

County of Los Angeles

FLAG DISPOSAL

County buildings customarily display the U.S. flag, the California State flag, and the County of Los Angeles flag. When any of these flags become too worn to be displayed properly, they must be disposed of in a correct and respectful manner, known as retirement of the flag(s).

The Department of Military and Veterans Affairs under Director Ruth Wong, will collect the flags they receive and turn them to the Boy Scouts of America for proper disposal.

Flags to be disposed may be mailed or delivered to one of the following organizations:

➤ County of Los Angeles Department of Military and Veterans Affairs

Jaime Gomez-Beltran, Building Manager
Bob Hope Patriotic Hall
Department of Military and Veterans Affairs
1816 South Figueroa Street
Los Angeles, CA 90015
Jgomez-beltran@mva.lacounty.gov
213.765.9227 (O)
213.587.2687 (C)

➤ Boy Scouts of America

Boy Scouts of America Western Los Angeles County Council
16525 Sherman Way, Unit C-8
Van Nuys, CA 91406
Tel. (818) 785-8700
Website: bsa-la.org

*Units of the Boy Scouts of America hold special flag retirement ceremonies.

➤ The American Legion

Hollywood American Legion Post 43
2035 Highland Ave.
Los Angeles, CA
(323) 851-3030

* The American Legion Post 43 collects the flags then turns them to the Boy Scouts of America for retirement.