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Mandatory Organics Recycling AB 1826 CA State Mandate



State Mandate AB1826 – Organic Recycling

How to Comply

- Call your local city Public Works Department to get set up for services
- Donate unwanted food that is still edible to a food rescue
- Recycle organic waste onsite through composting or self-haul for organic recycling.
- Source – separate organic waste from other waste and subscribe to an organic waste recycling service that specifically includes collection and recycling of organic waste.
- Subscribe to organic waste recycling services that include mixed-waste processing that specifically recycles organic waste.

Organics: defined by the State as food waste, green waste, landscape and pruning waste, non-hazardous wood waste, and food-soiled paper waste that is mixed in the food waste

Multi-family dwellings less than 5 units are NOT required to recycle food waste at this time; however, multi-family dwellings with 5 or more units must have organic recycling service for their yard waste/green waste trimming.



REQUIREMENTS

Businesses and Multi-family Dwellings must have an organic recycling program in place by:

April 1, 2016	Generators of 8 or more cubic yards of organic waste per week
January 1, 2017	Generators of 4 or more cubic yards of organic waste per week
January 1, 2019	Generators of 4 or more cubic yards of solid waste per week
January 1, 2020	Generators of 2 or more cubic yards of solid waste per week, if state-wide disposal of organic waste is not decreased by 50%

For more information, please contact Public Works Customer Service (310) 285-2467