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2004 California Environmental
Protection Agency
Household Hazardous
Waste/Used Oil Collection
Program Awards

- Presenting the Awards this year on behalf of Secretary Terry Tamminen is Karl Palmer from DTSC. Karl is a Branch Chief who is responsible for implementing DTSC's HHW Program.

Best New Program



City of Los Angeles

Used Oil Recycling Program

Filter Recycling and Exchange







Most Unique E-Waste Program



City of Los Angeles,
Bureau of Sanitation,
Residential Special Materials
Section

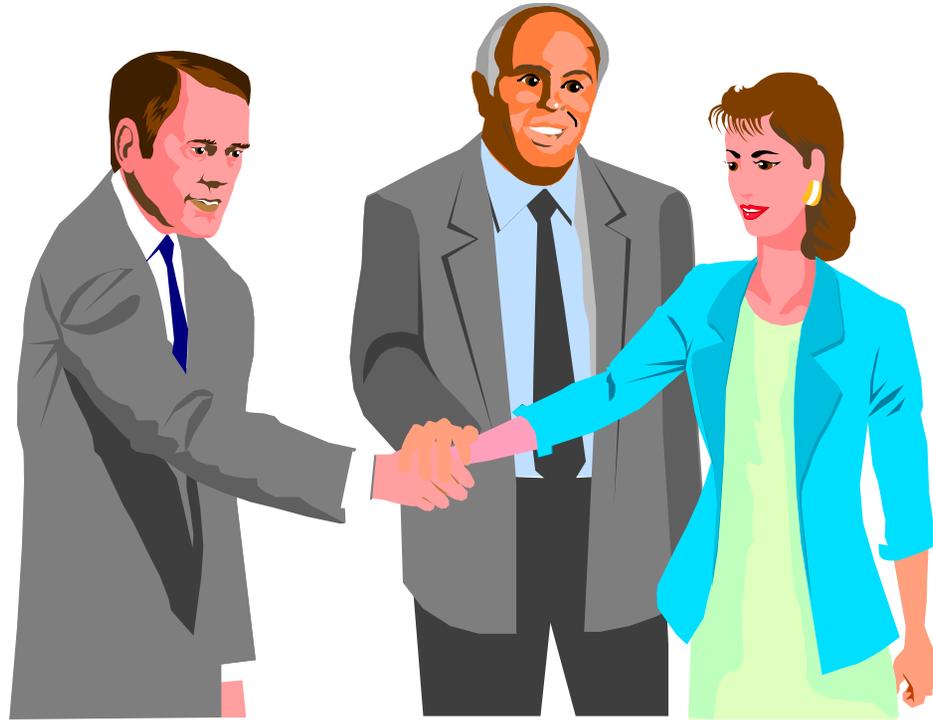
- 20,000 residents have participated in the program
- More than 2 million pounds of e-waste has been collected with no increases in fees or taxes.

The City's e-waste contractor, NxtCycle, collects business e-waste.

NxtCycle agreed to charge lower rates which were only enough to cover NxtCycle's operating expenses.

- This e-waste collection for businesses is held once per month at each of the permanent collection facilities, on the same day as the CESQG collection.

Togetherness Award



City of Los Angeles

“Used Oil Recycling Public
Education Program”





















Program Excellence



City of Los Angeles
Residential Special Materials
Recycling Program

Successful New Programs

- The CESQG Program
- The E-Waste Recycling Program
- The Used Motor Oil Filter Exchange Program

Successful New Programs

- The Mercury Medical Equipment Exchange Program
- The Marina Motor Oil Recovery Program
- The Phase-Out Chemical Re-use Program

S.A.F.E. CENTERS

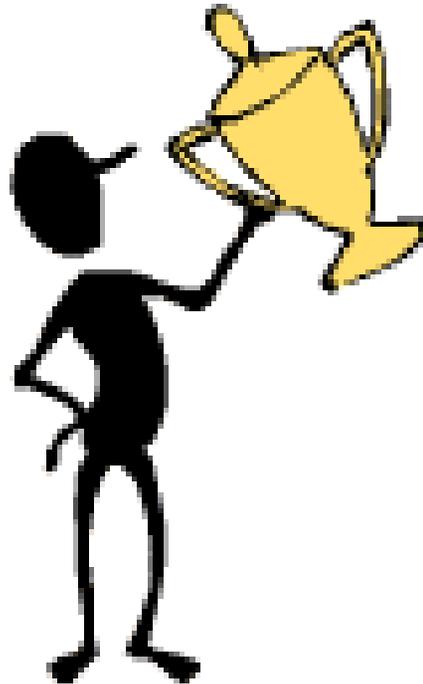
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- Solvents, Automotives, Flammables, and Electronics (S.A.F.E) Collection Centers. Customers get one-stop services their household hazardous waste handling needs.

