Mandatory Organic Waste Disposal Reduction Ordinance

Senate Bill 1383

Public Works Commission Meeting

November 10, 2021
Senate Bill 1383

CLIMATE CHANGE NEGATIVELY IMPACTS CALIFORNIA

Landfilled Organic Waste Emits
Methane Gas—A Super Pollutant
More Powerful than CO2

Methane Gas Contributes to Climate Change in California

CALIFORNIA is already experiencing the impacts of CLIMATE CHANGE

IN 2015 THE DROUGHT COST THE AGRICULTURE INDUSTRY IN THE CENTRAL VALLEY AN ESTIMATED $2.7 BILLION & 20,000 JOBS
Agenda

• Senate Bill 1383 Overview
• Work Accomplished Toward SB 1383
• Ordinance – Enforcement (Timeline)
• SB 1383 Outreach Material
• Community Engagement
• Next Steps
• Recommendation
Senate Bill 1383 Overview

Jurisdictions Requirements

- Provide Organics Collection Services to All Residents and Businesses
- Conduct Education and Outreach to Community
- Secure Access to Recycling and Edible Food Recovery Capacity
- Establish Edible Food Recovery Program
- Procure Recyclable and Recovered Organic Products
- Monitor Compliance and Conduct Enforcement
Work Accomplished toward SB 1383

- Assessment of organic waste generators for all commercial customers, except all multi-family properties

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<th>Sector Type Customers</th>
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<th>Possible Exemption (Waiver)</th>
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<td>134</td>
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- Completed a Draft Ordinance
✓ Expanded green bin collection service to include food waste to existing residents.

✓ Initiated labeling residential green bins with alley collection service.

✓ Initiated organic waste recycling collection service in the Public Works Facility.
**Ordinance – Enforcement (Timeline)**

**Jurisdiction Requirements**

- **Ordinance 2022**
  - Adopt an Ordinance (Enforceable Mechanism)
  - Including Enforcement

- **Compliance Monitoring & Education 2022-2024**
  - Annual Compliance Reviews, Route Reviews, Inspections
  - Educate Violators

- **Compliance Monitoring & Enforcement 2024**
  - Annual Compliance Reviews
  - Route Reviews, Inspections
  - Notice of Violations, Penalties for Violators
SB 1383 Outreach Material

Brochures and Mailers

SB 1383 Webpage
Community Engagement
Next Steps

• Work in progress:
  ▪ Adoption of Mandatory Organic Waste Disposal Reduction Ordinance
  ▪ SB 1383 Dedicated Webpage
  ▪ Development of Container Labeling with QR Code

• Work to be done in 2022:
  ▪ Community Outreach (direct mailers, newspaper ads, social media post, etc.)
  ▪ Commercial Edible Food Generator Assessment
  ▪ Department Meeting
  ▪ Commercial Business Roll Out
  ▪ Residential Food Scrap Pail Roll Out
  ▪ Multi-Family Roll Out and Food Scrap Pail
Staff is recommending that the Public Works Commission support the Mandatory Organic Waste Disposal Reduction Ordinance draft to be presented to City Council for adoption.
Discussion
Elements of the Draft Ord.

1. Scope of Article (Sec. 6-1-501)
2. Definitions (Sec. 6-1-502)
3. Requirements for Single-Family Organic Waste Generators (Sec. 6-1-503)
4. Requirements for Commercial Businesses (Sec. 6-1-504)
5. Waivers for Generators (Sec. 6-1-505)
6. Requirements for Commercial Edible Food Generators (Sec. 6-1-506)
7. Requirements for Food Recovery Organizations and Services (Sec. 6-1-507)
8. Requirements for Haulers, Facility Operators and Community Composting (Sec. 6-1-508)
9. Self-Hauler Requirements (Sec. 6-1-509)
10. Procurement Requirements for Direct Service Providers, and Vendors (Sec. 6-1-510)
11. Inspections and Investigations by City (Sec. 6-1-511)
12. Enforcement (Sec. 6-1-512)