

## **Did you know...**

that the improper disposal of CFL bulbs or Fluorescent light tubes in your garbage or recycling contributes to the contamination of our air, land and water...and you're breaking the law?

CFL bulbs and Fluorescent light tubes contain a small amount of mercury, a known toxin, and it's against the law to dispose of the bulbs in your household garbage. Consumers can take burned out bulbs to hazardous waste collection sites in Martinez: <http://www.co.contra-costa.ca.us/depart/cd/recycle/options/v5953.htm>

Additionally, you can bring your spent lighting to the following local retailers:

### **Tassajara Valley Hardware**

**3438 Camino Tassajara, Danville 94506**

**925.736.6380**

**Fluorescent light tubes or CFL bulbs for a dollar (\$1) each**

### **ACE Hardware**

**3211 Danville Blvd, Alamo 94507**

**925.314.9917**

**Fluorescent light tubes or CFL bulbs from consumers**

### **Home Depot**

**2750 Crow Canyon Road, San Ramon**

**925. 838.0194**

**CFL bulbs only (Deposit in box by returns desk)**

Please use caution if you break a bulb or tube. Sweep up the fragments; don't vacuum since that will only disperse the debris. Then put the pieces into a zip lock plastic bag and bring the bag and your broom to the hazardous waste disposal site.