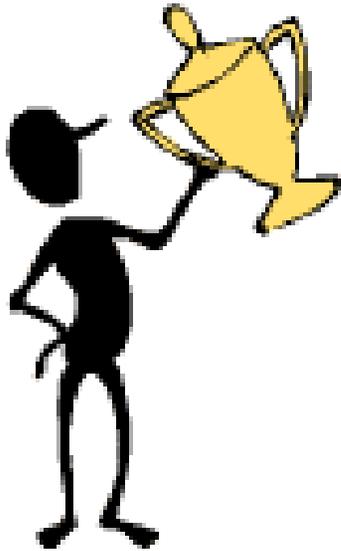
- Public education and participation
- Balance convenient and efficient services with environmental and regulatory issues

- Customer service standards, sustainable practices, and improvement initiatives
- Developed auditing mechanisms open to public disclosure,
- Sponsored community forums.

Outstanding Personal Service



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Oscar Amaro

Oscar



The Ocean Begins



In Your Neighborhood

HELP THE
**GREASE
AVENGER**

YECH!! WHAT A MESS!

**KEEP FATS, OIL AND
GREASE OUT OF SEWERS!**

**USE BASKETS OR STRAINERS
IN SINKS TO CATCH FOOD
SCRAPS AND OTHER SOLIDS...
DON'T POUR FATS, OIL AND
GREASE DOWN SINKS, FLOOR
DRAINS OR TOILETS!**

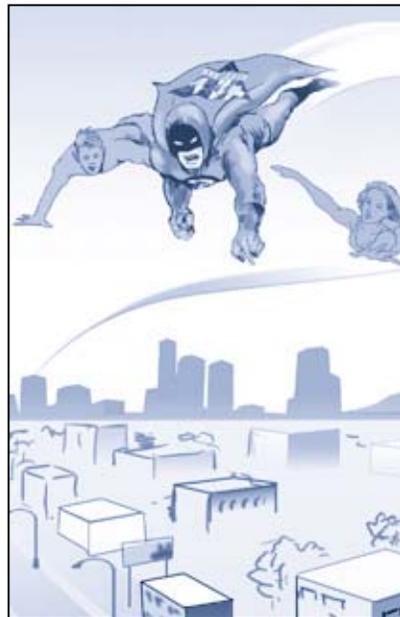
**BARBERS DISPOSALS USE
LARGE AMOUNTS OF WATER
AND ELECTRICITY...REDUCE
OR ELIMINATE USAGE TO
LOWER YOUR UTILITY BILLS!**

**SCOUR GREASE AND FOOD
SCRAPS FROM PLATES &
PANS...AND RECYCLE OR
PLACE THEM IN THE TRASH!**

**KEEP GREASE
INTERCEPTORS AND TRAPS
IN PROPER WORKING
CONDITION BY MAINTAINING
AND CLEANING THEM ON A
REGULAR BASIS**

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BUREAU OF SANITATION

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**Best Management Practices
Auto Repair Industry**

Metal Grinding & Polishing

Keep a bin under your table to guide to capture most (80%) dust accumulation. Empty this trap weekly to help to reduce dust.

Large air capture hoods do not capture dusts or vapors from vehicle exhausts or other materials or materials used in the shop.



Cleaning Up Spills Immediately

Address spills immediately. Use proper hazardous materials response plan, or spill kit with your best line of defense in other hazardous waste situations. Do not let oil or hazardous materials on the floor and use capable of implementing such plans of the plan. Use dry methods for spill cleanup (sweeping, absorbent materials, etc.)



Sign up your response to hazardous wastes, some chemicals can be dangerous to health and safety. Use the correct disposal methods. Dispose of hazardous waste materials in accordance with proper disposal methods. Do not mix hazardous waste with other hazardous materials (chemicals, solvents, etc.)

