

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

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February 2, 2015

Subject: 6-Month Pilot Program to Allow Recology to Collect Garbage, Recyclables and Organic Containers at 6:00 A.M. Beginning the Week of February 23, 2015

City of Cupertino Resident,

An application for a special exception to the City of Cupertino Municipal Code Chapter 10.48 Community Noise Control has been completed by the Public Works Department. <u>If granted, Recology will begin the collection of garbage, recyclables and organic containers as early as 6:00 A.M. on your current collection day. Please have your carts out prior to 6:00 A.M. on your collection day during this pilot program.</u>

As shown on the map on the back of this notice, streets selected for early collection are heavily traveled by pedestrians, cyclists and vehicles accessing and exiting Kennedy Middle School, Lincoln Elementary School and Monta Vista High School. **The purpose of the 6:00 A.M. start is to allow residents to retrieve their containers from the street as early as 7:15 A.M.** Removal of containers prior to the start of school will allow cyclists to travel in the bike lane without these potential obstructions.

The 6:00 A.M. collection of garbage, recycling and organic containers is scheduled to occur on your normal collection day the week of February 23, 2015. A door knob hanger will be delivered to your home one week prior to remind you of the change and to encourage you to collect your containers by 7:15 A.M. on your collection day.

To comment or oppose this special exception, please go to the "News" section of the City's website at www.cupertino.org, call the Public Works Department at 408-777-3354 or write to Cupertino City Hall (Attention: Noise Control Officer) 10300 Torre Avenue, Cupertino, CA 95014 no later than February 13, 2015. If there is public concern regarding this application, a public hearing may be held.

The City may consider a permanent change to an early collection time pending the comments received from this notice and if implemented, evaluation of the pilot program effectiveness. If this occurs, additional notification and opportunity for public comment will occur.

The City of Cupertino Municipal Code Chapter 10.48 can be reviewed at www.amlegal.com/cupertino ca/



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February 18, 2015

Subject: 6-Month Pilot Program to Allow Recology to Collect Garbage, Recyclables and Organic Containers at 6:00 A.M.

City of Cupertino Resident,

A public meeting to discuss the proposed early collection of Recology containers on your street will be held at the City Council meeting beginning at 6:45 P.M. on Tuesday, March 3rd, 2015, in Council Chambers located at 10350 Torre Avenue.

All interested residents are invited to attend this meeting. For residents who will attend and would like to speak at the meeting, please refer to the enclosed "Flowchart for Agenda Items" information sheet.

If you are not able to attend but would like to comment on this topic, please go to the "News" section of the City's website at www.cupertino.org, call the Public Works Department at 408-777-3354 or write to Cupertino City Hall (Attention: Noise Control Officer) 10300 Torre Avenue, Cupertino, CA 95014 no later than March 2nd, 2015.

Upon hearing all public comments, the City Council may direct staff to implement the pilot program as proposed, change the program, defer or stop the program or lastly, direct staff towards other options. <u>Pending this direction, collection of your garbage, recyclables and organic containers will not change without additional notice.</u>

A map of the streets selected for early collection is on the back of this notice.