alleys.

TRASH CARTS OR DUMPSTERS

Dumpsters or plastic carts, in several sizes and quantities, are provided to businesses or property owners based on property land use codes.

MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES

Free on-site visits for recycling training, waste assessments, and more.

WHO TO CONTACT

BELVEDERE GDD WASTE HAULER



Valley Vista Services

Waste Disposal and Recycling Division

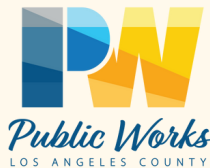
For service questions:

(800) 442-6454

Los Angeles County

**For general questions or
customer service complaints:**
(888) Clean-LA or CleanLA.com

Los Angeles County
Public Works
Environmental Programs Division
900 S. Fremont Ave.
Alhambra, CA 91803



A Guide to Trash Collection Services for your Business



East Los Angeles and City Terrace Communities

If your business is located in the ZIP Codes 90022, 90023, or 90063, it is likely you are in the Belvedere Garbage Disposal District (GDD). In GDD communities specific trash and recycling service fees are included on Los Angeles County Office of the Assessor's annual real property tax statements. For any questions, please call (888) CLEAN-LA.

BELVEDERE GDD

The Belvedere Garbage Disposal District is an unincorporated area of Los Angeles County where basic trash, recycling, and organic waste collection services are provided by a private contracted waste hauler. Los Angeles County Public Works oversees and manages this waste hauling contract.

Property owners in the Belvedere GDD automatically receive basic waste collection services which are paid through their annual property taxes. Additional services can be obtained by contacting Valley Vista Services directly.

The Assessor's land use codes determine the level of service provided and amount charged.



4 Yard

3 Yard

2 Yard

1 Yard

96 gallon cart



Container Sizes

Businesses may use metal dumpsters, often two, three, or four cubic yards in capacity, or 96-gallon plastic carts in equivalent volume (limited to available sizes).

Frequency of Collection

Businesses receive collection service once per week except:

- Properties assigned 2.5 cubic yards or more by the Assessor are entitled to receive collection service twice per week.
- Properties classified by the Assessor as commercial food establishments are entitled to daily collection service of waste, excluding Sundays and holidays.

Several Businesses on a Property

If there are several businesses on one property and assigned the same property land use code (e.g. a restaurant in a shopping center) the property owner or property management company should contact Public Works to confirm the level of trash service allocated.

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

My business is in the GDD. Can I get trash service for free?

No, GDD basic trash collection services are provided for a fee to all properties, not all businesses. You must speak to the property owner. Basic trash service is determined by the property land use, not the business type.

What is the current service rate?

The fee for basic trash collection services in the community of East Los Angeles Belvedere GDD is \$21.19 per 0.5 cubic yards of trash service.

How are service levels determined?

Service levels assigned to properties are based on the Assessor's data (e.g. restaurant, store, or shopping center). The actual use of a property may be different than the assigned land use.

Can I get a recycling container?

Yes, you are entitled to recycling services. Please see rate sheet for more information.

Can I get more trash service?

Yes, however, there will be a service charge for additional service (larger volume or increased frequency) beyond the allocated GDD basic services paid for on the real property tax bill. These services should be arranged with Valley Vista Services and paid directly by the customer to VVS.

Can my restaurant get daily service?

Yes, if the office of the Assessor lists the property's land use code as a restaurant, the property is entitled to daily service (except Sundays and holidays) without an additional fee. If it is not listed as a restaurant, then additional service shall be arranged and paid for by the customer.

I have a new business. How do I start service?

Most properties in the GDD already have the containers onsite. If you are leasing the space, check with the property owner or management company to see if you are sharing a dumpster with neighboring businesses. You can also call the waste hauler to see if they can deliver a dumpster, possibly at no charge, if the property is not already using the GDD commercial collection services. For more information, or to start a new service, email VVS at ELAservices@myvvs.com

How can I verify that my services and assessment charge is correct?

Contact Public Works at (888) Clean-LA (1-888-253-2652) or look for "Trash Collection" on the Public Works website at www.CleanLA.com.