Preventing Leaks and Spills

Place dip pans underneath to capture leaks. Use absorbent cleaning agents instead of water to clean such areas.

When greases or wastes are spilled, clean up immediately. Use appropriate disposal methods. Do not mix hazardous materials or liquids of equal or higher than the spill.



Cleaning Auto Parts

Transfer parts with a clean cloth or use a clean area rather than liquid cleaners. Arrange dip pans, spray nozzles, and clean tanks so that fluids are directed back into the sink or the fluid holding tank.



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Proper Storage of Hazardous Waste

Keep your liquid waste segregated. Many fluids can be recycled or hazardous waste disposal companies if they are not used. Store all materials under cover or under a proper containment by rainwater.

Refrigerate and decontaminate liquids if possible. If you cannot, store in a safe place. Do not mix hazardous materials or liquids of equal or higher than the spill.



Proper Disposal of Hazardous Waste

Keep oil, solvent, oil and acid, and other hazardous materials, lubricants, and metal shop collected. Use proper collection methods. Contact a hazardous waste disposal company for disposal of hazardous materials.

Do not mix hazardous materials or liquids of equal or higher than the spill. Do not mix hazardous materials or liquids of equal or higher than the spill.



TO REPORT ILLEGAL DUMPING, CALL REPORTER DERRAMA LEGAL.



(800) 974-9794



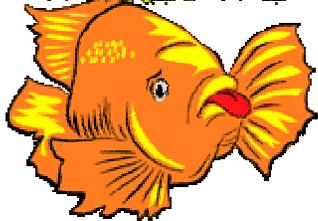


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TICK OFF TURTLES

**POLLUTION
MAKES ME**



SEA SICK!

