

INSIDE ORO LOMA



Transparency Award

Oro Loma Sanitary District has received the District Transparency Certificate of Excellence by the Special District Leadership Foundation (SDLF) in recognition of its outstanding efforts to promote transparency and good governance.

"This award is a testament to Oro Loma Sanitary District's commitment to open government," said Jimmy Dang, General Manager of Oro Loma Sanitary District. "Our staff is to be commended for their contributions that empower the public with information and facilitate engagement and oversight."

To receive the award, Oro Loma Sanitary District demonstrated the completion of essential governance transparency requirements, including conducting ethics training for all board members, properly conducting open and public meetings, and filing financial transactions and compensation reports to the State Controller in a timely manner.



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Sign up for our quarterly plant tour for a first-hand look at how your wastewater treatment plant works.

Next tour: Nov. 8, 2023. More info at: [OroLoma.org/tour](https://www.OroLoma.org/tour)

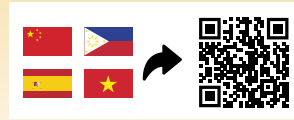


Summer Challenge Through August 31, 2023

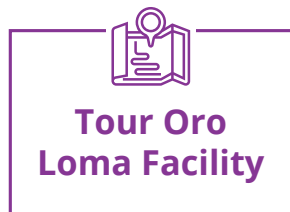
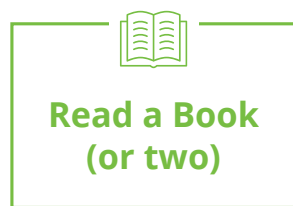


We're sharing important (and easy) ways you
and your friends and family can help
TURN DOWN THE HEAT!

OroLoma.org/library-challenge



Fun activities to learn about trash & climate change.



Don't Miss TRASH TALK!



Get the facts on solid waste sorting and learn about SB 1383 requirements firsthand from Natasha Browne, Oro Loma's Solid Waste Program Manager.

"Trash Talk" will be presented via Zoom the last Wednesday of each month, June – December 2023, 6:30 – 7:30 pm.

For more details visit:

OroLoma.org/trash-talk-waste-sorting-sb1383



REMINDER!
Before throwing out
useful items, consider
donating or having a
yard sale.

Need a Bulky Waste Pickup?

Oro Loma residential customers (single family and complexes up to four units) get two free bulky waste pickups per year.

Schedule a bulky waste pickup appointment at least two weeks in advance.

Call (510) 613-8710

M-F, 8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

For more information visit: OroLoma.org/bulky-waste-pickup

What is Accepted:

- Large household appliances
- Automobile tires
- Furniture and mattresses
- Yard trimmings and wood
- Trash and small appliances

WIPES CLOG PIPES



**ONLY FLUSH
THE 3 Ps
PEE. POOP. PAPER.**

Clogged plumbing can be difficult and expensive. Stop the clog before it starts! Never flush wipes even if labeled “flushable”. They do not break down in water and cause sewer backups. **ONLY FLUSH THE 3Ps – pee, poop, and toilet paper.**

Sewer Rate Increase

The 7.5% increase (\$26 per year for single-family residential customers) is part of a five-year plan approved by the Board on June 1, 2021.

The 2023 sewer service charge for single-family residential customers became \$368 per year (from \$342 per year) on July 1, 2023. The new rate remains the lowest in Alameda County.



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Oro Loma Sanitary District Office 24/7 Emergency Response (510) 276-4700
Waste Management (510) 613-8710
Alameda County Household Hazardous Waste (800) 606-6606

BOARD MEETINGS
First and third Tuesdays of every month
Visit OroLoma.org for Board agendas

TIP!

LEARN MORE at
StopWaste.org



LIGHT BULB DISPOSAL 101

While incandescent and halogen lights can be safely disposed of in the trash, some lights are hazardous and require specialized disposal.

HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE



Light Emitting
Diode (LED)



Compact Fluorescent
Light (CFL)



High Intensity
Discharge (HID)

OK TO PUT IN THE TRASH



Incandescent



Halogen

TIP!

ALWAYS DISPOSE OF USED MOTOR OIL SAFELY

WM will collect up to 2 gallons of used motor oil at the curb every week.
Call (510) 613-8710 to order free jugs.



Oro Loma Sanitary District provides wastewater collection and treatment services and residential and commercial trash, recycling, and organics collection services to its customers.

Our services **do not** include providing drinking water.



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