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Kern County Public Works to Host a Bulky Waste Collection Event in Shafter

Since January 2023, 75.62 tons of bulky waste has been collected at these events throughout Kern County

KERN COUNTY, Calif. – Kern County Public Works will be hosting a Bulky Waste Collection Event in Shafter, on Saturday, November 4, 2023, offering Kern County residents the opportunity to drive in and drop off their unwanted residential bulky waste for free!

Shafter Bulky Waste Collection Event**Saturday, November 4, 2023****8 a.m. to 12 p.m.****County Administrative Building:** 329 Central Valley Highway

In partnership with Cesar Chavez Environmental Corps and American Refuse

Bulky waste includes, but is not limited to, household appliances such as refrigerators and water heaters, mattresses, furniture, electronics, BBQ grills, and other large household items. Tires without rims* will also be accepted during the event by the [Cesar Chavez Environmental Corps](#). All items will be accepted free of charge.

Items **not** accepted at the event include construction waste, demolition and remodeling waste, household trash, green waste, hazardous waste, and commercial waste. **Acceptable items can only be dropped off during the designated day and time. Please remember to tarp or secure your load before transporting your bulky waste to the collection events. These events are for residential waste only. No commercial or business waste will be accepted.**

Bulky waste collection events like these are sponsored by Kern County Public Works to address and prevent the illegal dumping issue in Kern County. Bulky items such as appliances, mattresses, and furniture make up a significant portion of the waste found at illegal dumpsites throughout the County.

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

**Per State Law, transport up to 9 tires per trip.*

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