

## U.S. Army Garrison Hawaii – Environmental Compliance Guide

# WOOD WASTE

## GENERAL INFORMATION

Wood waste such as pallets and crates are mission waste and must be disposed of properly.

## WASTE CHARACTERIZATION

Wood waste includes pallets, crates, plywood, pressboard etc. The Army Recycling Center (ARC) can accept limited quantities of heat treated and unpainted wood pallets that are in good condition for re-use (see the Wooden Pallets sheet in this guide for more info). The ARC can also accept limited quantities of pallets and wood in scrap condition. All other wood must be disposed of.

Wood waste does **NOT** include green waste (branches, leaves, tree stumps etc.) Green waste is accepted at the ARC for recycling.

## HANDLING AND DISPOSAL PROCEDURES

For small quantities, call the ARC before dropping off to ensure there is space for the pallets/wood waste: (808) 861-2720. To dispose of large amounts of wood waste, a special request can be placed for a roll off dumpster through the DPW Service Contract Branch. Ensure you have enough to fill an entire dumpster before ordering as a fee does apply per bin per day of use. A GPC will be required to pay for the roll off container. Call (808) 787-0867 for details on requesting a temporary dumpster.



For more info contact: DPW Environmental Solid Waste and Recycling

Program at (808) 787-0867