

CONSTRUCTION & DEMOLITION RECYCLING PROGRAM

WHAT IS CALGREEN?

The California Green Building Standards Code (CALGreen) mandates new residential and non-residential construction, demolition, and certain additions and alterations projects to **recycle and/or salvage for reuse a minimum of 65%** of the non-hazardous construction and demolition (C&D) debris generated during the project. The requirements must be met in order to obtain a building permit.



If the building department has instructed you to comply, and you choose to use South Tahoe Refuse as your waste management company, there are steps you need to take to ensure your project meets the requirements.

HOW TO COMPLY

If you choose to **SELF-HAUL**:

You can bring in your debris mixed and we will separate it by material type and provide you with an overall recycling rate. The overall rate is consistently over 65%, so we can guarantee your project will comply.

Option 1 (preferred): Set up a Transfer Station account specifically for your project location. When your project is complete, request your CALGreen report from our staff.

Option 2: If you don't have a project-specific account, keep every transaction receipt, write the project address on them. When your project is complete, bring STR staff your receipts and request your CALGreen report.

Please note there is a \$25 administrative fee for all CALGreen reports.

If you choose **DROP-BOX SERVICE**:

When you establish the account with our office, be sure to note that the project has CALGreen requirements. When the project is complete, request a report from our staff.

Note: We require at least 2 days advance notice to prepare reports.

Thank you for recycling with South Tahoe Refuse!

Questions or need to set up an account?

Call us at (530) 541-5105

