The City of Frisco Environmental Services and the Frisco Community

Working together to create a greener future

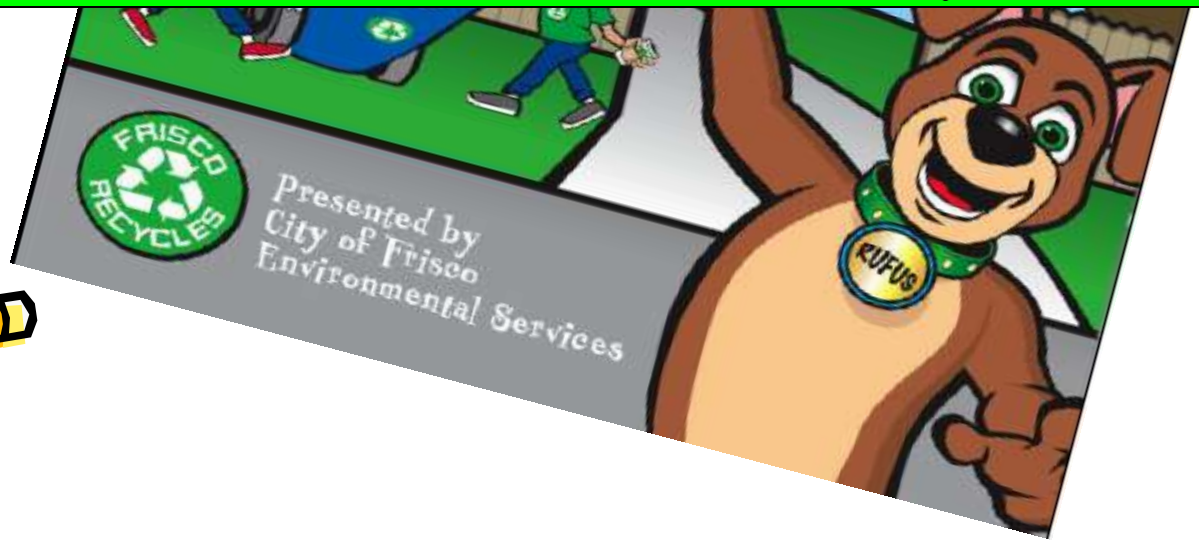
Environmental Services

- **Environmental Education Coordinator**
  - **To educate the citizens of Frisco on the importance of environmental issues facing our city**
  - **To promote through educational outreach, media press, and by example the benefits of our city's recycling program**
  - **To promote environmental activities performed by Frisco citizens**

This Year's Program Ideas

- Barktoberfest (Reuse)
- Texas Recycles Day (Reduce)
- V-Day contest (Recycle)
- Clean It and Green It (Litter Prevention)
- Recycling in schools
- Campus projects
  - Tire Pressure
  - No Paper School Days
  - Walk to School Programs
  - Community Parade
- School visits

Three 12 page coloring books introducing the Environmental Services' characters, talking about recycling, and giving the user a chance to win cool prizes



Speaking of our Characters…….

I'm Rufus Recycles. I enjoy helping out and learning about environmental issues.

My name is Cari the Cart. I help Frisco citizens recycle!

Hi! I am Travis the Trash cart. I help manage citizens' waste.

Howdy. I am Buzz the Bee. I keep Frisco Litter Free!

Hola. My name is Gaston. I drive citizens' waste to the landfill.

Ms. Recyclina. I pick up your recycling!

During the 2 weeks, 128,441 bags were collected!!!

Valentine's Day Phone Book Recycling Program

We collected 16,511 books. By recycling these books we saved

- 31,000 gallons of water
- 1,135,300 kilowatts of power
- 109 feet of landfill space
- 1,023 trees

Volunteer Opportunities

Community Programs

Publications and Press

www.FriscoGreenLiving.com

HOME | AIR & WATER | GREEN BUILDING & ENERGY | PEOPLE & PROJECTS | RECYCLING & WASTE | THE GREEN LIFE

Search

FRISCO Green Living

Latest News

- Love Your Lawn? Attend the "Lawn Care 101" Waterwise Workshop
- Student's Artwork 'In the Bag'!
- EPA Celebrates Milestones on 40th Anniversary
- 'Consumer Reports' Picks Best Water Filters to Replace Bottled Water
- Frisco Community Garden Will Aid Food Pantry for a Second Year
- **More News >>>**

Featured Items

At Frisco's IKEA, the yellow and blue gets mixed with plenty of green.

1 2 3 4

Subscribe

Get Our Feed
Follow the latest news and get tips by subscribing to the Frisco Green Living feed.

Go

About Us

Frisco is a Green Building City
Frisco was the first city in the U.S. to mandate 'Energy Star' standards for new home construction beginning in 2001.

Read more

Calendar of Events

April 28
Frisco Urban Forestry Board Meeting -- 6:30-8:30 p.m., 6726 Walnut St.

Go

We also recycle at all the City's and FISD major events!!

Well Known Program

- Keep Texas Beautiful – 1st place Environmental Education Program for a School District 2006-2007
- Texas Recycling Alliance – Recycling Leadership Award for Education and Outreach 2008
- Guest Presenter at SWANA - (Solid Waste Association of North America) at national conference 2008
- Guest Presenter for SWANA - online Education Seminar 2008
- Invited to be Guest Presenter at SWANA – at national conference 2009
- Guest Presenter at STAR conference 2009