

# Lawn and Garden Equipment

**Do Riverside County Landfills accept this waste?**

Yes

No  
 (See Disposal Locations)

Conditionally  
 (See Special Conditions)

Case by case  
 (See Approval Process)

**Are there other alternatives for this waste?**

Yes  
 (See Alternative Recycling Locations)

No

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## Definition

Lawn and garden equipment are machines or implements made of metal which include aluminum, cast aluminum, stainless steel, steel, copper and brass. These items are very recyclable and often times have resale value. These items and many others can be recycled at Riverside County Landfills. A fee may be charged upon entering the landfill.

## Special Conditions

Lawn and garden equipment is accepted only when placed by the customer in designated areas as directed by site personnel. It may not be delivered commingled with other solid waste. Customers who repeatedly contaminate their waste loads with commingled metals may be banned from the site.

## Riverside County Landfill Charges

Disposal of lawn and garden equipment is charged at the routine refuse rate. For the current fee schedule please visit the County's website at [http://www.rivcowm.org/opencms/landfill\\_info/landfill\\_fees.html](http://www.rivcowm.org/opencms/landfill_info/landfill_fees.html)

## Riverside County Landfills

Used lawn and garden equipment is accepted at the Badlands and Lamb Canyon landfills. The items collected at these facilities are recycled for their metal content.

### Badlands Landfill

31125 Ironwood Avenue  
 Moreno Valley, CA  
 Mon.- Sat. 6:00am to 4:30 pm

### Lamb Canyon Landfill

16411 Lamb Canyon Road  
 Beaumont, CA  
 Mon.-Sat. 8:00 am to 4:30 pm

Internal Operating Procedures

A  B  C  D  E  F  G  H  Not applicable

## Alternative Recycling Locations

There are also many other ways to get rid of your lawn mower or leaf blower without taking it to the landfill. Many thrift stores will accept these items for donation if they are in usable condition. Also try pawn shops or repair shops that rebuild and refurbish these items. Please check your local telephone directory for a thrift store or repair shop near you.

## Sustainable Landscaping Information

The landscaping of a front yard, back yard, or business grounds is a long-term investment requiring significant resource input. With a little forethought, these resource requirements can be efficiently managed, reducing the amount of waste often produced by such projects. Additionally, current recycling efforts underway throughout the State of California have made available many new products that contain or use recycled materials. By using "recycled-content" landscaping products, virgin natural resources are conserved, markets for the collected recyclable materials are strengthened, and residents and professionals can save money. For additional ideas for residents as well as businesses the following website has more useful information.

<http://www.calrecycle.ca.gov/organics/landscaping/>

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