About the Program

In accordance with the California Green Building Standards Code (CalGreen), all new residential, commercial, and mixed use construction projects in Ventura are required to divert a minimum of 65 percent of construction and demolition (C&D) waste from landfill disposal.

With the right resources and planning, many projects are successful in diverting well over 65 percent of their project waste from disposal. Many even save money in the process!

Who Must Comply

Residential

- All new construction of permitted structures
- All demolition of permitted structures
- Additions and alterations to residential buildings that increase the structure’s conditioned area, volume or size are also required to meet the 65% minimum diversion requirement.

Non-Residential

- All new construction of permitted structures
- All demolition of permitted structures
- Additions of permitted structures
- Alterations of permitted structures

Source: 2016 California Green Building Standards Code (CALGreen) Part 11 of Title 24, California Code of Regulations. The applicable sections for residential construction can be found in Section 4.408 and in Section 5.408 for most non-residential new construction. Sections 301.1.1 and 301.3 addresses additions and alterations diversion requirements.

http://www.bsc.ca.gov/Home/CALGreen.aspx

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Helpful Links & Phone Numbers

- City of Ventura
  For questions about the City program and completing required forms contact the C&D Recycling Coordinator: 805-652-4525
  CDForms@cityofventura.net

- California Department of Resource Recycling & Recovery (CalRecycle)
  Overview of State regulations, tips about C&D recycling and reuse, and case studies. www.calrecycle.ca.gov/ConDemo

- Construction and Demolition Recycling Association
  A series of websites specific to asphalt shingle, concrete and gypsum drywall recycling. A national database of recyclers is also available. www.cdrecycling.org

- County of Ventura Public Works Agency
  Countywide list of debris recycling companies, facilities, and solid waste collection companies. pwa.ventura.org/water-sanitation-department/construction-demolition-debris-management

- E.J. Harrison & Sons, Inc.
  C&D roll-off services for the City of Ventura 805-647-1414 | www.ejharrison.com

- Habitat for Humanity
  New and gently used furniture, home goods, and building materials are accepted at the Habitat for Humanity ReStore.
  Oxnard
  1850 Eastman Ave., Oxnard CA 93030
  805-981-2268

  Simi Valley
  1293 E. Los Angeles Ave., Simi Valley CA 93065
  805-520-7717

  Please visit www.habitatventura.org for donation guidelines.

HELPFUL TIPS FOR VENTURA BUILDERS & RESIDENTS ON CONSTRUCTION AND DEMOLITION DEBRIS

For information call (805) 652-4525
How to Comply with Ventura’s C&D Recycling and Reuse Program

Step 1
Pick up required forms (FORM 1 - Waste Management Plan and FORM 2 - Final Report) at the Building & Safety Division (City Hall Room 117) when applying for a building permit.

Step 2
Complete FORM 1 - Waste Management Plan (green sheet) identifying management method and C&D materials being generated.

Step 3
Submit FORM 1 to Environmental Sustainability Division for approval during the plan check process.

Step 4
Request C&D recycling service from E.J. Harrison & Sons or make arrangements to self-haul materials.

Step 5
Keep the approved FORM 1 - Waste Management Plan on the job site for the duration of the project.

Step 6
For the duration of the project, separate materials into dedicated bins OR arrange for recycler pickup and separation of mixed material. Keep all documentation (such as weight tickets & receipts).

Step 7
At the conclusion of the project, submit FORM 2 - Final Report and all weight tickets & receipts and/or letter of documentation to the C&D Recycling and Reuse Coordinator.

Step 8
*For commercial additions or alterations of permitted only* FORM 1 - Final Report must include a list of all Universal Waste materials removed from the project with verification that those materials are recycled.

Don’t Forget
State Law requires that construction and demolition projects divert 65 percent diversion of all non-hazardous construction materials from the landfills (CalGreen Building Code Part II of Title 24 California Code of Regulations).

Excavated soil and other land clearing debris such as tree, stumps, rocks must be reused or recycled at 100 percent diversion (CalGreen Building Code Sec. 5.408.4).

E.J. Harrison & Sons is the exclusive hauler of solid waste in the City of Ventura. Self-hauling of materials is permitted only when a licensed contractor uses their own employees and equipment as an incidental part of the total service.

Prior to Final Inspection, FORM 2 – FINAL REPORT along with weight tickets and Letter of Documentation from E.J. Harrison must be submitted to the C&D Recycling Coordinator.

For questions, additional information or help with forms, please contact the C&D Recycling Coordinator at 805-652-4525 or e-mail CDForms@cityofventura.net
www.cityofventura.net/es