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Antelope Valley  
Beautiful”

THE ANTELOPE VALLEY ILLEGAL  
DUMPING TASK FORCE  
PRESENTS



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# Local Trash Talk

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**STOP**  
**Illegal Dumping**  
[www.STOPillegaldumping.com](http://www.STOPillegaldumping.com)  
1 (888) 8 DUMPING



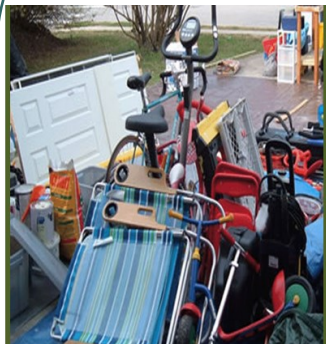
The Antelope Valley  
Illegal Dumping  
Task Force  
Meets at 3 p.m. on  
The second  
Wednesday of every  
Month at:  
Fire Station No.  
129  
Training Center  
42110 6th St. West  
Lancaster, CA



Example of  
Illegal Dumping site

For more  
Information on  
The County's  
Efforts to curb  
Illegal dumping  
Please visit  
[CleanLA.com](http://CleanLA.com)

## Free Dump 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 12, 2014.

With proof of residency, such as a driver's license, residents can drop off their trash from 8 a.m. to 12 p.m. Note: Vehicles must be in line by 12 p.m.

Free Dump 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 Dump 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 HHWE-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).

## CITY OF PALMDALE HONORS DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING JR.



As part of City of Palmdale's four-month, five-part Season of Service to honor the birthday of famed civil rights leader Dr. Martin Luther King Jr., the clean-up events are designed as a way for the community to come together and appreciate their surroundings. The upcoming events are:

- February 22 "Beds, Paths and Beyond," Yucca Neighborhood House, 503 East Ave. Q-3: Volunteers will work side by side with city staff to install infrastructure for a new community garden.
- March 15 "Pre-Summer Flight Check," Joe Davies Heritage Airpark, 2001 East Ave. P: Volunteers will help prepare the airpark for a summer of visitors. Participants must be age 12 or older.
- April 19 "Global Youth Service Day," Marie Kerr Park, 2723 West Rancho Vista Blvd. (Ave. P): Youth, families, and the young at heart will participate in a park beautification project.
- April 26 "Mormon Helping Hands Day," Desert Sands Park, 39117 3rd St. East: In an event sponsored by the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, volunteers will take part in a makeover of the neighborhood park.



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## Calendar

- **FREE HHW / E-Waste Collection:** 1st and 3rd Saturday of every month at the AVECC (9 a.m. to 3 p.m.)
- **FREE Dump Day for Unincorporated County Area residents at Waste Management of Lancaster** April 12, 2014 (8 am to 12 pm)
- **FREE Waste Tire Collection Event for all Antelope Valley residents** April 26, 2014 (9 am to 3 pm)

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**1 (800) 252-4613**  
 or e-mail to:  
[abcShoppingCarts1@yahoo.com](mailto:abcShoppingCarts1@yahoo.com)

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

## Adopt-A-Highway Spotlight for the Alpine Locksmith

### The Mission:

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 Francisco Guzman, Alpine Locksmith for their participation in the Adopt-A-Highway Program. Since September 27, 2002 they have serviced Avenue T from 80th Street East to 96th Street East in Littlerock. When asked about his motivation to participate in the program, Francisco Guzman states: "We choose Adopt-A-Highway because we believe it is better to keep a city clean."

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



## 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 26, 2014, from 9 am to 3 pm.**

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

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

Tires are recycled into playground fill and crumb rubber. The events are conducted in partnership with the Cities of Palmdale and Lancaster, and provide an important tool to clean up the Antelope Valley.

For more information on the next waste tire collection event, please visit [www.CleanLA.com](http://www.CleanLA.com).

