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## County of Los Angeles



*Keeping the Antelope Valley beautiful...*

### Calendar:

- Free HHW/E-Waste Collection: 1st and 3rd Saturday of every month at AVECC (9 a.m. to 3 p.m.)
- March 10, 2015: Deadline for Illegal Dumping Education and Prevention Grant Application
- April 11, 2015: Free Disposal Day at Lancaster Landfill (8 a.m. to 2 p.m.)
- April 25, 2015: Free Waste Tire Collection Event (9 a.m. to 3 p.m.)

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## Free Disposal Day for County Residents

As part of the County's efforts to reduce illegal dumping, unincorporated area residents can drop off up to one ton of trash, free of charge, at Waste Management of Lancaster on April 11, 2015. With proof of residency, such as a driver's license, residents can drop off their trash from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. Note: Vehicles must be in line before 2 p.m. Free Disposal Days are held twice a year, in April and October. No business waste, tires or household hazardous waste (paint, cleaning products, etc...) will be accepted. Unincorporated area residents who are unable to attend the Free Disposal Day may take advantage of the following events available throughout the year:

- Free Bulky Item Drop-off: Residents can drop-off one bulky-item per year, such as a sofa, table, mattress, etc., free of charge.
- Free HHW/E-Waste Collection: 1st and 3rd Saturday of every month at the Antelope Valley Environmental Collection Center (AVECC).

Waste Management of Lancaster is located at 600 East Avenue F, in Lancaster.

These programs are brought to you by Supervisor Michael D. Antonovich and the County of Los Angeles in partnership with Waste Management, Inc. For more information, please call 1(888) CLEAN LA or visit [www.CLEANLA.com](http://www.CLEANLA.com).



If you would like to contribute an article for *Local Trash Talk*, please contact the County of Los Angeles Dept. of Public Works, Environmental Programs Division at (626) 458-3563.

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## Illegal Dumping Education and Prevention Grant 4th Funding Cycle - 2015

The Antelope Valley Illegal Dumping Task Force is pleased to announce the availability of funds for the Illegal Dumping Education and Prevention Grant. The grant program is made possible by Los Angeles County Supervisor Michael D. Antonovich, Waste Management of the Antelope Valley, the City of Palmdale, and the City of Lancaster.

Grants are awarded to organizations with a clear understanding of the impact of illegal dumping within the Antelope Valley as well as an innovative approach to combating, educating, and/or preventing illegal dumping. Any youth organization, school classroom, club or community organization within the Antelope Valley may apply for the grant. For more information, please visit [www.stopillegaldumping.com](http://www.stopillegaldumping.com) or contact Christine Borzaga at (661) 726-3600.

We're on the Web!

[www.StopIllegalDumping.com](http://www.StopIllegalDumping.com)

### ARE YOU TIRED OF SEEING ILLEGAL DUMPING IN YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD?



Call 1 (888) 8 DUMPING or use **The Works** app to report illegal dumping in your area. **The Works** is a free application for smart phones that lets you connect with the County to request services to help improve your community.

Download **The Works** today!  
<http://dpw.lacounty.gov/theWorks/>

## Waste Tire Collection Event in Antelope Valley

Residents are invited to bring their old tires to be recycled at our free Waste Tire Collection Event on **Saturday, April 25, 2015, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.**

For convenience, the event will be held at three drop-off sites:

- County Facility  
8505 E. Avenue T  
Little Rock
- County Facility  
17341 E. Avenue J  
Lake Los Angeles
- Road Yard  
(enter off Ave. Q-12)  
38126 N. Sierra Hwy.  
Palmdale

The events are conducted in partnership with the Cities of Palmdale and Lancaster, and provide an important tool to clean up the Antelope Valley.

The tires are recycled into crumb rubber and playground fill which is used to make playgrounds and pathways at local parks. For more information on the next waste tire collection event, please visit [www.CleanLA.com](http://www.CleanLA.com).



## Adopt-A-Highway Spotlight for The Rally Auto Group

The Los Angeles County Adopt-A-Highway Program provides individuals, families, businesses, organizations, and public agencies with a unique opportunity to gain prominent recognition while beautifying the environment within their own communities. By collecting roadside litter or removing graffiti on walls and bridges, participants will foster community pride and save taxpayer dollars.

We want to recognize and congratulate Robert Glaser of The Rally Auto Group in Palmdale for his participation in the Adopt-A-Highway Program. Since May 15, 2007, Mr. Glaser and Rally Auto Group members have serviced Elizabeth Lake Road from three miles west of to five miles west of 90th Street West. When asked about their motivation to participate in the program, Mr. Glaser said, "Rally Auto Group of Palmdale is proud to be associated with the Adopt-a-Highway Program because it serves our communities in which we live and work. Keeping the highways free of litter is good for the Environment, Aesthetics, and Safety."

For more information on the Adopt-A-Highway Program, please contact Louis Darbeau of the County of Los Angeles Department of Public Works at (661) 947-7173.

