

# The Livermore Citywide Garage Sale

*Make sure your production earns five stars and two thumbs up!*

## Before the Curtain Goes Up

- Get organized. Group items according to type or price range.
- Make price signs sturdy and easy to read.



- Use tables or racks to display your items. Hang clothing on a clothesline.

- Leave room for shoppers to move about freely.



- Have bags and boxes available.

- Provide newspaper for wrapping breakable items.



- Put together a secure cash box with enough small bills and coins to make change.

- Have the following items handy if you are selling electronics and/or light fixtures:

- Power supply and extension cord
- Batteries
- Working light bulb(s)

- Prepare for weather conditions. Be ready to move inside the garage or have heavy duty tape, canopies, and weighted items on hand.

## After the Curtain Closes

- Take down any signs. Keep them for reuse or recycle them.
- Gather remaining items and consider the following options:
  - Save for a future garage sale or list for sale on Craigslist or Ebay.
  - Donate to a local charitable organization or thrift store.
  - Offer them for free on **freecycle.org**.
  - Post them on Livermore Sanitation's Reuse Network. Go to **LivermoreSanitation.com**, and login to your account for more information.
  - Arrange for removal using Livermore Sanitation's Cleanup/Bulky Item Collection Program. For more information or to schedule a pick up, contact us at: **LivermoreSanitation.com** or 925-449-7300.



## A Word About Signs



- Reduce waste by not posting any signs. If your address has been included in Livermore Sanitation's advertising of the Sale, signs are probably not necessary to bring in shoppers.
- Post any must-have signs only on your private property. The Livermore Development Code prohibits the placement of signs on public property and requires that all temporary signs be removed within 5 days.

**Thank you for doing your part by participating in the Citywide Garage Sale!**