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# CURBSIDE NEWS

ACES WASTE SERVICES

Keeping Amador County Clean & Green Since 1976!

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## Congratulations to Winners of ACES Annual Scholarship Awards



ACES is pleased to congratulate this year's ACES' Scholarship awards to graduating high school students. Each student received \$2,000 toward the cost of their higher education. **In the photos, left to right: Amador High School:** (l-r) Ian Gillott, Colton Folea; **Argonaut High School:** (l-r) Hannah Mottishaw, Maevae Klement, Ashley Rouen, Diego Lopez (employee scholarship); **Independence High School:** (not pictured) Kendra Morris.

## Electric Garbage Trucks for ACES?

You may have heard about California's regulations requiring a phase-out of internal combustion engines in heavy-duty vehicles. The primary goal of the Advanced Clean Fleets (ACF) regulation is to reduce tailpipe emissions quickly for trucks, vans, and buses by requiring fleets to convert to electrification where feasible -- with a goal of 100% conversion by 2040.

Waste company fleets secured a delayed timeline to transition to zero-emission vehicles -- until 2042 -- so ACES at this time has no timeline or phase-in requirement to

meet. However, state regulators have indicated that in 2028, they will begin looking at the results of the initial phase-in of zero emission vehicles in other industries and will likely begin new regulations and requirements to phase in these vehicles for smaller fleets like ACES'. Without draft regulations at this time, it's tough to estimate how the Advanced Clean Fleets rule will affect ACES Waste Services.

ACES is watching the issue closely, even though the deadline is now 18 years off, to be sure that trucks can continue to provide service to our rural community customers spread out over many miles and varied terrain.

AMADOR COUNTY  
CHAMBER OF  
COMMERCE



Celebrating  
Amador County's  
Business Community



## BUSINESS PERSON OF THE YEAR AWARDS

### OCTOBER 5, 2024

## Italian Picnic Grounds

581 Hwy 49, Sutter Creek

### Also Honoring

The Heritage Award  
Italian Benevolent  
Society

The Service Award  
Soroptimist of Amador

The Discovery Award  
Lava Dog Gun Vault



Honoring Amador County's 2024  
Business Persons of the year  
**RON & MARIE REGAN**

**NO HOST BAR AT 5PM  
DINNER AT 6PM  
FOLLOWED BY AWARD  
PRESENTATIONS**

**TICKETS \$75 PER PERSON**  
**TABLE OF 8 - \$650**  
Includes Premium Table  
Placement & Table Signage

**For Tickets call  
209-223-0350 or  
amadorchamber.com**



## Anthony Doran

Anthony Doran was born and raised in Amador County, and worked as an equipment operator at ACES before being promoted this spring to Supervisor of the Buena Vista Transfer Station.

He applied at ACES three years ago because he heard that ACES was a great place to work ... and he likes running heavy equipment and trucks. A win-win! As Supervisor with a crew of about nine at the Lone Transfer Station, his job is to make sure the daily operations are running smoothly but he still has plenty of opportunity to get in the loaders, excavators and semi trucks.

“Everything my guys are doing, I’m doing it right along with them,” says Anthony. He’s clearly a “can-do” kind of guy as he is also spending most of his free time training with the Lone Volunteer Fire Dept.

He and his wife recently bought a home in Lone so he now has a great commute to his new role at ACES.

## HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

**Labor Day:** Normal collection, Office closed, Transfer stations closed.

**Columbus Day:** Normal collection, Normal Office and Transfer Station hours.

### Household Hazardous Waste Drop-Off:

**Sept. 7, 21; Oct. 5, 19; Nov. 2, 16.**

At the Buena Vista Transfer Station, Lone, 9 am - 1 pm.  
Free, up to 15 gallons or 125 lbs per trip.

## Fall Clean-Up, Oct. 7 - 11 Within City Limits of Lone, Jackson, Sutter Creek & Plymouth:

Residential Fall Clean-up will be the week of **October 7 -11**. ACES provides customers within city limits of Lone, Jackson, Sutter Creek and Plymouth one free extra pick-up (up to one cubic yard, 3’x3’x3’, or about seven 32-gallon bags) on normal pickup days. All general trash and yard waste must be bagged, boxed, or bundled in a throw-away container. No single item may exceed 50 pounds or 4 feet in length.

**Acceptable materials include:** Paper products, general trash, wood, tools, metal, plastics, yard waste.

**Unacceptable materials include:** Appliances, furniture, mattresses, tires, electronic waste (TV’s, computers, etc.), motor oil, rock, dirt, concrete, paint, hot ashes, animal waste, household hazardous waste.

## NEED A BEAR-PROOF CART?

96-gallon bear-resistant carts are available now.

Call the ACES office, 209-274-2237  
for pricing and more information.



**A child in Amador’s foster care system  
could use an adult, like you,  
to be their advocate and mentor!**

**HELP SOMEONE BY JUST BEING YOU!**

*Learn more about volunteering as a  
Court Appointed Special Advocate for a foster child  
in Amador County.*

