

California Required **Organics Recycling**



What is it?

All businesses throughout the state are required to subscribe to an organics recycling service (which includes both food waste and green waste collection) as required by Senate Bill 1383. Organic waste material includes items such as food waste, food-soiled paper, green waste/lawn clippings, and clean wood.

For more information, visit California Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery (CalRecycle) website at www.calrecycle.ca.gov/organics/slcp/.



SB 1383's intent is to reduce organic materials going to the landfill, decreasing greenhouse gas emissions. This helps you, your employees, and your tenants.

What do I need to do?

Subscribe to sufficient organics services and educate and train employees and tenants to sort food scraps and food-soiled paper properly.

Sign up for organics collection service. WM offers free onsite or virtual visits, assessments and technical assistance to help you set up your service needs for the size of your property. Even if you have a landscaper managing green waste, you still must sign up for food waste recycling. Carts and bins are available in various sizes depending on the amount of waste your property generates.



Educate employees and tenants. Waste Management can provide education and resources like sorting guides, posters and signage to make sure materials are disposed of properly. Visit www.wm.com/us/en/recycle-right/recycling-resources for more information and to download resources.



See reverse side for more resources to help you create a successful program.

Contact Waste Management at (866) 844-1508 or visit sacramentovalley.wm.com to get started preparing for SB 1383.



What is considered **Organics Recycling**?

Landscape Debris



Food Scraps



Food Soiled Paper

