



# April 2023 Community Newsletter



## Keep Recycling

By now you have probably heard that recycling fees have increased and at times have been higher than landfilling the materials. It's also important to know that landfilling the recycling will not reduce costs because it will still need to be collected and hauled.

WFWRD continues with the commitment to provide residents the avenues to recycle because it is still worth it for the environment and the future costs of not recycling.

**Here are a few tips to keep costs as low as possible:**

- Keep it clean: Make sure items are emptied. You don't need to wash your recycling, just a quick rinse if needed.
- When in doubt, throw it out.
- No plastic bags of any kind. Even bagging your recycling and placing the bag in the curbside recycle can drives up costs.



## CNG Benefits

WFWRD is proud to have a complete Compressed Natural Gas (CNG) fleet of trucks for curbside collections. Not only is CNG better for the environment by putting fewer pollutants into the air, it is also less expensive than diesel fuel. These savings help to off-set the purchase of the truck.

## Recycling & Earth Day

Earth Day is coming up on April 22nd! Help celebrate by reducing the use of disposable plastics and recycling clean. For more information on Earth Day events and sustainable practices visit: [www.earthday.org](http://www.earthday.org). To help residents of the district practice clean recycling habits, WFWRD has recycling guides that can be found on our website. For recycling tips and to find the answers to your recycling questions, use the QR code to follow WFWRD on Instagram (@wasatchfrontwaste).



## Trailer Rental Program

Spring is here, which means we think about Spring Cleaning. We have both bulk trailers and green waste trailers that you can rent to help with your household clean-up tasks. These trailers are reserved on a first-come, first-served basis. Rental fees, and other details, are available on our website at <https://wasatchfrontwaste.org>. You can also reserve your trailer online or call our offices to make your reservation. Sign up early to ensure you get the trailer on the date you need.