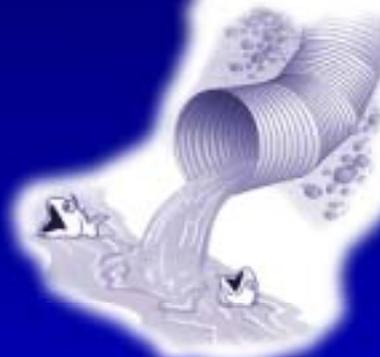
**YOU OTTER
NOT POLLUTE!**



WASTE

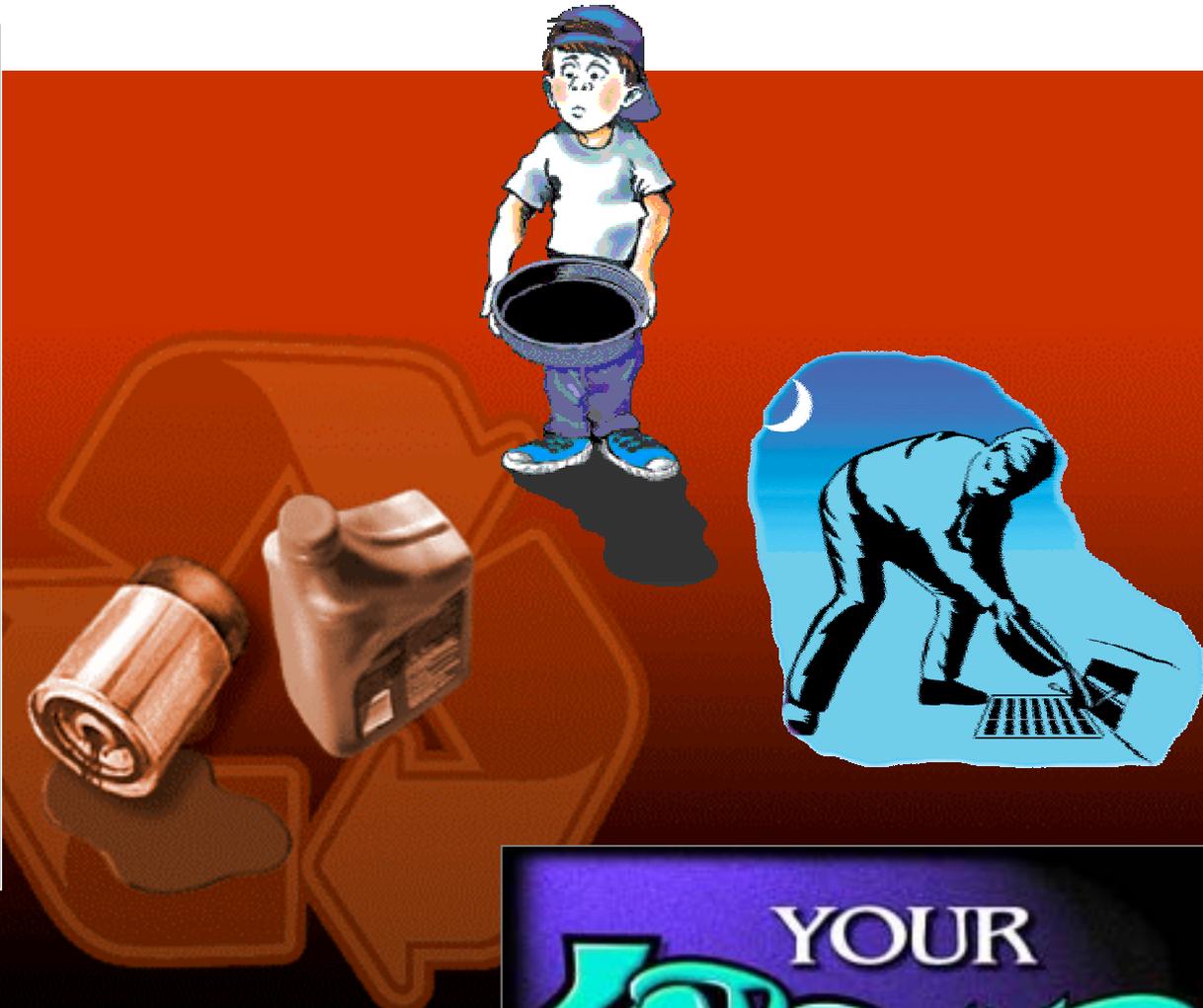


RUINS MY TASTE





"Just a minute dear. We'll go to the beach as soon as I'm done changing the oil."



CITY OF LOS ANGELES
USED OIL RECYCLING PROGRAM
(888) CLEAN-LA

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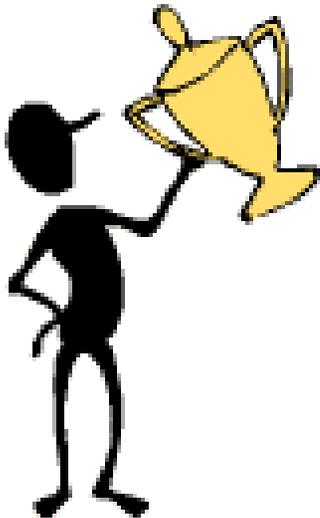
YOUR STREET

DON'T LET 'EM TRASH IT.

RECYCLE YOUR USED OIL and FILTERS.
 For the nearest location call 1(888) CLEAN LA

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Outstanding Personal Service

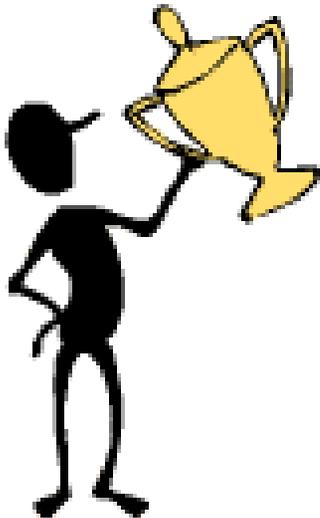


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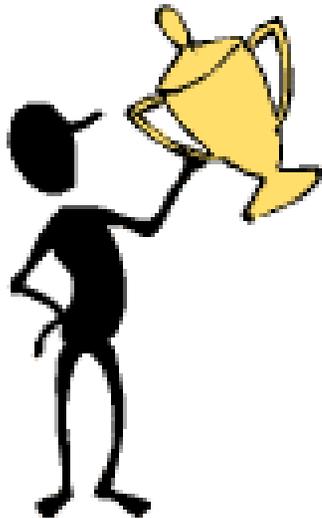


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Jackson

Jaimy



Special Recognition Award



Dan Jasper

Dan



The Lighter Side

Picric Acid



Nevada County

Emergency Crew



Picturesque



Nevada County



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