Collection Event for Large Bulky Waste Items

Saturday, October 27, 2018

Once again, the Kern County Public Works Department and Kern Refuse Haulers are joining efforts to help beautify our community by hosting a Bulky Waste Collection Event on **Saturday, October 27, 2018**. Residents with bulky items to be disposed of can stop by any of the three drop-off locations from **8:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon ONLY, Saturday, October 27, 2018**.

Bring your large **HOUSEHOLD ITEMS** like appliances and furniture to:
- **Old Meadows Field Int’l Terminal** – 1401 Skyway Drive (Off Airport Drive)
- **Kern County Fairgrounds** – 1142 South P Street (East Belle Terrace & South P)
- **Kern Medical Center** – Flower Street parking lot

One of the goals of this program is to help clean up illegal dumping. Bulky items, such as appliances, mattresses and furniture make up more than 50% of the waste found illegally dumped. The bulky waste collection events are a pro-active method for addressing a major portion of the illegal dumping waste stream.

“I am pleased to say that due to our past success with this program, the Kern Refuse Haulers are continuing to host these events in addition to the Curbside Bulky Waste Collection services offered to residents of the unincorporated Metro-Bakersfield area,” said Craig Pope Director of the Kern County Public Works Department.

Residents have two options to get rid of bulky items: They can call 322-6863 to schedule a curbside pick-up at their home for up to two items per month **OR** bring their bulky waste items to one of the bi-annual Bulky Waste Collection Events.

The **Salvation Army** and **Goodwill Industries, Inc.** have joined in this effort once again and will be available to accept donations of items that can be reused.

Please tarp or secure your load prior to transporting your bulky waste to one of these locations.