

**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE****Temporary Closure of the Bena Landfill on Monday, July 17**  
*To reopen in the afternoon*

**KERN COUNTY, Calif.** – On Monday, July 17, 2023, the Bena Landfill will be temporarily closed due to scheduled road repairs by Union Pacific Railroad on the Neumarkel Road railroad crossing and the entrance to the Bena Landfill frontage road. The Bena Landfill and roads are anticipated to reopen at 1 p.m.

Nearby Kern County Public Works Landfills to use until the Bena Landfill reopens:

**Shafter-Wasco Landfill**  
**Open 7 Days a Week from 8:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.**  
17621 Scofield Avenue, Shafter, CA 93263

**Taft Landfill**  
**Open Monday, Wednesday, Friday, and Saturday from 8:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.**  
**and**  
**Sunday from 12:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m.**  
13351 Elk Hills Road, Taft, CA 93268

For a full list of our disposal sites and their hours of operation, please visit <https://kernpublicworks.com/waste-management/disposal-sites/>.

For more information, visit our website at [www.kernpublicworks.com](http://www.kernpublicworks.com) and follow us on Facebook [@KernCountyPublicWorks](https://www.facebook.com/KernCountyPublicWorks).

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