



Alternatives to Outdoor Burning

Lacey, Olympia, Tumwater / Thurston County

PICK-UP OPTIONS

County-Wide Curbside Organics Bin, Offered through LeMay, www.lemayinc.com

Curbside organics/yard waste service is available in virtually all areas of Thurston County. To sign up for service and have a bin delivered to your home, call LeMay Enterprises at (360) 923-0111. If you live in the City of Olympia, call (360) 753-8368, option 1. (Yard waste bins are now called "organics" bins.)

DROP-OFF LOCATIONS

Thurston County Waste & Recovery Yard Debris Site

All materials brought to the center are trucked off-site and turned into compost or fuel. The Yard Debris Drop-Off Site is located at:

Thurston County Waste and Recovery Center,

2418 Hogum Bay Road NE

Lacey, WA 98516

Items Accepted at the Yard Waste Area

- Garden trimmings and prunings
- Grass clippings (as fresh as possible)
- Leaves, needles, and cones (no dirt or rocks mixed in)
- Tree branches and cedar boughs (no size limit)
- Tree stumps and roots (no dirt or rocks mixed in; no stumps over 24 inches in diameter)
- Beauty bark (no dirt or rocks mixed in)
- Untreated lumber (no paints or stains; nails are OK; no size limit)
- Plywood and particle board (no laminate/artificial wood surface glued to board)

Items Not Accepted at the Yard Waste Area

- No sod (may be disposed of at regular garbage rate of \$119/ton)
- No dirt, rocks, gravel, and sludge
- No treated, painted, or stained lumber
- No petroleum-treated or contaminated products
- No manure
- No garbage, plastic, glass or metal
- No food or food-soiled paper—organics that are self-hauled to the WARC are taken to the woody debris area where food and food-soiled paper can attract vermin and birds and cause serious odor problems
- No problem weeds such as knotweed, Scotch broom, blackberry, or English ivy. Contact Thurston County Noxious Weeds for more information about noxious weeds.

South Thurston County - Silver Springs Organics

Silver Springs Organics may accept yard debris. Contact them before delivering materials. Note that Silver Springs Organics does not accept drywall or sheetrock.

Silver Springs Organics

13835 Military Rd SE, Rainier, WA 98576

(360) 446-7645

www.silverspringsorganics.com

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City of Olympia

The City of Olympia operates a Saturday Drop-Off Site on Eastside Street in Olympia from March through mid-November. The site accepts yard waste and scrap metal. For rates and hours, visit [the City of Olympia's website](#).

City of Olympia Saturday Drop-Off Site
1401 Eastside Street SE, Olympia, WA
(360) 753-8588

HOME COMPOSTING

Classes and Clinics

The Master Gardeners of Thurston County offer “How-To” classes on composting throughout the summer each year. You may find their class schedule here:

<http://mgftc.org/activities/composting-workshops/>

Additionally, Thurston County Solid Waste offers an instructional pamphlet here:

<http://www.co.thurston.wa.us/solidwaste/publications/docs/homecompost.pdf>

Note: Please call these businesses for additional information on their services.

AA Tree Service	Olympia	352-9333	Tree removal & chipping and pruning
Any Seasons Tree Service	Mason & Thurston Counties	427-3258	Residential chipping.
Bill McTurnal Enterprises	Olympia	866-4594	Stump & brush removal and or grinding; wood recycling.
Capital Grinding	Olympia	870-0699	Bucket truck, stump grinding, residential and demolition work.
City of Olympia Waste Management Utility	Olympia	753-8368	Curbside yard waste collection; drop boxes and dumpsters on request for larger materials, Yard Waste Drop off site (March – November), Neighborhood chipping program (Spring and Fall)
Collins Company	Olympia	866-1472	Land-clearing; chipping & grinding.
Delano Services	Olympia	705-2207	Residential land-clearing.
Double D Tree	Olympia	438-1234	Land-clearing hauling, chipping.
Flotek Tree Service	Tenino	264-2697	Residential chipping.
LeMay Enterprises	Thurston County	360-533-1251	Larger demolition wood waste & land-clearing hauling.
Mac's Tree Service	Yelm	458-8733	Residential chipping, grinding.
Olympic Tree Service	Olympia	438-0320	Logging, land-clearing; wood waste, brush; chipping & grinding.
Pacific Disposal/Butler Cove Refuse	Thurston County	352-2046	Curbside yard waste collection; drop boxes on request for larger materials.
Rainier Wood Recyclers	Lacey	456-5557	Generally 5-acre minimum for chipping & hauling.
Ron's Stump Removal	Olympia	800-813-2682 or 491-8733	Land-clearing; chipping/grinding; stump & brush hauling.
Sawtell Logging & Tree Service	Olympia	352-8829	Land-clearing, chipping.
Silver Springs Organics, LLC	Tenino	446-0197	Commercial & residential yard/logging debris.
WSU Cooperative Extension	Lacey	786-5445 Est. 7908	Master Gardner Program: Call about compost Bins, workshops and information

ORCAA has made every attempt to include businesses in the greater Lacey, Tumwater, Yelm and Thurston County areas. If we have omitted your business, please call our agency to be included in future publications.